

Cortland County Cemetery listings - Potter Hill Cem.



Potter Hill Cemetery

Lot 40 town of Taylor , Land given by Royal Inman in 1826 , as a free burying ground.

Deeded by Noel Seamans foster son and heir to Inman's property Nov. 5 , 1858 to William Eddy , Wilson Elwood , Thomas C. Wentworth , Kelsey Davis , Paris Potter , and Isaac H. Smith as trustees of the Potter Hill Burying Ground. Now surrounded by state reforestation.

Named in honor of 3 brothers and 2 sisters that settled there about 1817.

Pardon , Charles , and Hardin Potter all buried there, Hardin having a family of 13 boys.

ALEXANDER Leroy Alexander , d. Sept. 6 , 1860 , ae 40 yr. 11 m. 23 da.
 Lovicy , wife of L. Alexander , d. Feb. 22 , 1903 , ae 66 yr. 8 m. 21 da.
 (dau. of Miles Brown)
 Ermina A. , dau. Of Leroy and Lovicy Alexander ,
 d. Nov. 26 , 1859 , ae 1y. 1m. 6 da.

ALLIS Israel Allis , b. Dec. 9 , 1809 , d. May 3 , 1891
 Pauline Eddy , his wife , b. Oct. 24 , 1816 , d. Mar 4 , 1894 , (dau. of
 Wm. Eddy)
 Wm. McKendre , b. Nov, 27 , 1836 , d. Feb. 15 , 1843
 Abigail J. , b. May 23 , 1839 , d. Feb. 14 , 1843
 Infant May 1843
 Lydia M. , b. June 22 , 1845 , d. Feb. 4 , 1854 (children of Israel Allis)

BAKER Russell Baker , burried beside Adella (no stone) died Nov. 9 , 1904 ,
 ae 84 yr.
 Adella C. wife of Russel R. Baker , d. Jan. 3 , 1867 ,ae 42 yr.

BARBER	Benjamin D. son of Calvin M. and Polly Barber , d. Sept. 2 , 1849 , ae 2 yr. 1 m. 26 d.
BARNES	Betsey wife of Oliver Barnes , d. May 10 , 1826 , ae 60 yr. (second burial in yard May 12 PM)
BARNES	Ursula Hungerord wife of Norman Barnes , d. Dec.19 , 1850 , ae 76 yr. 2 mo. 22 d.
BARRETT	Ezra ,son of Jonas and Olive Barrett , d. Feb. 9 , 1859 , ae 20 yr 3 mo. 4 da.
BROOKS BABY	(son of Sam and Celia Brooks , b. & d. Nov. 2 , 1922)
BROWN	Charles S. son of Levi & Louisa Brown , d. Dec. 31, 1859 , ae 11 yr. 2 mo. 25 da. Miles Brown , d. Oct. 11 , 1882 , ae 81 yr. Lucinda , wife of Miles Brown , d. Apr. 13 , 1869 , ae 58 yr. 1. d. Lucy E. , dau. of M. & L. Brown , d. Oct. 9 , 1849 , ae 9 yr. 9 mo. 28 da.
BOWEN	Lydia , dau. of Ashel & Artimesa Bowen , d. May 7 , 1852 , ae 1 yr. 6 mo. 27 da.
COBB	Zilpha P. wife of William Cobb , d. Aug. 19, 1854 , ae 30 yr. 6 mo. Francis E. son of Wm. & Zilpha P. Cobb , d. July 28 , 1852 , ae 2 yr. 6 mo. 10 da.
CHAMPION	Diana , wife of Ezra Champion , d. Aug. 28 , 1846 , ae 42 yr. Elijah Champion , d. June 3 , 1840 , ae 44 yr. 6 mo. 10 da. Polly , wife of Elijah Champion d. Mar. 15 , 1836 , ae 36 yr. 6 mo. 18 da. Juliana , wife of Elijah Champion , d. Feb. 16 , 1840 , ae 30 yr. 2 mo. 16 da. Hardin Champion , d. May 18 , 1852 , ae 24 yr. 2 mo. 20 da.

(son of Elijah , longest grave in yard ,Tallest person ever know here said to have been nearly 7 feet.)

