

J. G. Wilkins

Personal information

Name: John Green Wilkins
(Green Wilkins, John Wilkins, or J. G. Wilkins)

Birth: January 1836
Rutherford County, North Carolina

The family moved to Forsyth County, Georgia, where he was reared, then moved by 1848 to Alabama. Wilkins moved to Texas in 1872 and settled at Little Elm in Denton County where he reared six children. He operated a blacksmith shop in Denton. Widowed twice, he was living with a daughter at the time of his death.

Family: Parents: Hezekiah Wilkins and Sarah [Sally] Eskridge
Spouse: (1) Louisa [Lauisa] A. Phillips (married 23 August 1855, Forsyth County, Georgia)
(2) Margaret Jane Harris (married 12 December 1884, Lamar County, Texas)
Children: Pettis C. Wilkins, William Anderson Wilkins, Charles E. Wilkins, Sarah Wilkins, Henry Hezakiah Wilkins, Louisa Emma Wilkins

Death: 12 February 1919
Dallas, Dallas County, Texas

Cemetery: Oakwood Cemetery, Denton, Denton County, Texas; Block: 9-3
(GPS: 33° 12' 41" N 97° 7' 19" W)

Military Service

Military Branch: Army, Confederate

Dates: 1861-1865

Rank at Discharge: Private

Era/Service: Civil War

Assignments: Company A, Walkers Division (Georgia)

Pension: Application 07 February 1907, File No. 01278 (disapproved)
Application 13 September 1912, File No. 25374

Civilian Life

Education: Literate

Occupation: Blacksmith (self-employed)

Sources:

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