OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Frederick R. MOREY

AKA – Frank R. Moore

Birth Date: May 1840

Location: Wiesbaden, Hesse, Germany

Immigrated: 1848

Death Date: 23 June 1904

Location: Placentia, Orange County, California

Buried at: Anaheim Cemetery Plot Location: AD-2S-13-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 50' 28.42242" W117° 53' 59.16242"

(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location.

Side Served: Union

Rank: Private Company: E

Unit: 35th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Occupation: Minister, Indian Agent, Consul to Florence, Italy

Family Information

Parents -

Father: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Germany Death Date/Location: Unknown

Mother: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Germany Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Mary F. Dickson

Birth Date/Location: Unknown

Death Date/Location: abt. 1899, Unknown

Marriage Date/Location: 3 July 1867, Vermillion County, Illinois

Children -

Birth Date/Location: Unknown Son Death Date/Location: 1900, California



Additional Information

Enlisted 1 September 1861 at Catlin, Vermillion, Illinois, muster In 19 December 1861 at Rolla, Missouri, muster out 2 January 1865, Nashville, Tennessee.

The military headstone for Frederick Morey sits in the same plot area as the tombstone for F.R. Moore. No burial records exist for a Frederick Morey at Anaheim Cemetery.

Photograph of tombstone for Frederick Morey, Anaheim Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 1/26/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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"Old Character Commits Suicide," Los Angeles Herald, Vol XXXI, No 270, Saturday Morning, June 25, 1904, Pg 4, Col 5

• Obituary for F. R. Moore – contains letter written by "F R Moore" to a friend telling the friend that he is actually Frederick Morey. Letter provides biographical data on Frederick Morey's life.

Findagrave.com, searchable database of cemeteries with tombstone inscriptions, memorials and photographs

- Memorial 8722485, Created by Shiver. Record for Frederick Morey
- Memorial 17695107, Created by Charles Lewis Beal. Record for Frank R. More

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"Old Character Commits Suicide," Los Angeles Herald, Vol XXXI, No 270, Saturday Morning, June 25, 1904, Pg 4, Col 5

 Obituary for F. R. Moore – contains letter written by "F R Moore" to a friend telling the friend that he is actually Frederick Morey based on military records. Letter provides biographical data on Frederick Morey's life.

Dear Brother Sweet: You have endeared yourself to me on account of coming to see me in my lonely state. All I have or ever had have gone to the other world of my dear Savior. I desire that you should preach my funeral, on the text, I think it is Revelation vii, these words: "These are they that have passed through great tribulations and washed their robes in the blood of the Lamb." I was born in Weisbaden, Nassau, Germany. Mother was left a widow when I was 6 years of age and came to America, was raised in New York to 16, then came to Illinois; was converted in 1858. I enlisted as private in 1861 in company E, Thirty-fifth Illinois volunteers, was promoted in 1862 to Chaplain; was taken prisoner on September 19, 1863, at the battle of Chickamauga and sent to Andersonville and stayed until the war was over. I was appointed consul to Florence, Italy, under Harrison, served until Democratic rule came in. I once served also as Indian agent in White River agency. I lost wife and son within three months. In 1900 came to California with my son, but he died. I am alone ambed.