COLE	Emeline Cole d. July 30 , 1874 , ae 29 ,yr. 3 mo. 2 da. Newel Cole d. Apr. 23 , 1861 , ae 71 yr. 3 mo. 2 da. Susan , wife of Newel Cole d. Dec. 9 , 1862 , ae 57 yr. 8 mo. Mary F. dau. of N. & S. Cole , d. Aug. 30 , 1849 , ae 25 yr. 1 mo. 24 da. William M. son of N. & S.Cole , d. Aug. 9 , 1833 , ae 3 yr. 4 mo. 24 da.
McCOLE	Wm. McCole d. Sept. 11 , 1863 , ae 3 yr. 1 mo. 8 da.
CORNING	B. L. Corning , d. Mar. 17 , 1883 , ae 72 yr. Lydia A. Eddy , wife of Benjamin L. Corning , d. Oct. 21 , 1858 , ae 39 yr. 11 mo. 24 da.
CRAFTS	Fredrick Marion Craft , d. July 1876 , ae 3 yr. 8 mo.
DAVIS	Robert Davis , d. Oct. 24 , 1830 , ae 78 yr. 2 mo. 24 da. Dezire wife of Robert Davis , d. Jan. 31 , 1835 , ae 82 yr. 10 mo. Elizabeth , dau. of Robert & Dezire Davis , d. Dec. 25 , 1855 , ae 69 yr. 8 mo. 18 da. Joel Davis , is burried beside Nancy , (no stone) Nancy , wife of Joel Davis , d. May 16 , 1851 , ae 63 yr. 10 mo. 19 da. Kelsey Davis , d. Aug. 31 , 1885 , 66 yr. (son of Joel) Susan , his wife , d. Mar. 20 , 1911 ,ae 86 yr. Ara G. son of Kelsey & Susan Davis , d. Mar. 15 , 1860 , ae 2 yr. 3 mo. 2 da.
EDDY	William Eddy , d. Apr. 6 , 1875 , ae 80 yr. Juliana , wife of Willaim Eddy , d. Jan. 12 , 1864 , ae 65 yr. 5 mo. 10 da. Charles P. son of Wm. & Juliana Eddy , d. Oct. 5 , 1848 ,ae 27 yr. 5 mo.

ELWOOD	Nancy Eliza , wife of Wilson M. Elwood , d. May 10 , 1854 , ae 30 yr. 10 mo. 25 da. Samuel W. son of Wm. M. & Nancy E. Elwood , d. Nov. 17 , 1849 , ae 11 mo. Sarah Jane , wife of Wilson M. Elwood , d. June 19, 1861 ae 24 yr. 6 mo. 11 da. Uri , son of Wilson M. & Olive Elwood , d. Jan. 31, 1870 , ae 1 yr. 9 mo. 15 da.
FOSTER	Daniel Foster , 1773-1837 (son of Jonathan Rev.Soldier) Abigail Barrett , his wife 1778-1852 Charles Foster , d. Aug. 26 , 1889 , ae 80 yr. 3 mo. 23 da. (son of Daniel) Lavinia Z. wife of Charles Foster , d. Feb. 3 , 1869 , ae 52 yr. 7 o. 26 da. Jessie C. son of Charles and Lavinia Z. Foster, d. Mar. 21 , 1860 , ae 4 yr. 4 mo. 7 da.
HENRY	Julia , wife of Hiram Henry , d. July 7 , 1869 , ae 40 yr. 5 mo.
HOAG	Jane Gay , wife of Eliab(sic) d. Sept. 13 , 1875 , ae 78 yr. 8 mo. John, son of Eliab(sic) & Jane Hoag , d. Apr. 2 , 1852 , ae 21 yr. 9 mo. 23 da.
HOPE	Betsey M. , wife of James Hope , d.Aug. 29 , 1860 ae 19 yr.5 mo. 9 da. (dau. of Charles Foster)
HOPKINS	Wanton Hopkins , d. Mar. 3 , 1861 , ae 75 yr. 9 mo. Mercy , wife of Wanton Hopkins , d. Mar 1 , 1865 , ae 79 yr. 10 mo. 22 da. Hellen J. , wife of U.D. Hopkins , (dau. of Charles & Sally Potter), d. Apr. 4 , 1870 , ae 23 yr. 3 mo. 26 da.
HYER	Charles Hyer , d. Mar. 6 , 1844 , ae 43 yr. 5 mo. 2 da. Betsey , wife of Charles Hyer , d. Apr. 1 , 1879 , ae 75 yr.

