

MERRILL, AUGUSTUS M.

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MERRILL, AUGUSTUS M., born in Huntsville, Randolph County, Missouri, about 1846, probably a son of John M. and Mary Merrill; enrolled, age 18, on November 11, at Nevada City, Nevada County, California, and mustered in at the Presidio of San Francisco on November 18, 1864, to serve three years as Private in Captain George D. Kendall's Company I, 7th California Infantry; occupation when enlisted, Miner; left the Presidio and marched with the Company via Fort Mohave to Fort Whipple, A. T., arriving in June, 1865; died in the hospital at Fort Whipple, Yavapai County, A. T., from the effects of a knife wound in the spine, February 7, 1866.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Orton, E. H. - Records of California Men in the War of the The Adjutant General of the Army - Military service records U. S. Census, Randolph County, Missouri, 1850.

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MERRILL, Augustus M. Private, Company I, 7th California Infantry

Augustus M. Merrill (not found as Morrill) was enrolled November 11, 1864 at Nevada, California and mustered into service November 18, 1864 at San Francisco as a private in Company I, 7th California Infantry to serve three years.

He died February 7, 1866 in the hospital at Fort Whipple, Arizona Territory from inflammation of the brain caused by a wound in the spine, as a private.

He was born in Huntsville, Missouri, was 18 years old at date of enlistment and by occupation a miner.