

George **Ryman** kept a small notebook in which he recorded the graves he dug in Pioneer Cemetery from 1867 through December 1893. At times, in describing locations, he mentioned pathways, gates, etc. These entries are given below. The possible, approximate or exact location is given in the square brackets following the entry.

16 July 1869: Mrs. **Kane's** Grave on the south side of a grave marked My Mother [#262] close to **Barker's** Fence and the **Gillett** Lot. [Mrs. **Kane**=#248? Milo **Gillett**=#258, Charles **Gillett**=#260, Polly **Gillett**=#261]

1 August 1869: Louis **Heyls** Brothers Daughters grave on the north side of a child's grave by the name of **Trapstone** 1 Rod from George **Barker's** fence.

15 August 1869: Mr. **Wicks** grave 2nd grave north of Iron fence of Margaret _____? Scotch near the gate. (This is very difficult to make out. It may mean "Margaret _____" who was Scotch. **Ryman** does use identifications such as "Swede" or "Dutch.")

14 May 1870: Mr. **Staats** grave by **Barker** fence.

7 July 1870: Charles **Bland** (colored) infant on south side of his other children made a wide grave for the 3 (near the south east corner of Devillo **White's** fence).

3 October 1870: Dutch girl 13 years old the 4th grave from alley on the south side of alley leading from the gate behind the **Adams** graves. [**Adams** graves were #1091-1096; the Dutch girl's grave may be #1110]

3 December 1870: Mr. Henry **Foster's** son about 6 feet south of John **Sloan's** grave, head to the Central walk. [Jonathan **Sloan**=769]

21 August 1871: Mrs. **Woodruff** close to the new cemetery fence on the north side of 2 **Locke** graves. [**Locke** graves=978-979; i.e. fence between Pioneer and Forest Hill. The wording suggests it is Pioneer's fence.]

20 October 1871: Mr. **Petermans** grave near **Barker's** fence on the north side of his father.

13 July 1872: Mr. **Muchlong** (pronounced **Meling**) grave 3rd grave north of Catherine **Nelsons** and near the entrance on south side.

20 October 1872: Miss **Baldwin** on the **Button** lot on the left hand of the steps at the entrance. [#1611]

12 December 1872: Mr. **Clamers** on the south side of Aner wife of William **Cookson** near the gate of the old ground. [#1112]

22 March 1873: Mrs. **Howe** close to Cemetery line on the **Mason** grave lot.

11 January 1874: Father in law of Fred **Smith** south side of Fred **Smith's** child that was buried last March East side of Main Alley running north and south to opposite Joseph **Gilbert's** grave and by south of Balsam tree.

14 February 1874: Mrs. **Smiths** grave on the same Tier as Gen. **Risley** across the alley.

23 February 1874: Samuel **Goodson** on the north side of his wife and close to Main Alley near the gate.

5 March 1874: Mrs. **Peterson** close to **Barker** Fence between her husband and son.

5 April 1874: Daniel **Gould** where George **Buttons** father was buried next to the alley.

29 November 1874: Mrs. **Marbeons** [grave] Head to the alley west of **Cates** lot and next grave south of Maple tree the foot of it is a little south west of the headstone of Mr. **Hocks (Shocks? S Locks?)** grave.

15 January 1875: Mr. **Morley's** grave [#1149] close to the main Alley from the gate the foot of the grave to the Head of Isaac **Godfreys** grave. [#1131]

22 October 1875: Mr. **Staats** [#34] south side of father close to a Maple Tree the foot of the grave up to **Barkers** fence.

1 May 1876: Mother of Horatio W. **Green** at the foot of the **Markham** Fence between two other graves. [#993?]

3 June 1878: Chester **Brown** south of his wife close to Main Street.

9 August 1878: Mrs. **Ribble** south side of Story child's grave near the southeast corner of the Old Grave Yard.

10 August 1878: Henry **Newman** on the north side of his infant on the west side of the alley running north and south by the **Abell** stone with the foot of the grave right to the alley opposite John **Sloan** on the east and James **Thomas** on the west. [Infant **Newman**=#439; Thomas **Abell**=#334; John **Sloan**=#769; James **Thomas**=#540]

21 August 1878: Mrs. **Woodruff** close to the new cemetery fence on the north side of **Lockes** graves.

14 January 1879: Mrs. **Ruch's** (?) grave close to the Forest Hill fence (?) line on the west corner in the **Pettits** row of graves.

