

UTE CEMETERY ASPEN, CO

MASTER LIST OF RECORDED BURIALS

A., J.S. (No biographical information located - grave located)

ADAIR, ALEXANDER C. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Alexander C. Adair was living in Ursa, Illinois when he enlisted as a private in the Union Army on 5 February 1864. He was mustered into A Company of the 50th Illinois Infantry at Quincy. The company was attached to the Army of the Tennessee, the Army of West Tennessee, and finally the Department of the Tennessee through the end of the war. Adair was mustered out on 13 July 1865 at Louisville, Kentucky.

In Aspen, he was a member of the G.A.R. and Aspen Lodge No. 59 of the International Order of Odd Fellows. Adair died on 28 March 1885 in an Aspen-area avalanche. His obituary in the *Gunnison Daily Review-Press* (1 April 1885, p. 4, c.1) reads as follows:

"The remains of A.C. Adair, the Crested Butte and Aspen mail carrier, who lost his life last Friday by a snowslide on Pearl Pass near Ashcroft will be buried at Aspen, his stricken wife having gone there, via Marshall Pass and Granite to attend the funeral."

Adair was buried at the Ute Cemetery on April 3, with a ceremony provided by the G.A.R. and the local lodge of the I.O.O.F.

AKERS, GEORGE W. (Civil War veteran - unmarked grave)

George W. Akers was born near Greenbush in Putnam County, Iowa in 1842. He was living in Greencastle, Indiana when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 10 October 1861. Akers was mustered into A Company of the 59th Indiana Infantry. The company served initially with the Army of the Mississippi, and then with the Army of West Tennessee and the Department of the Tennessee through the end of the war. Akers was mustered out on 4 April 1865. Around 1877, George Akers moved to Colorado, although it is not known when he arrived in Aspen. In Aspen, Akers lived with his wife, Crissie, and worked as a laborer. He died there after a long illness on 11 May 1889 at the age of 47, succumbing to heart disease complicated by kidney problems. The following day, George Akers was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

ALBERS (No biographical information located - grave located)

ALLEN, ABRAHAM (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Abraham Allen enlisted in the Union Army on 27 February 1863 and served in the Civil War as a major in the 6th Missouri Saddle Mounted Cavalry. He was mustered out on 1 January 1866. Allen died in Aspen in July 1891 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery on the 14th of that month, accompanied to his grave by the Rev. L.H. Worthington and some of his friends.

B, G.B. (No biographical information located - grave located)

B., V. (No biographical information located - grave located)

B., L. (No biographical information located - grave located)

B., I. (No biographical information located - grave located)

BAKER, EDWARD H. (unmarked grave)

Edward H. Baker died in Aspen on 24 January 1923 at the age of 77. According to the burial permit, the cause of death was listed as apoplexy. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

BALDRIDGE, ANDREW (grave located)

Andrew Baldrige was born in 1847 and died in Aspen on 29 September 1898.

BALDRIDGE, ANDREW JR. (grave located)

Andrew Baldrige Jr. was born in 1886 and died on 3 November 1888 at the age of two.

BETEMPS, PAUL (unmarked grave)

Paul Betemps lived in Woody Creek and was found hanging from the rafters of a barn after committing suicide on 26 February 1923 at the age of 32. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

BLACK, JAMES (unmarked grave)

James Black died in Aspen at the age of about 70 on 28 June 1927. According to the burial certificate, he died of chronic interstitial nephritis. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

BRENNON, CORNELIUS (unmarked grave)

Cornelius Brennon died in Aspen at the age of 79 on 2 August 1926. According to the burial certificate, he died of septicemia from gangrene of the foot and leg. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

BURAK, DANIEL (marked grave)

The grave of Daniel Burak is marked by a worn heat-engraved wood marker nailed to a tree in the northwest area of the cemetery. Nothing is known about when he died or who he was.

BURT, GRACIE F. (unmarked grave)

Gracie F. Burt was born in 1886, the daughter of Laura Joy Burt and Joseph J. Burt. She died on 9 January 1888 at the age of 1 year, 6 months, on the same day as her older brother, Jozie.

BURT, JOSEPH J. (unmarked grave)

Joseph J. Burt was born in 1843 in New York and was living in Aspen by 1885 with his wife Laura and son J.J., Jr. (also known as Jozie). Another child, Gracie, was born to the couple in 1886. Joseph Burt worked as a miner and died on 17 October 1887 at the age of 44 yrs., 7 months.

