

Union Volunteers Who Made Good in Arizona



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William A. Hancock, 1831-1902
AKA as "Father of Phoenix"
Named Greenback Valley
Private, Company K, 7th California Infantry
November 4, 1864-October 5, 1865
First Lieutenant, Company C
1st Arizona Infantry
October 5, 1865-September 13, 1866
Discharged at Fort McDowell, Arizona Territory
MEMBER GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

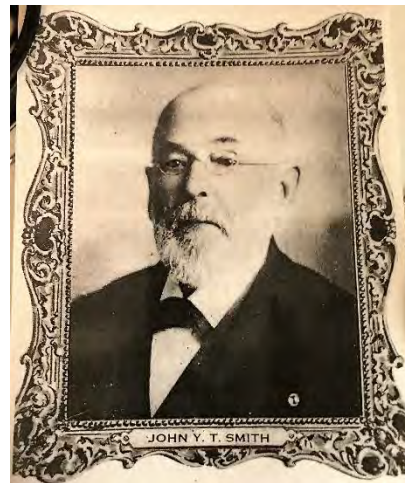


John Wren Owen, 1822-1877
Twice elected Treasurer of Maricopa County
Captain, Company F, 7th California Infantry
Infantry
Served at Fort Mason, Santa Cruz County
November 30, 1864-April 13, 1866



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James D. Monihon, 1837-1904
Elected Mayor of Phoenix in 1893 and 1896
Corporal, Company F, 1st California Infantry
August 16, 1861-August 29, 1864
Discharged at Fort Whipple, Arizona Territory
Scout, Quartermaster Department, U. S. Army
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John Yours Truly Smith, 1831-1903
Married at Prescott October 3, 1875
Second Lieutenant, Company H, 4th California
Infantry
January 31, 1863-November 30, 1865
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John A. Brown, ca. 1838-1883
Private, Company D, 2nd California Cavalry
March 26, 1864-May 29, 1866

Reuben A Hill, 1837-1905
Sergeant, Co. I, 1st California Infantry
September 20, 1861-February 29, 1864
Captain, Co. K, 1st New Mexico Infantry (New)
February 29, 1864-February 6, 1866

Charles August Luke, 1832-1899
Private, Company M, 2nd California Cavalry
September 11, 1861-November 9, 1864
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Richard R. Pearson, 1832-1882
Private, Company C, 5th California Infantry
September 25, 1861-November 30, 1864

Robert Plumridge, 1845-1906
Noted Phoenix Bookmaker
Private, Co, F, 4th California Infantry
Infantry
September 20, 1861-October 10, 1864
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Amos G. Randal, 1828-1897
Proprietor, Randal & Davis, undertakers
Captain, Company A (New), 4th California
Infantry
February 1, 1865-November 30, 1865
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William Ferdinand Robert Schindler, 1830-1908
Clerk, Probate Court of Yavapai County
First Lieutenant, 2nd California Infantry
February 12, 1863-January 12 1866
Mustered-out at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory
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Albert Weldon, 1841-1895
A locator of the Quijotoa Mine, Pima County
Private, Company E, 5th California Infantry
September 19, 1861-November 30, 1864
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The above twelve Union soldiers are subjects of a Pioneer Biographical
Essay by the late United States Senator Carl T. Hayden

and

the twelve Union soldiers are buried at the present-day Pioneer & Military Memorial Park,
1317 W. Jefferson St., Phoenix, AZ Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Henry McKinley Benson

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The railroad station and the town of Benson, Cochise County, was named for him.

Served in the United States Army from February 28, 1866 to November 14, 1885.

Discharged from the California Volunteers at the Presidio of San Francisco January 31, 1865.

Post commander at Fort Whipple from: September to: December 1865.

Commissioned at San Francisco, Major, 4th California Infantry, May 22, 1865.

Mustered-out at Los Pinos, New Mexico Territory, August 31, 1864.

Promoted Captain, Company F, 1st California Cavalry, July 16, 1863.

