

James Seeley Reeves

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: James Ceiley Reaves

Age: 1y; 1m; 23d

Relationship: Son of Ceiley

Deceased: Aug. 15th, 1847

Disease: Summer Complaint

Birth Place: Council Bluffs

Birth Date: June 22nd, 1846

Grave No. 198

Birth Date: June 22, 1846

Birth Place: Council Bluffs, Pottawattamie, Iowa

Death Date: August 15, 1847

Cause of Death: Summer complaint

Burial Place: Winter Quarters Grave #198

Father's Name: Seeley Reeves, Sr.

Mother's Maiden Name: Martha Busenbark

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family:

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Listed as family #593 in Lewis Township, Holt County, Missouri

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? No evidence that the family came west

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

His mother Martha Busenbark Reeves died on February 24, 1847 and is buried in grave #88.

After Martha died, Seeley Reeves married Susan Permelia Fowler. They were married in 1848 in Missouri.

Ancestry.com. Seeley Reeves in the U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900

In the 1850 U.S. Census, the family lives in District 38, Holt, Missouri.

They are listed as:

Ceiley Reeves 29

Susan Reeves 22

Sarah Reeves 11

James Reeves 1

In Find a Grave, Seeley Reeves, Sr. and Susan Permelia Fowler Reeves are listed. Seeley and Susan had 12 children. Susan's mother died when Susan was 6 years old. Susan's father was a Methodist preacher who joined the Mormon church. He and his family moved to Iowa and then Missouri. Susan married Seeley Reeves on July 9, 1848. He died September 23, 1893. Susan died April 8, 1908 in Oregon, Holt County, Missouri. This information originally came from the *Holt Sentinel* - April 17, 1908

Find a Grave has the names of some of Seeley and Susan's children.