HYDE	Mary , wife of Eleazer Hyde , d. Apr. 28 , 1853 , ae 72 yr. 2mo. 10 da.
JOSLIN	Elder F. Joslin , a preacher of the Baptist Constitution , d. Aug. 30 , 1829 , ae 75 yr. Olive , dau. of Clark & Margaret Joslin , d. Feb. 26 , 1837 , ae 12 yr. 8 mo. 4 da.
KIBBE	Joel Kibbe , ae 82 yr. 6 mo. , 1797-1880 (son of Joesph) Sophia , wife of Joel Kibbe , 1797-1889 (dau. of Reuben Bisbe) Jared E.C.G.Kibbe , 1830—1893 (son of Joel) Lucena A. Foster , Wife of J.E.C.G.Kibbe , 1837—1916 (dau. of Cha's Foster) Orsen F. Kibbe , d. Oct. 8, 1884 , ae 18 yr. 10 mo. Baby George , (son of J.E.C.G.Kibbe)
KINNE	Amy , wife of Stephen Kinne , d. Oct. 11 , 1846 , ae 63 yr.
LYON	Nancy , wife of Pardon Lyon ,d. Dec.31, 1853 , ae 51 yr. Emerancy F. , dau. of Pardon H. & Nancy Lyon , d. Oct. 18, 1851 , ae 4 yr. 7 mo. 9 da. Holden E. , son of Pardon H. & Ruby Lyon , d. Feb.9 , 1859 , ae 24 yr. 6 mo. 22 da. Abagail , widow of Joseph , d. Nov. 22 , 1850 , ae 76 yr. John O.A. Lyon , d.Feb. 9 , 1859 , ae 29 yr. Pardon Lyon , beside his wife Nancy (no stone)
NEFF	Charles L. (son of Luther & Jane Neff) Co.G. 31st Reg. Wis. Vol's. d. Dec. 26 , 1887 , ae 48 yr. James H. son of B. & N. Neff , d. May 10 , 1849 , ae 1 yr. 1 mo. (Ben & Nancy)

Christopher was father of the 3 brothers

POTTER

Pardon Potter , d. Jan. 11 , 1858 , ae 87 yr.

Parris Potter , d.Feb. 23, 187__5 ? , ae 79 yr. 11 mo. 12 da. (son of Pardon)

Nancy wife of Parris Potter , d. Jan.9 , 1864 , ae 62 yr.

-----In memory of -----

---N.Y.S.V.----- Co. A.-----76 Reg.---

William B. Potter , who died in defence of his country at "Bramwell Potter"

First man to fall from 76 Reg. Washington , D.C. ae 21 yr. 11 mo. , 14 da.

(son of Parris)

Alice R. dau of J.I.V. & Adelia Potter d. Feb. 25 , 1860 , ae 3 yr. 24 da.

Charles Potter (1) , d. July 28 , 1848 ae 71 yr. 1 mo. 28 da.

Paulina (Carver) his wife , 1778--1862

Mary L. their dau. 1810--1879

Ida Alice dau. of Hanis & Almira Potter d. Aug. 23 , 1849 , ae 4 yr. 8 mo. 13 da.

Charles W. Potter 1812--1891 (son of Charles 1)--"Wesley"

Elenanor M. (Spencer) his wife 1817—1850

(Their children: Charles H. 1841--1856

Carver P. 1850--1850)

Oliver C. Potter d. June 10 , 1888 , ae 70 yr. (son of Charles 1)"Carver Potter"

Amelia U. his wife d. June 30 , 1901 , ae 74 yr. 9 mo. 9da.(dau. of Charles Hyer)

Willis D. son of Oliver C. & Amelia U. Potter d. Mar. 28 , 1860 , ae 6 yr. 2 mo. 5 da.

Wallace D. son of O.C. & A.U. Potter d. Oct. 11 , 1854 , ae 3mo. 17 da.

Syra Potter d. July 13 , 1880 , ae 79 yr. 1 mo. 8 da. (son of Charles 1)

Sophia H. wife of Syra Potter d. (Oct. 7 , 1900--error on stone (Richard)
Sept. 3 , 1900

--per Kibbe) ae 96 yr. 3 mo. 8 da.

Olive A. dau. of Syra & Sophia H. Potter d. Feb. 25 , 1833 , ae 2 yr. 4
mo. 15 da.