Commissioned at San Francisco as First lieutenant, Company I, 1st California Cavalry, August 16, 1861.

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William Franklin Bradley, 1837-1907

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Member, Society of Arizona Pioneers.

Probate Judge at Tombstone, 1895-1898.

County Recorder of Cochise County, 1887-1892.

Located a mining claim in the Tombstone District October 2, 1879.

Mustered-out at Fort Craig, New Mexico Territory, August 21, 1861.

Mustered-in as Sergeant, Company G, 1st California Cavalry, at San Francisco, August 19, 1861.

Enrolled at Nevada City, Nevada County, California, August 10, 1861.

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Martin Heald Calderwood, 1835-1913

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Calderwood Peak lies between Agua Fria and New Rivers is named after Captain M. H. Calderwood.

For twenty-five years M. H. Calderwood ran the stage crossing of Agua Fria River on Black Canyon Road. The station was some 6 miles from present town of Marinette.

Sergeant at Arms, Eighteenth Legislature, 1895.

Speaker, Ninth Legislature, 1877.

Stationed at Tubac in 1865 and at Fort Mason in 1866.

Captain, Company D, 7th California Infantry.

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Felix Campbell, ca. 1835-1903

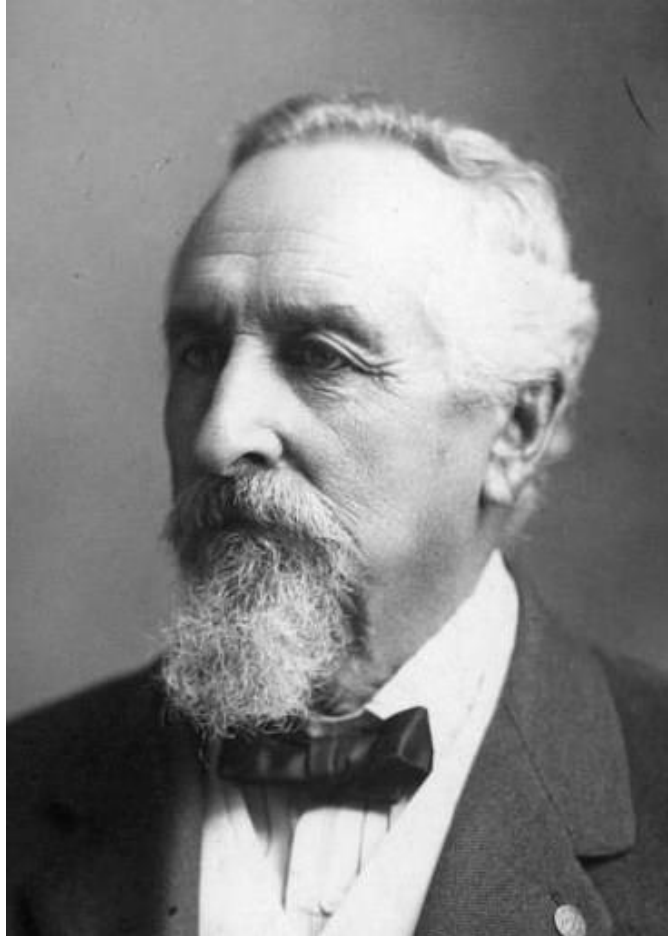
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The *Prescott Courier* of October 3, 1895, stated:

Felix Campbell of Capt. Hargraves company, 1st California Volunteers, discharged at Ft. Whipple, August 1864, goes today to the Soldiers' Home, Santa Monica. He in company with others escorted Gen. Coles Bashford from the first camp of troops stationed at Chino valley, in March 1864 to Tucson; camped at Skull Valley and **was the man who gave the name to Skull Valley**, where some skulls were found at a supposed battle ground of the Apache Mohaves and Wallapais; he has since been mining in Arizona, Nevada and California. He is a first-rate man.

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Sidney Randolph De Long, 1828-1914

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First Mayor of Tucson, 1872.

Resigned at Santa Fe, New Mexico Territory, July 11, 1866.