BURT, JOZIE J. (unmarked grave)

Jozie J. Burt was born in 1883, the son of Laura Joy Burt and Joseph J. Burt. He died on 9 January 1888 at the age of 4 years, 6 months, on the same day as his sister, Gracie.

BURT, WALTER D. (grave located)

Walter D. Burt was born 1830 and died in Aspen on 4 February 1893 at the age of 62.

BUZZARD, GEORGE F. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

George F. Buzzard was born in Pennsylvania and was living in Knoxville, Iowa when he enlisted with the Union Army as a private on 5 January 1864 at the age of 31. On 24 January 1864, he was mustered into G Company of the 40 Iowa Infantry. After serving with the VII Corps, Department of Arkansas, he was mustered out of service on 2 August 1865. Buzzard died on 6 March 1897, the victim of an avalanche in Conundrum Gulch. His funeral at Ute Cemetery on March 10 was conducted by the local G.A.R. post, together with the Ladies Circle and the Woman's Relief Corps.

CALLICOTTE, ELSIE (grave located)

Elsie Calicotte was born in 1885 and died in 1886.

CHATFIELD, IDA (grave located)

Ida Chatfield was born in Illinois on 19 November 1866, the oldest of seven children. By 1885, she was living in Aspen with her parents and siblings. Her father was a ranchman and mother a housekeeper, and all seven of the children attended school. On 12 June 1886, the *Aspen Times* reported that her hat had been found floating in the Roaring Fork River, a few days after she mysteriously disappeared. Much speculation was made regarding her fate, and in early July armed men were posted on the bridges along the roads leading out of Aspen. On July 19, the newspaper stated that an unidentified man had informed the sheriff's office that he had seen Miss Chatfield at a nearby cabin. He offered to take the sheriff to that cabin for a fee of \$500. The money was raised and a delegation consisting of the sheriff and other citizens was taken to the Red Mountain ranch of John T. Peck. Peck was located, insisting that Chatfield had never been there and that the last time he had seen her was at a store in which they both worked in Aspen. The cabin was thoroughly searched, but no evidence of Ida Chatfield found. Finally, on 6 August 1886, two months after she was reported missing, the body of Ida Chatfield was found floating in the Roaring Fork River about a hundred yards below its confluence with Maroon Creek. It is not known if anyone was ever held responsible for her death.

CHURCHILL, SAMUEL (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Samuel Churchill was born in New York and enlisted as a private in the Union Army on 19 September 1861 at Avon. He was mustered into B Company of the 8th New York Cavalry in Rochester. Throughout the course of the war, the company was attached to the Army of the Potomac, the Department of Shenandoah, the Middle Department, and the Army of the Shenandoah. Churchill was discharged for disability on 3 July 1863 at Baltimore, Maryland. In 1885, at the age of 62, he was a widower living in Aspen and working as a carpenter. Churchill died in Aspen on 18 February 1897 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

CLARK, MR. (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)

CONNORS, MARY (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)

COOK, J.B. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

J.B. Cook was born on 7 February 1830 and enlisted in the Union Army on 5 August 1861 to serve in the Civil War as a sergeant in Company G of the 4th U.S. Artillery. He was mustered out on 20 May 1865. Cook died in Aspen of heart problems at the age of 70, on 28 February 1900. His funeral at the Ute Cemetery took place on March 4.

DAVIS, AARON (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Aaron Davis was born in Ohio and was living in Harrison County, Iowa when he enlisted as a private in the Union Army at the age of 39 on 5 November 1864. He served in the

13th Iowa Infantry, attached to the XVII Corps of the Department of the Tennessee, and was likely to have participated in Sherman's epic march from Atlanta to the sea later that month. Davis was probably mustered out of service on 21 July 1865 at Louisville, KY along with the rest of the 13th Iowa Infantry.

DUNN, JAMES (Civil War veteran - grave located)

James Dunn was born in Canada and was living in DeWitt, Iowa when he enlisted in the Union Army on 22 August 1862 as a private. He was mustered into D Company of the 26th Iowa Infantry at Camp Kirkwood in Clinton. The company was initially attached to the Army of West Tennessee, and then the Department of Missouri, W.T. Sherman's Yazoo Expedition, and finally the Department of the Tennessee through the end of the war. Dunn was mustered out on 6 June 1865 at Washington, DC. He died in Aspen on 8 April 1888 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

EARLEY, JAMES WILLIAM (grave located)

James William Earley was born around 1878 to John and Alice Earley. He died in Aspen on 9 May 1889 at the age of eleven.