Charles N. son of Syra and Sophia H. Potter d. Mar. 27 , 1836, ae 2 yr.
5 mo. 2 da.

Olive N. Potter---(no dates on stone)

Hardin Potter , b. June 8 ,1779 d. Oct. 22 , 1857 is buried beside Ruth
but has no stone.

Ruth (Champion) wife of Hardin Potter d. Jan. 14 , 1836 , ae 45 yr. 8
mo. 25 da.

-- (parents of 13 boys)--

Dan C. Potter d. May 9 , 1826 , ae 15 yr. 10 mo. 8 da. (son of
Hardin)—

First burial May 12 am--

Chauncey D. Potter---Co. A.--76 Reg.--N.Y. Vol.--d, June 16 , 1867 ,
ae 41 yr. (son of Hardin)

Joel Potter , 1813--1909 (son of Hardin)

Fanny H. wife of Joel Potter , 1817--1891 (dau. of Daniel Foster)

Daniel D. son of Joel & Fanny H. Potter , d. Dec. 28 , 1862 , ae 21 yr. 4
mo. 20 da.

Charles (2) d. May 10 , 1881 , ae 69 yr. 5 mo. 12 da. (son of Hardin)

Sally (Joslin) his wife , d. Apr. 10 , 1885 , ae 74 yr.

Olive N. Potter , d. Oct. 29 , 1854 , ae , 14 yr. 4 mo. 26 da. (dau. of
Charles 2)

Hellen J. Potter wife of U.D. Hopkins , dau.. of Charles (2) & Sally
Potter d. Apr. 4 , 1870 , ae 23 yr. 3 mo. 26 da.

Welcome J. Potter---Co. E.--185 th Reg.---N.Y.V.--d. May 17, 1871 ,
ae. 40 yr. 6 mo. 7 da.(son of Charles 2)

Llewellen B. -- d. Oct. 12 , 1861 , ae 8mo. 10 da.

Bion B. , d. May 9 , 1869 , ae 5 yr. 3 mo. 1 da.

Infant son d. Feb. 27 , 1871

Chauncey D. , d. Mar. 11 , 1871 , ae 1 yr. 9 mo. 20 da.

Ida. E. , d. May 7 , 1885 , ae 7 mo. 20 da.

Safe in Heaven children of G.H.C. & F.M. Potter ,
("Hirum Potter" son of Charles 2 , Fanny M. dau. of Rev. Henry M.
Bort)

Phylander Potter--Feb. 25 , 1821--Apr. 20 , 1901(son of Hardin)

Laura wife of Phylander Potter , d. July 5 , 1880 , ae 59 yr.

Burdett Potter d. May 28 , 1866 , ae 18 yr. 5 mo.(son of Phylander)

Cynthia wife of John Potter , d. Mar. 1 , 1846 , ae 37 yr. 1 mo. 13 da.

Osker , son of John & Cynthia Potter , d. May 10 , 1838 , ae 5 yr. 11
mo. 1 da.

Helen J. Potter---(no dates on stone)

ROGERS

Lyman Rogers (soldier in 1812 war) d. Apr. 6 , 1871 , ae 79 yr. 7 mo.
20 da.(had 15 children)

Hannah Justice Rogers ,b. May 1 , 1800 , d. Oct. 3 , 1889

Nelson C. son of Lyman & Hannah Rogers , d. Oct. 24 , 1839 , ae 1 yr.
6 mo.

Lyman Rogers Jr. , d. Feb.27 , 1864 , ae 34 yr. 2 mo 18 da.

SERGEANT

Manford A. son of Lewis & Elizabeth A. Sergeant , d. Mar. 16, 1860, ae
1 yr. 7 mo. 10 da.

Ella Jane dau. of John & Betsey Sergeant , d. July 7, 1862 , ae 7 yr. 10
mo. 8 da.

SHUFELT

Almira S. (dau. of Joel Potter) wife of Edward Shufelt , d. Mar.27 , 1868
ae 29 yr. 29 da.

