

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Reuben J. Martin

Birth Date: June 1840
Location: Illinois

Death Date: 20 November 1908
Location: Unknown
Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery
Plot Location: (-,35,6)
GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 14.26947" W117° 50' 26.59066"
(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location.



Side Served: Union
Rank: Private
Company: A
Unit: 7th Cavalry Regiment
State: Iowa

Occupation: Farmer, Stone Mason

Family Information

Parents –

Father: James Martin
Birth Date/Location: abt. 1803, Kentucky
Death Date/Location: Unknown

Mother: Edith
Birth Date/Location: abt. 1810, Kentucky
Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: unknown
Birth Date/Location:
Death Date/Location:
Marriage Date/Location:

Children -

Name: Noah Martin
Birth Date/Location: abt. 1859, Iowa
Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Mary E Franklin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1843, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Marriage Date/Location: 5 April 1861, Lawrence Keokuk County, Iowa

Children -

Name: R. J. Martin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1864, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Joseph A. Martin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1867, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Ida May Martin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1869, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Ira E. Martin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1872, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Isabella

Birth Date/Location: Apr 1844, Massachusetts (or New York)

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Marriage Date/Location: 1874, Unknown

Children -

Name: Maids Martin

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1875, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: E. Edward Martin

Birth Date/Location: May 1883, Iowa

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Enlisted 2 October 1862, mustered in 25 October 1862, mustered out 24 November 1865 at Fort Kearney, Nebraska

Photograph of tombstone for Reuben Martin, Santa Ana Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/3/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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