Transferred to Company B, First Battalion of Veteran Infantry, California Volunteers.

Promoted First Sergeant, Second Lieutenant, appointed Acting Regimental Quartermaster April 1864.

Enrolled at and mustered-in as Private, Company C, 1st California Infantry, August 1861.

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Alonzo M. Erwin, 1838-1868

Killed by Indians at Canada del Oro on the road between Tucson and Camp Grant.

Elected from Camp Grant as a member from Pima County **to the House of Representatives**,
5th Territorial Legislature, June 3, 1868.

Mustered-out at Fort Craig, New Mexico Territory, August 31, 1864.

Enrolled and mustered-in as Private, Company G, 1st California Infantry, August 1861.

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Oscar Hutton, ca. 1830-1873

Hutton Peak, about 12 miles southwest of Globe, Globe County, is named for him.

Hutton Butte, 5 miles southeast of Point Imperial in Grand Canyon Natural Park is named for him.

Second Lieutenant, 1st Arizona Infantry, 1865-1866.

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Thomas Varker Keam, 1842-1904

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Keam's Canyon is named for him.

Discharged at Santa Fe, New Mexico Territory, September 29, 1866.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant, Company E, 1st New Mexico Cavalry, February 18, 1865.

Mustered-out at Santa Fe, New Mexico Territory, January 22, 1865.

Enrolled at San Francisco, Private, Company C, 1st California Cavalry, January 22, 1862.

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Hiram Kennedy, ca. 1835-1877

Hiram Kennedy was enumerated at Arizona City in 1870. **About 1872 he was one of the founders of Safford.** He was killed from the effects of a knife in the hands of Theodore Brown with deadly intent and without proper justification at Safford October 7, 1877. His burial site is unknown.

Private Kenney served at Fort Mohave and at Camp Lincoln (La Paz), Arizona Territory, and was discharged at Drum Barracks, California, November 1, 1864.

Hiram Kennedy enrolled at Auburn, Placer County, California as Private, Company F, 4th California Infantry, October 20, 1861.

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Patrick King, 1836-1898



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Naturalized as an American Citizen at Florence, Pinal County, December 5, 1877.

Discharged at Drum Barracks, California, February 19, 1866.

Re-enlisted as a Veteran Volunteer at Drum Barracks June 17, 1864.

Stationed at Fort Mohave from May to December 1863.

Enrolled at Forest Hill, California, in Company B, 4th California Infantry, September 12, 1861.

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George Thomas Martin, 1839-1899

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George T. Martin was listed as a Tucson agent for the Wells Fargo Express Company at Tucson, 1884; **Postmaster at Mohawk, Yuma County, from April 28, 1893, to August 22, 1895**; Secretary, Mohawk Canal Company, 1893; and a member of the Grand Army of the Republic. He is buried at the Los Angeles National Cemetery.

George Thomas Martin was born at Martinsburg, Berkeley County, West Virginia, November 16, 1839. He enrolled and mustered-in as Private, Company B, 2nd California Cavalry, at San Francisco, California, September 25, 1861. Private Martin was promoted Commissary Sergeant vice Jesse T. Maynard, who was discharged by reason of wounds received in action December 19, 1862. Commissary Sergeant Martin was discharged for disability, pneumonia and pleurisy, at Fort Sumner, New Mexico Territory, March 13, 1864.

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William Rannels McCormick, 1843-1891

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William Rannels McCormick was born in Bourbon County, Kentucky, 1843. He enrolled and mustered-in as Private, Company C, 1st California Infantry, during August 1861. He was promoted Sergeant September 1 and **was in charge of nine men of his company which joined the escort of the Arizona Territorial officials at Fort Wingate, New Mexico Territory, December 20, 1862.** The officials included Richard C. McCormick, Secretary of the Territory, and Judge Joseph P. Allyn. He was a foreman at the Longfellow Mine, Copper Mountain, Clifton, Greenlee County and Justice of the Peace at Clifton. 1885-87.

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