EARLEY, JOHN (grave located)

John Earley was born around 1848 and died in Aspen on 22 November 1898 at the age of fifty.

ELDRIDGE, MRS. J.C. (first name unknown - unmarked grave)

Mrs. J.C. Eldridge was born in New York and moved to Colorado around 1880. In Aspen, she worked as a housewife. She died there on 18 November 1891 at the age of 44 of pneumonia complicated by heart problems and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

ELLIOTT, ISRAEL M. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Israel M. Elliott was living in Hartland, Maine when he enlisted in the Union Army as a musician on 29 August 1862 at the age of 42. He was mustered into F Company of the 20th Maine Infantry at Portland, which was assigned to the V Corps of the Army of the Potomac. Elliott was listed as sick at Antietam, Maryland on 1 October 1862 and fell ill again in June of 1863. He was later transferred out to the Veteran Reserve Corps on 5 January 1864. The Veteran Reserve Corps, previously known as the Invalid Corps, was established for soldiers who were unfit for active service due to injuries or diseases contracted in the line of duty. These men were assigned to participate in appropriate military or semi-military activities, such as garrison and light duty work, after being declared deserving of such duty by their commanding officers. Israel Elliott died in Aspen on 20 March 1895 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

EUSTACE, JOHN (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John Eustace was born in Indiana on 8 February 1832. He enlisted in the Union Army on 22 November 1862 and served with the 5th Indiana Light Artillery. Eustace was mustered out on 26 November 1865. He died in Aspen in March 1902 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

EVERETT, CHARLES MORRIS (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Charles Morris Everett was born in New York on 20 December 1837 and was evidently living in Ohio when he enlisted in the Union Army as a sergeant on 2 May 1864. He was mustered into E Company of the 130th Ohio Infantry at Johnson's Island, Ohio. The company was attached to the X Corps of the Army of the James. The unit saw only 100 days of service and Everett was mustered out on 22 September 1864 at Toledo, Ohio. By 1885, Charles Everett was living in Aspen with his Ohio-born wife Martha and their four children. He died in Aspen on 22 April 1887 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

FISH, WARREN K. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Warren K. Fish was living in Appleton, Wisconsin when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 28 June 1861. He was mustered into E Company of the 6th Wisconsin Infantry at Camp Randall in Madison. The company was attached to the Army of the Potomac throughout most of its three years of service. Fish was wounded on 28 August 1862 at Gainesville, Virginia while participating in the Second Bull Run campaign (the unit served for several months as part of the Army of Virginia). He was finally discharged for disability on 15 August 1863. Fish died in Aspen in November 1889 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

FITZGERALD, ROBERT (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Robert Fitzgerald was born in Canada and was living in Grafton, Illinois when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 3 September 1864. On 7 September he was mustered into B Company of the 144th Illinois Infantry at Alton. The company was assigned to the District of St. Louis and Fitzgerald was promoted to sergeant during his short service. The unit saw just one year of service, during which the only losses were due to disease and accidents. Fitzgerald was mustered out on 14 July 1865, along with the rest of B Company. He was living in Emma, Colorado by the early 1890s, where he was single and working as a laborer. Fitzgerald died on 14 January 1891 of pneumonia at the age of 60 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery two days later.

FOGG, WILLIAM H. (Civil War veteran - unmarked grave)

William H. Fogg was living in Greenville, Maine (at the age of 22 years) when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 21 December 1861. He was mustered into the Maine 4th Light Artillery Battery. The company served initially with the Military District of Washington, and then with the Army of Virginia, Army of the Potomac, Middle Department, and finally with the Army of the Potomac. Fogg was discharged on 23 March 1863 for unknown reasons. He died in an Aspen-area avalanche on 17 February 1897 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery after his body was recovered on May 9.

GIBSON, JOHN G. (grave located)

John G. Gibson was born in 1857 and died in 1888.

GLASSER, ARTHUR BENNETT (grave located)

Arthur Bennett Glasser was born in 1885 and died in 1888.

