AUSTIN, WILLIAM

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Rank SGT Company H Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence MORGAN CO, IL Age 23 Height 5'9 Hair DARK

Eyes HAZEL Complexion LIGHT Marital Status MARRIED Occupation

FARMER

Nativity MORGAN CO, IL

Service Record

Joined When AUG 9, 1862 Joined Where FRANKLIN, IL

Joined By Whom J M FANNING Period 3 YRS

Muster In SEP 2, 1862 Muster In Where JACKSONVILLE, IL

Muster In By Whom N/A Muster Out N/A

Muster Out Where N/A Muster Out By Whom N/A

Remarks DISCHARGED JUL 23, 1863 AT VICKSBURG MISS FOR DISABILITY

He is listed on the Jacksonville Civil War monument and the 1872 Morgan Co. History.

From the Illinois Marriage database:

AUSTIN, WILLIAM GRAVES, HANNAH 1859-09-27 B/ 136 4280 MORGAN

In 1880 they were farming in Leroy, McLean Co., IL

William, 40 and Hannah 39, had the following children, all born in IL:

Amanda, born 1860, George, born 1862, Nellie, born 1864, Elizabeth, born 1866, Edward, born 1868, Ada, born 1868, Bert, born 1870, Gertrude Edith, born 1876, and Blanche, b. 1878.

Hannah died in 1894. In 1900 he was living in Arena Twp, Potter Co., SD. With his daughter, Blanch, a school teacher.

In 1920 he was living with his son, George, and family in Mitchell, Davison Co., SD

He filed for pension (date missing)

He was born 14 Oct 1839 in Franklin, Morgan Co., IL and died 15 Oct 1921 in Mitchell, Davison Co. SD He is buried in Graceland Cemetery in Mitchell, SD. Many of his family are also buried there.