

# OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

## Veteran's Information

**Veteran's Name:** Lucien Waite ALLEN

**Birth Date:** 21 March 1837

Location: Lake County, Ohio

**Death Date:** 7 July 1914

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Magnolia Memorial Park

Plot Location: unknown

GPS Coordinates: N33° 47' 04.40921" W117° 58' 32.90935"

(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location



### Side Served - Union

Rank: Private

Company: C

Unit: 3<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Regiment

State: Minnesota

**Occupation:** Farmer

## Family Information

### Parents –

**Father: Willard Allen, Reverend**

Birth Date/Location: 1800, Worcester County, Massachusetts

Death Date/Location: March 1880, Spring Valley, Fillmore County, Minnesota

**Mother: Eliza Hannah Payne**

Birth Date/Location: Abt 1806, Burke, Caledonia County, Vermont

Death Date/Location: Abt 1892, Spring Valley, Fillmore County, Minnesota

### Spouse: Rhoda Ann Conklin

Birth Date / Location: 1842, Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location: 5 August 1896, Spring Valley, Fillmore County, Minnesota

Marriage Date / Location: 1 January 1861, Fillmore County, Minnesota

### Children –

**Name: Lula Allen (McNeir)**

Birth Date / Location: abt. 1862, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: unknown

Married George H McNeir

**Name: Harriett "Hattie" M. Allen**

Birth Date / Location: 1866, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: Unknown

**Name: Menta L. Allen (Maas)**

Birth Date / Location: abt. 1868, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: 27 September 1935, Orange County, California

Married Charles Maas

**Name: Amy Allen (Graves, Croughan)**

Birth Date / Location: 3 August 1873, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: 22 May 1944, Orange County, California

Married ? Graves

Married John Henry Croughan

**Name: Alonzo B. Allen**

Birth Date / Location: November 1874, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: unknown

**Name: Milo Bailey Allen**

Birth Date / Location: 9 January 1880, Spring Valley, Fillmore County, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: 19 December 1949, Orange County, California

Married Hattie Crosby

**Name: Joseph Garfield Allen**

Birth Date / Location: 12 January 1882, Minnesota

Death Date / Location: 3 March 1959, Orange County, California

Married Bertha Oertly

## Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Lucien W. Allen, Private, Age 24, Muster In: 11 October 1861, Co C, Third Ohio Infantry, Spring Valley, Minnesota, Musician, Principal Musician (Fifer), transferred to N.C.S. 01 July 1863, Muster Out: 2 September 1865

Lucien Allen's family are descendants of Robert Allen who was the brother of Ethan Allen of Revolutionary War fame.

Lucien's brother Alonzo also served during the Civil War with Co C, 3<sup>rd</sup> Minnesota Infantry. He enlisted as a Private 26 February 1864. He died of malaria at Pine Bluff, Arkansas 25 September 1865,

After the War Lucien Allen continued his love for music by playing in military bands during patriotic events.

Lucien Allen came to California around 1905 followed by his sons, Milo and Joseph. Over the course of a few years they owned 75 acres of land in Orange County on which they grew mainly Valencia oranges and Eureka lemons.

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