

# OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

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## Veteran's Information

**Veteran's Name:** Moses Jefferson / Jasper COHEE

**Birth Date:** 18 October 1843

Location: Indiana

**Death Date:** 16 September 1921

Location: California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: Z-228-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 10.90047" W117° 50' 29.58631"

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



**Side Served:** Union

Rank: Private

Company: F

Unit: 15<sup>th</sup> Cavalry

State: Kansas

**Occupation:** Farmer

## Family Information

**Parents –**

**Father: Vincent D. Cohee**

Birth Date/Location: 25 April 1813, Delaware

Death Date/Location: 30 September 1857, Shawnee County, Kansas

**Mother: Zerelda Stanley**

Birth Date/Location: 1817, Kentucky

Death Date/Location: 1888, Shawnee County, Kansas

**Spouse: Hester Maria *Dix* Walker**

Birth Date / Location: 4 June 1841, Indiana

Death Date/Location: December 1917, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: 31 December 1870, Kansas

**Children –**

**Name: William V. Cohee**

Birth Date / Location: Abt 1876, Indiana

Death Date / Location: Bef 1885, Kansas

**Name: Lena A. Cohee (Thornburg)**

Birth Date / Location: 18 February 1878, Kansas

Death Date / Location: 26 January 1954, Fresno County, California

**Name: Ellen Walker (Step Daughter)**

Birth Date / Location: Abt 1860, Missouri

Death Date / Location: unknown

## Additional Information

### Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

### U.S. Civil War Soldiers Records and Profiles

Jefferson Cohee, 5' 4", blue eyes and living in Topeka Shawnee County, Kansas, enlisted 22 February 1863 in Co F, Kansas 15<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Regiment. Mustered out on 19 October 1865.

Co A 19<sup>th</sup> Kansas Cavalry (6 months 1868 to 1869)

### Collections of the Kansas State Historical Society

Jefferson Cohee is listed as one of the units cooks in Co A 19<sup>th</sup> Kansas Cavalry.

The Article contains information on the Indian Wars and touches on the exploits of George Armstrong Custer

### Civil War Pension Index

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Jefferson Cohee, invalid, 14 August 1890, Oklahoma

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