Grundy County

William L. Bearden (18 Sep 1843 - 14 Aug 1941). Lived east of Spickard, MO in Franklin Township for ten years prior to death. Buried Princeton, MO.

From 14th Iowa Infantry Co I Records: Bearden, William. Age 18. Residence Ashland, nativity TN. Enlisted Oct. 17, 1861. Mustered Nov. 5, 1861. Missing in action April 6, 1862, Shiloh, TN. Paroled May 24, 1862, Macon, GA. Mustered out Nov. 16, 1864, Davenport, Iowa. National Archives Record: M541 roll 2.