

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: William McCOLAUGH

Birth Date: November 1834

Location: Belmont, Belmont County, Ohio

Death Date: 11 February 1917

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: R-115-2

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 14.73903" W117° 50' 31.76882"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Battery: C

Unit: 1st Heavy Artillery Regiment

State: Minnesota

Occupation: Hotel Keeper, Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Ireland or Scotland

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Mother: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Virginia

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Polly L.

Birth Date/Location: November 1841, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 16 March 1937, Orange County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 1859, Unknown

Children –

Name: John A. McCullough

Birth Date/Location: April 1862, Wisconsin

Death Date/Location: 25 November 1936, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of GAR Sedgwick Post Number 17

Enlisted 1 October 1864 at Sumner, Minnesota, mustered in 12 October 1864 at Rochester, Minnesota, appointed Corporal 19 October 1864, reduced in ranks 29 March 1865, mustered out 17 June 1865

Photograph of tombstone for William McColaugh, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/11/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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- Record for William McColaugh
- Record for John M McColaugh
- Record for Polly L. McColaugh

Findagrave.com, searchable database of cemeteries with tombstone inscriptions, memorials and photographs

- Memorial 8722347, Created by Shiver. Record for William McColaugh
- Memorial 59031431, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd. Record for Poly L. McColaugh
- Memorial 59031429, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd. Record for John A. McColaugh