

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: John CRILEY

Birth Date: 30 April 1832³

Location: Somerset County, Pennsylvania^{3,5}

Death Date: 12 July 1914^{3,11,13}

Location: Huntington Beach, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Good Shepard Cemetery

Plot Location: D-139-6

GPS Coordinates: N33° 42' 08.16157" W117° 59' 17.83609"

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



Side Served: Union^{1,2}

Rank: Sergeant

Company: A

Unit: 80th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Occupation: Carpenter, Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Henry Jacob Criley¹⁸

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1790, Somerset County, Pennsylvania³

Death Date/Location: 18 January 1853, Chester, Randolph County, Illinois³

Mother: Mary Husband¹⁸

Birth Date/Location: 25 February 1802, Somerset County, Pennsylvania³

Death Date/Location: 18 March 1888, Chester Township, Logan County, Illinois³

Spouse: Mary Etta Vance^{2,5,8}

Birth Date/Location: April 1838, Wisconsin¹⁰

Death Date/Location: 7 May 1920³, unknown

Marriage Date/Location: 28 December 1854, Randolph County, Illinois⁴

Children –

Name: Mary Chloe Criley (McClure)^{5,10}

Birth Date/Location: 3 November 1857, Illinois^{5,10}

Death Date/Location: 16 June 1940, Orange, Orange County, California¹⁰

Name: William Criley^{3,5}

Birth Date/Location: 13 August 1859, Illinois⁵

Death Date/Location: 8 June 1864, Randolph County, Illinois³

Name: Anna E. Criley (McBride) ^{4, 8}

Birth Date/Location: 1861, Illinois ^{6, 5, 8}

Death Date/Location: 7 October 1915, Illinois ⁵

Name: Allmer Criley ^{3, 7}

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1865, Illinois ^{3, 7}

Death Date / Location: unknown

Name: Walice Criley ^{3, 6}

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1866, Illinois ^{3, 6}

Death Date/Location: unknown

Name: Frank Criley ^{7, 8}

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1868, Illinois ⁸

Death Date/Location: unknown

Name: Luke Criley ^{7, 8}

Birth Date/Location: April 1870, Illinois ¹⁷

Death Date/Location: 1 January 1922 ³, unknown

Name: Lottie B. Criley (Hoover) ^{4, 8}

Birth Date/Location: 2 January 1873, Jackson County, Illinois ⁹

Death Date / Location: 14 November 1916, East St. Louis, St. Clair County, Illinois ⁹

Name: Katherine Wilson Criley (Pierson) ^{3, 5, 9}

Birth Date/Location: 5 September 1876, Illinois ^{5, 9}

Death Date / Location: 7 August 1953, Los Angeles County, California ^{5, 10}

Name: Permelia Criley (Scott) ^{10, 12}

Birth Date/Location: 20 December 1880, Illinois ¹⁰

Death Date / Location: 3 February 1969, Orange County, California ¹⁰

Name: Hugh Criley ^{3, 10}

Birth Date/Location: 3 May 1881, Illinois ¹⁰

Death Date/Location: 13 May 1974, Orange County, California ¹⁰

World War I Draft Registration, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Huntington Beach Post No 194, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted as Sergeant 25 August 1862, promoted to Full 2nd Lieutenant 15 May 1865, mustered out as Sergeant at Nashville, Tennessee 10 June 1865

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First Sergeant John Criley, Company A, wounded slightly in knee in the demonstration in Dalton, Georgia

Illinois Civil War Detail Report

John Criley, age 31, 5' 6", born in Somerset County, Pennsylvania and residing in Liberty Randolph County, Illinois joined Co A, 80th Illinois US Infantry on 28 July 1862 in Liberty, Illinois. Married with dark hair and blue eyes he was working as a plasterer. He mustered in 25 August 1862 at Centralia, Marion County, Illinois for a period of 3 years. He mustered out 10 June 1865 at Camp Harker, Tennessee.

John Criley is the brother-in-law of Robert S. Emerson, Civil War Veteran, also buried in Orange County.

John's brother, Cyrus, was with Co A, 80th Illinois Infantry during the Civil War.

Photograph of tombstone for John Criley, Good Shepherd Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 2/19/2007. Retrieved 24 June 2013, from Findagrave.com. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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