Andrew Jackson Martz, Private, Co. G 44 MO Infantry, U.S.

1845  July 21: Martz was born in Rockingham County, Virginia to Jacob and Elizabeth Cowan Martz.

1850  September 30: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Rockingham County, VA showed 4-year-old Andrew living with his parents, Jacob and Elizabeth, and siblings. His father was a laborer.

1860  June 26: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Davis Township, Caldwell County, MO showed 13-year-old Andrew living with his parents, Jacob and Elizabeth, and his siblings. His father was a farmer.

1864  August 16: Enlisted in the U.S. Army in Chillicothe, MO.


   November 30: Fought in the Battle of Franklin.

   November & December: Company Muster Roll. Absent. Remarks “Absent without leave since Dec 17, 1864.”

   December: Appeared on Returns: “Absent without leave since December 17, 64 at Nashville, Tenn.”


   March & April: Hospital Muster Roll/Sedgwick U.S.A. General Hospital Greenville, La. Present.

   March & April: Company Muster Roll. Absent. Remarks “Restored to duty without loss of pay and allowance. Sick in hospital 3” Div since April 9, 65.”

   May: Appears on Returns: “Absent sick Montgomery Ala April 11,65.”

August 15: Company Muster-out Roll. Remarks “Due U.S. for one musket and act. Retained $6.00 Col E, One half shelter tent $2.30.”

1866 June 3: Married Sarah Jones in Utica, Livingston County, MO.

1870 June 27: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Utica, Livingston County, MO showed Andrew, a carpenter, and Sarah, a weaver, living with their daughters: Ellanora, 3 yrs and Minnette, 1.

1880 June 10: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Utica, Livingston County, MO showed Andrew, a carpenter, and Sarah living with their children: Ellanora, age 13, Minnie, 12, Levi E., 4 and his twin Eli L., 4.

1890 August 22: Chillicothe Morning Constitution, Chillicothe, MO.

***Wm. Lemon was a brother-in-law.***

1900 June 13: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Green, Livingston County, MO showed Andrew, a farmer, and Sarah living with their adult son Ed. Sarah is listed as having given birth to 6 children, with 4 currently living.

1902 December 22: The Chillicothe Constitution Tribune, Chillicothe, MO.

1906 March 2: Wife Sarah Jones Martz died in Olympia, WA.
1910 April 26: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Olympia City, Thurston County, WA showed a widowed Andrew, a carpenter, living with his daughter Minnie and her husband Charles Knowler.

1920 January 12: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Olympia City, Thurston County, WA showed a widowed Andrew living with his daughter Minnie and her husband Charles Knowler.

1923 November 15: Andrew Jackson Martz died. He lived with a daughter in Olympia, Thurston County, Washington.

Andrew J. Martz passes away here

Andrew Jackson Martz, aged 78, well-known member of the George H. Thomas post of the G. A. R., passed away Thursday at the family home, 1061 Pine street. The deceased was born in Rockingham county, Virginia, July 21, 1845. He served in the Civil War in the 44th Missouri Infantry. At the close of the war he was married to Miss Sarah Jones, who passed away March 3, 1906. Surviving the deceased is one son, E. F. Martz, of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Knowler, with whom he made his home, and Mrs. Eliza Lemons, of Utica, Missouri. Mr. Martz was an active member of the Baptist church. The remains were removed to the Mills funeral parlors and announcement of funeral will appear later.