

COWELL,JOHN

Name COWELL, JOHN
Rank PVT Company I Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence MORGAN CO, IL Age 23 Height 5' 7 1/4 Hair LIGHT
Eyes BLUE Complexion LIGHT Marital Status MARRIED Occupation FARMER
Nativity WATERFORD, FULTON CO, IL

Service Record

Joined When AUG 1, 1862 Joined Where MORGAN CO, IL
Joined By Whom J T NEWMAN Period 3 YRS
Muster In SEP 2, 1862 Muster In Where JACKSONVILLE, IL
Muster In By Whom N/A Muster Out JUN 7, 1865
Muster Out Where WASHINGTON, DC Muster Out By Whom CPT WICKES

Remarks MUSTERED OUT AS CORPORAL

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

From the Illinois Marriage database:

COWELL, JOHN HARR(ILLEGIBLE), MARTINETT 12/30/1858 B/ 131 4121 MORGAN

They had two sons, William A., b. 1860 in IL, and Thomas, b. 1868 in Iowa.

He was living in Ottumwa, IA in 1890. In 1900 she was living with son, William, b.1860 and his wife Mazie, b, 1869 in IL. Martinette stated she was a widow, had 2 children, 2 living.

He applied for pension Jan 19 1885, no state listed, assumed to be IL. His wife, Martinette, applied for pension May 16 1898 from Iowa. He died 1 May 1898 in Ottumwa, Wapello Co., IA. He is buried in Ottumwa Cemetary