

OCCGS Civil War Veteran's Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Oliver S FERRY

Birth Date: 1846

Location: Illinois

Death Date: 3 January 1931

Location: Sawtelle, Pacific Branch, Los Angeles County, California

Buried at: Los Angeles National Cemetery, Los Angeles County, California

Plot: 78, 20/RM

Service: Union

Rank: PVT

Company: K

Unit: 64th Infantry

State: Illinois

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Celin Newton Ferry

Birth Date/Location: 1818, Massachusetts

Death Date/Location: 2 April 1897, Lake County, Illinois

Mother: Eleanor J Doane

Birth Date/Location: January 1826, New York

Death Date/Location: June 1881, Lake County, Illinois

Spouse: Hannah Maria Shotswell

Birth Date / Location: September 1847, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 1909, Pottawattamie County, Iowa

Marriage Date / Location: 21 December 1867, Kenosha County, Wisconsin

Children:

Name: Clara Ferry

Birth Date / Location: 1868, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 15 July 1935, Morgan County, Colorado

Name: Ella Ferry

Birth Date / Location: 2 September 1870, Macon County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 30 August 1949, Mt. Gilead, Morrow County, Ohio

Name: Georgiana Ferry

Birth Date / Location: July 1879, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 1963, Morgan County, Colorado

Name: Clarence Chase Ferry

Birth Date / Location: 29 September 1888, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 21 August 1950

Spouse: Catherine S. White

Birth Date / Location: 1854, Michigan

Death Date/Location: 12 February 1932, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: unknown

Additional Information

Oliver Ferry, a resident of Benton, Illinois, enlisted as a Private on 29 February 1864 at Waukegan, Lake County, Illinois. He mustered into Co K, Illinois 64th Infantry on 1 March 1864 at Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. He was discharged 4 January 1865 at Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky.

Oliver Ferry's son, Clarence Chase Ferry, served 18 September 1917 to 4 February 1919 as a Corporal with Co F, 345th Infantry, 87th Division during World War I.

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- Record for Oliver Perry
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- Dwight, Huron County, Michigan, Roll M653_545, Page 857, Record for Catherine White in the household of Reuben and Angeline White

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- Huron, Huron County, Michigan, roll M593_674, Page 815A, Record for Angeline Kinch and Samuel Kinch

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- Record for Clara B Ferry, Mother: Hannah Shotwell, Father: Oliver Ferry

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- Record for Ridgal B. Albert, Mother: Ella Ferry, Father: Frank Albert

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- Record for Oliver Ferry
- Record for Catherine S Ferry

Find A Grave, database and images - <https://www.findagrave.com>

- Memorial 3707366, Created by US Veteran's Affairs, Record for Oliver Ferry
- Memorial 113481839, Created by Elizabeth Meriwether, Record for Hannah M Ferry
- Memorial 9129020, Created by Eldora Sasser, Record for Catherine S Ferry
- Memorial 74477222, Cindy (Seifert) Cooper Abelson, Record for Clara B Freeman
- Memorial 94730460, Created by DJLindsay, Record for Harrett Ella Ferry Albert
- Memorial 75286855, Created by , Cindy (Seifert) Cooper Abelson, Record for Georgiana Perks
- Memorial 55705536, Created by Johnna C Smith, Record for C N Ferry
- Memorial 55705569, Created by Johnna C Smith, Record for E J *Doane* Ferry

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Tuesday, 10 June 1930, Pg 3, Col 3

- Record for Oliver Ferry
 - multi-car accident in which Ferry's right hip was broken.. Ferry was admitted to US National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Sawtelle, Pacific Branch on 26 July 1930. He was admitted with a broken right hip listed as one of three ailments. He died at Sawtelle on 3 January 1931.

The Marion Star, Marion, Ohio, Wednesday, August 31, 1949, Pg 15, Col 4

- Obituary – Mrs. Ella Ferry Albert

Bruce News-Letter, Bruce, Wisconsin, Friday, 25 August 1950, Pg 2, Col 5

- Local Man Dies of Heart Attack – Clarence C Ferry Stricken At Start Of Fishing Trip

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Tuesday, February 16, 1932, Pg 3, Col 1

- Funeral Notice for Mrs. Catherine S Ferry