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From Findagrave.com (accessed 12/15/2020)

Henry Bush

Birth: 1805 Vermont, USA

Death: 1879 (aged 73–74) California, USA

Burial: Alhambra Cemetery, Martinez, Contra Costa County, California, USA

Plot: Pioneer Section - Plot 348

Memorial #: 76525994

Bio: Henry Bush was the son of Timothy and Lydia (Newcombe) Bush. He was the husband of Abigail (Norton) Bush. Henry and Abigail were executive committee members of the Western New York Anti-Slavery Society - along with Frederick Douglas. After September 24, 1850 Henry left his pregnant wife and five children in Rochester, New York (youngest son George three years of age) and headed west to seek his fortune in the California Gold Rush. Abigail became pregnant six times (two children died in infancy) between 1834 and 1846. He arrived in San Francisco in 1851 via the Isthmus of Panama. Abigail and children later joined him. He served during the Civil War.

New York Genealogical Records, 1675-1920

Name: Henry Bush

Event: Lived Year: 1850 Place: Rochester County: Ulster Province: New York

Comments: Stove Dealer

Source: Daily American Directory Of The City Of Rochester, For 1849-1850

Publisher: Jerome & Publication Information, Rochester, New York, Page 77

US Census June 26, 1860

Bush Twp., Contra Costa Co., CA Post Office: Martinez and San Pablo

BUSH Henry age 54, b1806 VT, farmer Aberdin (Abigail) age 49, b 1811 NY son Edward M., age 19, b1841 Ohio, laborer son George T., age 12, b1848 NY dau Eva age 7, b1853 NY James Dyer age 27, b1833 England, laborer William Smedley age 22, b1838 TX, farm laborer

Ash Hune age 16, b1844 China, cook

US Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name: Henry Bush

Side: Union

Regiment Name: Company C, 6th Regiment California Infantry

Rank in: Private Rank Out: Private

Film Number: M533 - Roll 1

The Christian Brothers As Winemakers: oral history transcript/and related material, 1971-1975 Brother Timothy Being Interviewed At Mont La Salle 1975

He speaks of an old newspaper clipping which told of the Christian Brothers in 1879 buying 76 acres of property (12 acres of vineyards on it) from Mr. Bush. Mr. Bush also owned a cherry orchard about a mile and a half or two miles away in Alhambra Valley. They also had other property near by - one mile east of the courthouse in Martinez - it used to be at the end of Pine Street.

October 24, 2014

Info from Scott McKinzie (fag #48155039)

"I searched the stated plot or section and could not find the grave."

Family Members

Parents Timothy Bush 1766-1850

Lydia Newcomb Bush 1763-1835

Spouse Abigail Norton Bush 1810-1898
Siblings Levina Bush Unknown-1842

Timothy Bush 1795-1870

Obadiah Newcomb Bush 1797-1851

Created by: MaryJane Haight-Eckert (46560908)

Added: 14 Sep 2011

URL: https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/76525994/henry-bush

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Abigail Norton Bush

Birth: 19 Mar 1810 New York, USA

Death: 10 Dec 1898 (aged 88) Vacaville, Solano County, California, USA Burial: Alhambra Cemetery, Martinez, Contra Costa County, California, USA

Memorial #: 76508593

Bio: Abigail (Norton) Bush was the daughter of Zadock Norton. She was the wife of Henry Bush. They were married in 1831. She was active in the Woman's Rights movement and presided over the Adjourned Convention in Rochester, New York of the 1st Woman's Rights Convention in 1848.

US CENSUS
September 24, 1850
Rochester, Ward 8, Monroe Co., NY
BUSH
Henry age 45, b1805 VT, stove manufacturer
Abigail age 40, b1810 NY
dau Caroline age 19, b1831 NY
son Norton age 16, b1834 NY
son David age 14, b1836 OH
son Obadiah age 9, b1841 OH
son George age 3, b1847 NY
Jane Shelman age 20, b1830 NY

Her Letter To Susan B. Anthony In 1898 -

"It has seemed long in coming, but I think the time draws near when women will be acknowledged as equal with man. Heaven grant the day to dawn soon!" - Abigail died shortly after writing this letter.

Death Notice

The San Francisco Call

Friday, December 2, 1898

BUSH.--Died Abigail Bush, dearly beloved mother of Eva B. Jones, George T., Edward N. and David S. Bush, in the 89th year of her age. Interment at Martinez tomorrow (Saturday) at 11 o'clock.

October 24, 2014

Info from Scott McKinzie (fag #48155039)

"The cemetery office has no record of this person."

Family Members

Spouse Henry Bush 1805-1879

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