

# MARTIN, FRITZ WILLIAM JACOB

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MARTIN, FRITZ WILLIAM JACOB, born at Doemitz, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Germany, August 27, 1831; enlisted, December 5, 1857, at Camp Scott, Utah Territory, to serve 9 months as Private, Captain Foster's Company D, Lieutenant Colonel Bee's Battalion, United States Volunteers, Utah Expedition; honorably discharged at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, September 14, 1858.

Enrolled August 1 at Nevada City, Nevada County, California and mustered in at the Presidio of San Francisco on August 19, 1861, to serve 3 years as Private, Captain Henry A. Green's Company G, 1st California Infantry; occupation when enlisted - Fisherman; left Camp Wright, near Warner's Ranch, San Diego County, California, for Fort Yuma, March 19, 1862; marched from Fort Yuma on July 19 for Tucson and was stationed there until December 2, 1862; stationed on the Rio Grande in New Mexico and Texas from December, 1862, to May, 1864; the Company was in the field at Antelope Springs, A.T., June 30 and in the field 35 miles east of the San Francisco River, A.T., July 31, 1864; honorably discharged with the Company at Fort Craig, N.M., August 31, 1864.

Naturalized as an American citizen in the 2d Judicial District Court of California at Santa Barbara, April 20, 1871; listed, Barter's Tucson City Directory, 1881, as Laborer, Southern Pacific Railroad; charter member, Society of Arizona Pioneers, Tucson, January 31, 1884, occupation - Brewer; Comrade, Negley Post No. 35 (1) G.A.R., Tucson; admitted from Tucson, A.T., December 13, 1889, to Pacific Branch, U.S. Soldiers' Home, Sawtelle, California, where he died on January 3, 1894, aged 62; buried there, Section 3, Row A, Grave 10; S.C. 601,131.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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Adjutant General of the ARMY - Military service records.

U.S. Veterans Administration - Pension and Soldiers' Home records.