GOLDIE, THOMAS (unmarked grave)

Thomas Goldie was born around 1885 and died on 29 August 1886 at the age of 8 months.

GREEN, THOMAS (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)

HADLEY, SAMUEL S. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Samuel S. Hadley was born in Ohio on 25 January 1845 and was living in Richmond, Indiana when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 7 September 1864. He was mustered into H Company of the 140th Indiana Infantry. During his ten months of active service, Hadley received a promotion to Quarter Master Sergeant before being mustered out on 11 July 1865 at Greensboro, North Carolina. Company H initially served with the Military Division of the Mississippi guarding the Nashville & Chattanooga Railroad (a vital Confederate supply line that had been captured by Union forces one year earlier), and then served with the Army of Ohio and the Department of North Carolina through the war's end. By 1885, Hadley was living in Aspen with his wife and son (both born in Indiana), and working as a real estate broker. He died on 26 August 1890 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

HEALY, JOHN (unmarked grave)

John Healy died in Aspen at the age of 83 on 4 April 1926. According to the burial certificate, he died of chronic interstitial nephritis. It appears that he was indigent and was buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

HIATT, FANNIE B. (grave located - buried with the Morgan family)

Fannie B. Hiatt was born in 1876 and died in 1919.

HUTCHINSON, CHARLES (unmarked grave)

Charles Hutchinson was born in Pennsylvania around 1850. He lived as a single man, working as a farmer in the Aspen area by the early 1900s. Hutchinson died of pneumonia at the Citizens Hospital in Aspen at the age of approximately 55 on 13 September 1906. Five days later he was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

JAMISON, JACQUELINE (grave located)

Jacqueline Jamison was born in late 1887 or early 1888 to Thomas and Lizzie Jamison. Her parents were married in 1885 (probably in Aspen) and her father, Thomas, worked as a miner. Lizzie, who was born in Scotland, worked as a laundress. Jacqueline died in 1892 at the age of 4 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

JONES, FRANCIS DEACON (Civil War veteran - unmarked grave)

Francis Deacon Jones was born in July 1843 in Georgia. He enlisted in the Union Army on 15 July 1864 and served in the Civil War as a cook in Company A of the 109th U.S. Colored Infantry. He was mustered out on 6 February 1866. In 1881, an *Aspen Times* article (28 May) mentioned that "Brother Jones" would be leading a prayer meeting for all of the colored people in Aspen. This is likely to have been the same "Deacon" Jones that is buried in the cemetery. By 1900, Jones was single, living in Aspen, and working in a restaurant. He died on 5 January 1919 and is the only African-American known to be buried in the Ute Cemetery.

JORDAN, JOHN (grave located)

John Jordan was born in Ireland in 1850. He worked in Aspen as a miner and died there in 1910.

JORDAN, MARY C. (grave located)

Mary C. Jordan was born in Ireland in 1859 and died in Aspen in 1928.

JORDAN, WILLIAM (grave located)

William Jordan was born in Ireland in 1806. By 1885, he was widowed, retired and living in Aspen with four of his adult children. He died in Aspen the following year.

JORDAN, WILLIAM (grave located)

William Jordan was born in Ireland in 1848. He worked in Aspen as a miner and died there in 1908.

JORDAN, ANNA (grave located)

Anna Jordan was born in Ireland in 1864. She worked as a housewife and died in Aspen in 1887.

KIRBY, COLONEL (unmarked grave - exhumed)

"Colonel" Kirby was the first person buried at Ute Cemetery after crossing over Red Mountain trail into Aspen and dying there in June 1880 of what was termed "Mountain Fever." (This vague diagnosis could have meant tick fever or altitude sickness.) His

body was exhumed on 31 July 1881 and sent to Hempstead, Texas, his boyhood home, for reburial. (see attached Kirby Family History)

KRUSE, GOTTFRIED (grave located)

Gottfried Kruse was born in Germany in 1845 and was living in Aspen by 1885 with his wife Rosean (also known as Rosa) and their daughter Rosa, who was a student (she was born in Illinois). While Gottfried worked as a blacksmith, Rosean was employed as a housewife. Gottfried died in 1936 and was buried in Ute Cemetery next to his wife, who had died fifty years earlier.

