PUGSLEY, JOHN J.

PUGSLEY, JOHN J., born at Hartford City, Blackford County, Indiana, (about 1834) son of and

Enrolled, age 27, at Placerville, El Dorado County, California, October 15 and mustered in at Camp Union (Sacramento), November 14, 1861, to serve 3 years as Private, Company H, 5th California Infantry; went by sea with the Company to San Diego in February and arrived at Fort Yuma in May, 1862; served as Teamster in the Quartermaster Department between Fort Yuma and the Rio Grande from November 22, 1862, until September 22, 1863, when he rejoined the Company at Las Cruces, N. M., and was detailed to herding Government cattle during October and November; went with the Company to Franklin (El Paso) Texas in February and was honorably discharged at that place on December 12, 1864.

Member Negley Post No. 1, G.A.R. at Tucson; resided at Casa Grande from 1882 to 1887 and was at the Vekol Mine in the Papago Country in 1891; admitted to the U. S. Soldiers Home, Sawtelle, California, February 4, 1898, where he died on June 6, 1901; buried in the Soldiers Home Cemetery.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION


The Adjutant General of the Army - Military service records.
U.S. Veterans Administration - Pension records S.C. 825,491.
Great Register of Final County, 1882.