FERGESON(FURGESON), ANTHONY

Name FURGESON, ANTHONY

Rank PVT Company D Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence JACKSONVILLE, MORGAN CO, IL Age 22 Height 5'8 Hair RED Eyes HAZEL Complexion LIGHT Marital Status MARRIED Occupation FARMER Nativity MORGAN CO, IL

Service Record

Joined When AUG 22, 1862 Joined Where JACKSONVILLE, IL

Joined By Whom H C COFFMAN 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 AUG 5, 1864 AT ST LOUIS MO FOR DISABILITY

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

From the Illinois Marriage database:

ANTHONY FERGUSON

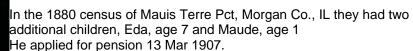
FEB. 21.1836-MAY 22.1917

LUGINDA FERGUSON

FURGUSON, ANTHONY TUNNELL, LUCINDA 11/01/1855 B/ 107 3346 MORGAN FERGUSON, ANTHONY CURTS, GRACE F (MRS) 12/25/1905 D /274 156 MORGAN

From the 1870 census of Morgan Co., IL:

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7 2	29 29 FURGI	JSON Susan	7 F	IL	
8 2	29 29 FURGI	JSON Lizzie	5 F	IL	
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Born 21 Feb 1836, died 22 May 1917 at Jacksonville, Morgan Co., IL, buried Antioch Cemetery, Morgan Co., IL Wife, Lucinda Tunnell and a child also buried there.

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Ferguson.

Anthony Ferguson, a long time resident of Morgan county, died Tuesday evening at 5:30 o'clock, at his residence on Hardin avenue. Mr. Ferguson had been in failing health for a long period and his death was expected by those familiar with his condition. The deceased was born on a farm near this city, the son of Benjamin and Susan Ferguson, and his entire life was spent in this community. For a long period he followed the occupation of farmer with success and after giving up the arduous duties of the farm and becoming a resident of this city he for a number of years held the office of constable and met the duties of that position with faithfulness and efficiency. The deceased was married Nov. 1, 1855, to Lucinda Tunnell and nine

children were born to them, seven of whom survive. Some time subsequent to the death of his wife, Mr. Ferguson was again married. His second wife was Mrs. Grace F. Curts and their marriage occurred Dec. 5, 1905. Mrs. Ferguson survives, together with the children already mentioned, A. J. Ferguson, Jacksonville; Mrs. Susan Benson, Jerseyville; Mrs. Lizzie Ewen, Alexander; Mrs. Ida Todd, Buffalo; B. F. Ferguson, Jacksonville; Mrs. Edith Six, Alexander; Mrs. Maude Welch, Quincy. Two sons, W. T. and Horace Ferguson died a number of years since. The deceased also leaves one brother, Champion Ferguson of this city; four sisters and a brother

having preceded him in death. There survive also twenty eight grandchildren and twenty one great grandchildren. Mr. Ferguson was a member of Central Christian church and so ordered his ways that he lived consistently with the teachings of that church. Faithfulness and honesty especially marked his life and he had the good will and good opinion of those who knew him well.

The remains will be taken this afternoon to the home of R. L. Pyatt on North Church street. Friends who wish to view the remains may call there after 6 o'clock this evening. The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon

at 2 o'clock at Central Christian church, in the charge of Rev. M. L. Pontius. Interment will be in Antioch cemetery.

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