19 March 1879: Mrs. Mary **Sloane** in John **Millers** lot back of Rufus **Parkers** shop.

20 February 1880: Mrs. **Beach** close almost under the line fence between the old and the new cemeteries on the same tier of graves as I **Onnen** and **Smith's** with the foot of the grave to the further alley. [Nancy **Beach**=#481; **Onnen**=#480; O. L. **Smith**=#479]

2 April 1880: Mr. **Zenther's** infant daughter next to Main alley on the tier west of James B. **Sprague** lot. [James B. **Sprague**=#897?]

12 July 1880: Infant of Mr. **Churchill** on top of his son in southernmost grave on the **Leveens** Lot and close to and north of Peter **Davys** child north of the main alley from Main Street.

17 August 1880: Make over two graves for Mrs. **LeRoy** near old Cemetery entrance etc.

12 January 1881: Mrs. Lucy **Gear** on south side of other 3 **Geers** graves near the front or west of the entrance to the old grave yard.

22 February 1881: Close to the New Cemetery but in the Old a Swede girl. The foot of her grave lies to Jonah **Bristols** Lot and north of an old stone marked **Thoma**. p.s. Her name was **Westling**.

18 February 1882: **Zenther** about 12 feet south of Isaac **Godfrey** near the main street entrance.

7 August 1882: Mrs. **Miller** on John **Millers** lot above **Parkers** Shop.

21 September 1882: William **Gerhan** close to New Cemetery Fence on the east of the Frank **Stones** and in same row as Nathan **Franks** wife.

23 February 1883: Child 25 feet from the corner post of Forest Hill cemetery east corner.

13 March 1883: William Mullen north side of other son of John Mullen where the Gardners family was taken out (near the gate).

2 May 1883: Mrs. **Spink** south of **Walker** graves second grave from the alley in the center of the Yard. [#399-403?]

20 December 1883: Andrew **Kennon** (?) on north side of infant of Rev. **Tyler** in what was called the Episcopal burial ground.

10 June 1886: Swede girl 4 or 5 feet from Forest Hill Cemetery line on the north side of a **Morey** gravestone.

9 August 1886: Infant son of Chas. **August** close to the Forest Hill Cemetery line with the feet to Hickory Tree.

12 October 1886: Mrs. **Barth** between Rev. **Tylers** child and a Ruggles on West Point of the Old Ground.

13 October 1886: Mary **Gould** near the gate at the head of her mother Mrs **Parnell**. [Emily **Parnwell**=#1075+]

10 May 1887: Anna Bertha **Gloor** (?) in Episcopal lot in the Old Ground.

20 November 1887: Mrs _____ **Gould** 3rd grave from the drive on the Tier of lots west of the Barzillai **Gould** graves.

9 December 1887: Mrs. **Ingham** in South East corner of the old ground nearly close to **Barkers** fence.

13 March 1888: Mrs. **Moshiers** grave (**Theadoria Taggart**) where I took up **Guest** grave close to the entrance.

17 April 1888: Zera **Sisson** Jr. west of his father 2nd tier from the drive back of Tom **Spinks** wife.

16 June 1889: Florence **Gustus** close to Cemetery fence.

5 February 1890: Mrs. Emily S. **Apthorp** north side of 2 children near Cemetery fence. [#636]

19 February 1890: Infant **Miller** private lot close to lower Wall.

18 March 1890: Richard on a pointed lot west of Devillo **Lakes** (?) Aged 12 hours.

2 March 1891: Mrs. Elizabeth **Heuber** south of Rev. **Tylers** infant Episcopal Ground.

7 December 1891: Mrs. Charles **Renne** on their lot close to **Mattesons** fence (?)

24 February 1892: Charles H. **Heyl** very near to Judge **Barkers** fence and north of the Heyl **Headstone** and close to it.

4 May 1892: _____ south side of Main drive across from John and William **Janning**.

7 September 1892: Infant of Charles **Augustus** on south side of one of the twins near cemetery fence.

23 January 1893: Pearl A. **Myers** (?) just inside Cemetery Fence next to Jacksons lot.

12 February 1893: Carl Eloff **Carlson** close to Forest Hill Cemetery hedge at head of **Gustas** children.

9 December 1893: Mrs. **Congdon** north of Mr. and Mrs. **Orcutts** grave and east of south end of Iron Fence