

George Alma Cummings

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: George A. Cumming

Age: 1y; 8m; 22d

Son of George & Jane Cumming

Deceased: Nov. 9, 1846

Disease: Chill, fever

Birth Place: Town of Lyma, Hancock Co., Ill

Birth Date: Feb. 17, 1845

No. of Grave: 56

Name of Deceased: George Alma Cummings

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Death Date: Nov. 9, 1846

Cause of Death: Chill Fever

Burial Place: Grave #56 Cutler's Park

Father's Name: George Washington Cummings

Mother's Maiden Name: Jane Phebe Ferguson

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters Ward 3

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Pottawattamie County, Iowa, house 64, page 68

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Isaac Bullock Company, left Kanesville (present Council Bluffs), Iowa in 1852 and arrived between Sep. 21 and Oct. 3 1852.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

-His brother, John Cummings, who was 5 years older than him also died at Winter's Quarters and was buried in Cutlers Park grave #24. (see John Cummings sheet for more facts/stories)

-His father, George was a private in Company E of the Mormon Battalion. (Members of the Mormon Battalion, Susan W. Easton, Roster of Mormon Battalion.)

-Jane, his mother, was the first baptized on July 20, 1841 in St. Joseph, Vanderburgh, Indiana. His father was baptized the following year.