

AIKINS, NICHOLAS M.

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AIKINS, NICHOLAS M., born In Jefferson County, Indiana, 1837; son of Henry and Lucinda Aikins; enrolled at Quincy, Plumas County, California October 18 and mustered in at Camp Union, Sacramento, California, October 23, 1861, to serve ³three years as Private, Company F, 5th California Volunteer Infantry; occupation when enlisted, miner; stationed at Camp Wright, near Warner's Ranch, San Diego County, California April and May 1862; was at Fort Yuma in June and at ^{R1}Mancopa Wells In July and August 1862; arrived in Tucson in September and served there as Wheelwright in the Quartermaster's Department from January 1 to April 23, 1863; left Tucson early in May and died on a march ^{from Fort Bowie}toward the Rio Grande ~~from Fort Bowie~~ at Leightendorfer's Well, Arizona, May 15, 1863, aged 26.

(Mother O. 408,557 in pension files.)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

^{OH}Orter, R. H., Records of California men, p 699
Adjutant General of the Army - Official Records
U. S. Veterans Administration - Pension Records