

Joseph Lamoni Morley

From the original Sexton Records:

Not found in the sexton's records

Birth Date: July 15, 1845

Death Date: Oct. 18, 1846

Cause of Death: unknown

Burial Place: Omaha, Nebraska

Father's Name: Isaac Morley

Mother's Maiden Name: Hannah Blakeslee Finch

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters 5th Ward

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? San Pete County, Utah, house #16. Isaac 65, Hannah 40, Isaac Jr 21, Theresa 23, Amasa 17, Simeon 1.

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Isaac first traveled with the Brigham Young Company which left Winter Quarters jun. 5, 1848 and arrived Sep. 20-24, 1848.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

-Isaac was elected a senator of Deseret on Mar. 12, 1849. He also helped settle Sanpete County. From 1851 to 1857 he was a member of the Utah territorial legislature.
(<http://www.josephsmithpapers.org/person/isaac-morley>)

-For many years life Isaac served as a patriarch. He traveled to various saints and gave them blessings.
(Isaac Morley, 1786-1865, Cordelia Morley Cox, <https://www.boap.org/LDS/Early-Saints/IMorley.html>)

-Isaac led the settlement of Manti. He had many dealings with Chief Walker. (The Life and Contributions of Isaac Morley, Richard Morley, pp. 155-56,
<https://scholarsarchive.byu.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=5959&context=etd>)

-In 1850 Brigham Young send William Black, a recent convert, to Manti on an errand. Isaac heard that William wanted to live in Manti but that he had no family. Isaac told William to move in with him and be his boy. William took him up on the offer for two years and even took Morley as his middle name. (The Life and Contributions of Isaac Morley, Richard Morley, pp. 179,
<https://scholarsarchive.byu.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=5959&context=etd>)