

of a

CALIFORNIA PIONEER

If needed, use more pages to finish data. Do not wait to do research work to complete line. Give what you have and what is in the possession of other members of your family and GIVE IT NOW. Fragments are valuable if accurate. Later acquired information may be added at any time. Write "unknown" in spaces where information is lacking. Signature at end by member of the family makes the paper much more valuable. Give authorities when possible.

LINE OF Andrew Rouse Rowley Pioneer of Santa Ana, Cal.

1. Full name of pioneer Andrew Rouse Rowley

Date and place of birth Mt. Vernon, Ohio - December 18th, 1837

Date and place of death Nov. 3rd, 1918, Santa Ana, Calif. Buried Santa Ana Cemetery

2. Name of his father Levi Rowley

Date and place of father's birth Canadagua, New York

Date and place of father's marriage Feb. 11th, 1845 - Brandon, Ohio

Date and place of father's death Feb. 21st, 1880, Valparaiso/ Buried Valparaiso, Indiana Ind.

3. Name of pioneer's mother (full maiden) Lydia C. Rouse

Date and place of her birth December 28th, 1825 Brandon, Ohio

Date and place of her death August 25th, 1921-Santa Ana, Cal. Buried Santa Ana, California

4. Full maiden name of pioneer's wife Mary Sheldon Skinner

Date and place of marriage of pioneer June 1st, 1836 - Evanston, Illinois

Date and place of her birth Dec. 27th, 1863 - Chicago, Illinois

Date and place of her death Buried

5. Name of her father Hollis Reid Skinner

Date and place of his birth Feb. 6th, 1837 - Vermont

Date and place of his marriage April 9th, 1863

Date and place of his death May 22nd, 1870-Valparaiso Buried Valparaiso, Indiana

6. Name of mother of pioneer's wife (full maiden) Harriet F. Sheldon

Date and place of her birth Jan. 4th, 1840 - Vermont

Date and place of her death April 12th, 1911, Boston, Mass. Buried Wethersfield, Vermont

7. Names of pioneer's brothers and sisters with dates of birth, marriage and death, with names of persons to whom they were married

Oscar Rowley Born Nov. 12th, 1845 Brandon, Ohio

Amos Rowley Born 1875 Mt. Vernon, Ohio

Died and buried in Valparaiso, Indiana



8. Names of pioneer's wife's brothers () sisters with dates of birth, marriage and death, () names of persons to whom they were married.

Mary S. Skinner had one sister, Grace -- She married Andrew J. Lovell in
Swampscott, Mass, 1899.

9. In the following space give as complete a list as you can of the children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of the pioneer couple. Give all the dates and places of their births, deaths, and marriages. Give the full maiden name of all women married into the line. If you can, give the dates of birth and death of all those married into the line. If you have information concerning the ancestry of any of them, give it on a supplemental page. You are asked ONLY for what you have. Carry this information down to 1905.

Children of Andrew R. Rowley) Grace M. Rowley -Born Valparaiso, Ind., May 1, 1887
and Mary S. Rowley) Hazel Rowley -Born Santa Ana, Cal., April 7th, 1889

Burton H. Rowley -Born Santa Ana, Cal., Sept. 26, 1893

Grand Children) John Vernon Sauers
of)
Andrew R. Rowley) Dorothy Jean Rowley -Died March 1924 -Born Aug. 1923
and)
Mary S. Rowley) William Burton Rowley -Born April 16th, 1926

Hazel Rowley)
and)
John W. Sauers) Married August 25th, 1914 - Santa Ana

Burton H. Rowley)
Helen Roberts) Married June 31st, 1920

Grace May Rowley) Went to China Oct. 6th, 1910 as a Missionary under
Presbyterian Board -Located in Presbyterian Mission as
teacher in girls' school, Weihsien, Shantung, China,
from 1910 to 1932 (at time of this writing)

In the space below give interesting information on life of pioneer—i. e., where he lived before coming to California or the Middle West; when he arrived; the route and method by which he came; what his business was and other facts of importance.

Andrew Rouse Rowley spent his young manhood in Valparaiso, Indiana where he was engaged in the drug business with his father. In May 1858 he moved to Santa Ana with his wife and baby and went into partnership with Henry Bristol in the drug business. In his choice of a home he was influenced somewhat by the fact that his Uncle E. S. S. Rouse was then living in Santa Ana. After years of happy partnership with Henry Bristol, Andrew Rowley purchased Mr. Bristol's share of the business and later sold the business to Chas. Kelley. Later he manufactured stock remedies for the Titus Stock Co., and was thus engaged at time of his death. He was a deacon in the First Presbyterian Church of Santa Ana when he died. - Was converted under the preaching of Evangelist E. J. Bulgin. He was a quiet, modest man respected and liked by all who knew him.

His brother, Oscar, served in the Civil War, and his son, Burton, served in the World War, being over seas at the time of his father's death.

AUTHORITIES: The above statistics from:

1. Family Bible (or records) originally belonging to _____
residence _____

Now in the possession of _____ residence _____

Published in the year _____ by _____ at _____

Known as _____ Bible _____

(If Bibles (or records) belonging to more than one person are quoted, list them)

2. Personal recollections of Mary S. Rowley - Wife residence 202 E. 10th St.,
Member of Family Only Santa Ana, Calif.

Information given to _____ residence _____

(If more than one person is quoted, list)

3. Letter addressed to _____ residence _____

dated _____ signed _____ residence _____

Now in the possession of _____ residence _____

(If more than one letter is quoted, list)

4. Cemetery or tombstone records located at _____

5. Legal records of any type (description and location given) _____

The foregoing statements concerning the records of my family (or my husband's family) are true and accurate copies from the authorities quoted.

Signed: _____
(Family Member)

Residence _____

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