



TARRANT COUNTY TXGENWEB

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Civil War Veterans of Northeast Tarrant County

Green Berry Trimble

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Green Berry Trimble was born in Cole County, Missouri on October 18, 1843, a son of David and Catherine (Henley) Trimble. According to statements when he joined the Robert E. Lee Camp of United Confederate Veterans in Fort Worth, he enlisted in 1862 in Springfield, Missouri.

He served as a private in Capt. Henry's Co., Parson's Missouri Regiment. For a time he served as Parson's bodyguard. He fought in the Battles of Prairie Grove and Cape Girardeau, and was captured twice...once at Patteson, Arkansas and once near West Plains, Missouri. He spent about six weeks in a federal prison. He was at home at the time the war ended.

Not long after he came to Tarrant County with his parents, probably about 1866, Green B. Trimble married Barbara A. Morrow, a daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Morrow, Bedford pioneers. Trimble was a charter member of the New Hope Church of Christ (now Bedford Church of Christ) in Bedford in 1874.

In 1895 Trimble lived in present-day Hurst about 7/8 mile due east of the intersection of Harwood Road and Precinct Line Road, somewhere in the vicinity of Yates Drive with its intersections with Hillview, Circle View North, and Baker Streets.

In 1900, Mrs. Trimble told the census taker she had given birth to four children, all of whom were still living. Green Trimble died on April 1, 1916, and lies buried near his parents in Smithfield Cemetery. No death certificate was filed for Mr. Trimble. His wife, if she is buried at Smithfield, has no headstone.

Their children were William Marshall Trimble, Eliza H. Trimble, Margaret Letisha Trimble, and Walter Lee Trimble.

C. B. Trimble