Mary J. wife of Ambrose Shufelt (See Wentworth's below)

SMITH	Hannah M. wife of Sterling A. Smith , d. Dec. 29,1877 , ae 39 yr. 2 mo. 23 da. Anna J. dau. of S.A. & H.M. Smith , d. Oct. 5 , 1885 ae 27 yr.
SPENCER	Charity dau. of Elihu & Eliza A. Spencer , d. Dec.26, 1852, ae 2 yr. 6 mo.
VINING	Thomas P. Vining , d. Oct. 15 , 1851 , ae 71 yr. Nancy A. wife of Thomas P. Vining , d. Apr.25 , 1849 , ae 69 yr. Jenny dau. of C. & S. Vining , d. Aug. 20 , 1870 , ae 1yr. 5 mo.
WENTWORTH	Thomas C. Wentworth , d. Nov. 2, 1876 , ae 69 yr. Hosena Graves wife of Thomas C. Wentworth , d. Aug. 20, 1866, ae 59 yr. 4 mo. 25 da. Dennis H. Wentworth 1831-1898 Mary J. wife of Ambrose Shufelt , d. June 21 ,1870 , ae 29 yr. 9 mo. 21 da. Homer Wentworth 1830 - 1897 Harriet C. his wife 1835 - 1917 Ray C. son of H. & H.C. , d. Jan.21 , 1870 , ae 9 yr. 8 mo. 21 da.

NO STONES-POTTER HILL CEMETERY

BENEDICT	Donald son of Henry & Minnie Benedict , d. Apr. 5 ,1925 , ae 6 mo. Paul infant of Henry & Minnie Benedict , d. summer of 1932 Mary dau. of Miles Brown north beside Miles Brown
DAVIS	Arcihable Davis beside Kelsey Davis
FISH	5 Fish Girls step-dau. of Hardin Potter all died along in their teen-ages. Buried in line between Hardin Potter and Wm. McCole

FOSTER	Caroline dau. of Daniel & Abigail Foster, b. Oct. 26, 1806 , d. June 13, 1872 , ae 65 yr. 7 mo. 17 da. beside of Betsey M. Hope
FREEMAN	Infant dau. of Walter & Viva Freeman (top of Kelsey Davis) Viva's grandfather
HYER	Charles W. son of Eleanor & B.F. Hyer , d. Sept. 23, 1861 , ae 4yr. 5 mo. 15 da. on monument in Truxton never moved (there) David son of Charles & Betsey Hyer, d. Aug. 6,1892 , ae 54 yr. 11 mo. 11 da. beside Betsey Hyer. Theodore son of Charles & Betsey Hyer, b. June 8, 1832 , d. Mar. 22,1904 behind Lyman Rogers Jr. in with Betsey Hyer Leora infant dau. of Wallace Hyer , b.Mar. 18,1898 , d. Sept. 1898 east of Ella Potter
INMAN	Royal Inman (beside of Hardin Champion.) Royal's Wife between her husband and Joel Davis her brother Joel being by his wife Nancy.
KIBBE	Infant dau. of Emmet & Rosie Kibbe 1911 in Summer at baby George feet & between Sophia & Orson Kibbe
MILLS	Charles Mills behind Wentworth lot inline with that monument.
NEFF	Luther Neff in the north west corner of the cemetery. Jane Neff his wife at her husbands feet.(Jane Crandall)
OLIVER	Aaron Oliver north of Charles L . Neff Rebecca Oliver his wife just north beside him.
PARKER	Selvenis (Vean) Alfred Parker , d. June 26, 1901 , ae 54 yr. in back of the yard at foot of Chancey D.Potter he has a cut field stone not lettered. Mary Bowen his wife beside him with another cut field stone not lettered.

PEAK	2 small Boys of Ira & Alshia Peak near Philander Potter.
PRENTICE	Marian infant dau. of Archie & Elizabeth Prentice , d. Mar. 21, 1935 The 3rd child north of Brooks baby.
POTTER	Ella Hyer wife of Hollis Potter , dau. of David Hyer , b. Aug. 14 , 1867 , d. Oct. 4, 1911 near center of north wall. Cora E. dau. of Ella & Hollis Potter , b. July 5, 1890 d. Sept. 26, 1890 between her mother & north wall. S____Potter child of Phylander & Laura toward the north wall from his mother.
REYNOLDS	Amanda wife of Lyman Reynolds dau. of Alva Powers probably near Rogers.
SHUFELT	Shufelt girl beside her mother on Wentworth lot.
WELLS	Fred M. Wells , d. Nov. 13, 1933 , ae 65 yr.back of south east corner of Wentworth lot.