KRUSE, ROSEAN (grave located)

Rosean (also known as Rosa) Kruse was born in Illinois in 1849 and was living in Aspen by 1885 with her husband Gottfried and their daughter Rosa, who was a student (also born in Illinois). While Gottfried worked as a blacksmith, Rosean was employed as a housewife. She died in Aspen in 1886 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

LAUGHLIN, LAURENCE (No biographical information located - grave located - buried with the Walsh family)

LAYTON, MILBY (unmarked grave)

Milby Layton was born in Kansas in 1889. It is not known when he arrived in Aspen. Layton died of scarlet fever at the age of 4 on 14 June 1894 and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

LEE, JASON B. (Civil War veteran - unmarked grave)

Jason B. Lee was born in Canada and enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 28 September 1864. He was mustered into H Company of the 8th Iowa Infantry. The company served initially with the Army of West Tennessee, and then with the District of St. Louis, the Department of the Tennessee, and finally the Army of the Gulf. Lee was mustered out on 21 July 1865 at Montgomery, Alabama. By 1885, he was single, living in the Aspen area, and working as a ranchman. Lee died in Aspen on 22 November 1891.

MARSHALL, GEORGE (Civil War veteran - grave located)

George Marshall enlisted in the Union Army on 1 November 1862 and was mustered into the 3rd Michigan Infantry. Marshall was mustered out on 1 November 1863. He arrived in Aspen around 1880 and worked there as a miner. Marshall died on 11 March 1884 at the age of about 40 in an avalanche that buried the Vallejo Mine on Aspen Mountain.

MATTISON, HENRY K. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Henry K. Mattison enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 11 March 1865 at Syracuse, New York at the age of 30. He was mustered into E Company of the 193rd New York Infantry at Albany. During the unit's ten months of service, Mattison received two promotions to 1st Sergeant and Captain, before being mustered out on 18 January 1866 at Harper's Ferry, West Virginia. Mattison died in Aspen on 10 March 1885 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

MCCAUGAN (No biographical information located - baby - unmarked grave)

MCFADDEN, JOHN (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John McFadden enlisted in the Union Army as a 2nd Lieutenant on 23 November 1862, and was commissioned into K Company of the 178th Pennsylvania Infantry at Camp Curtin in Harrisburg. During his less than one year of active service, McFadden

received a promotion to 1st Lieutenant before being mustered out on 27 August 1863 at Harrisburg. Company K initially served with the Department of Virginia, and then with the Army of the Potomac. John McFadden died on 4 February 1894 and was buried in the Ute Cemetery.

McFARLANE, MALCOLM (unmarked grave)

Malcolm McFarlane died in Aspen at the age of 81 on 18 January 1923. According to the burial certificate, he died of internal injuries caused by a fall from the roof of a building. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

MEGINITY, JOHN B. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John Meginity enlisted in the Union Army on 16 August 1862 during the Kentucky-Tennessee Campaign. He was mustered into A Company of the 7th Kentucky Cavalry. He was mustered out on 10 July 1865. Meginity worked in Aspen as a miner. He died on 11 March 1884 in an avalanche that buried the Vallejo Mine on Aspen Mountain, leaving behind a wife and children.

MILLS, JOHN A. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John A. Mills was living in Dawson, Illinois when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 25 July 1862. On 18 September he was mustered into I Company of the 114th Illinois Infantry at Camp Butler in Springfield. The company was attached to the Army of West Tennessee and then the Army of the Tennessee throughout the period from 1862 to 1864, after which it was attached to the Department of the Cumberland and then the Army of the Gulf until the end of the war. Mills was mustered out on 3 August 1865 at Vicksburg, Mississippi. John Mills died in Aspen on 17 November 1895 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

MITCHELL, HUGH L. (grave located)

Hugh L. Mitchell was born in 1848 and died on 14 December 1882 in Aspen at the age of 34. His is the oldest identified grave in the Ute Cemetery, marked by one of the finest examples of late 1800s cemetery stonework found there.

MOONEY, THOMAS (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Thomas Mooney was living in Brodhead, Wisconsin when he enlisted in the Union Army as a corporal on 27 November 1861. He was mustered into B Company of the 18th Wisconsin Infantry at Camp Trowbridge in Milwaukee. The company was attached to the Army of West Tennessee and then the Army of the Tennessee for most of its service through the end of the war. Mooney was mustered out on 18 July 1865 at Louisville, Kentucky. It is not known what he was doing in Aspen or when he died.

MORGAN, GEORGE B. (No biographical information located - grave located)

MORGAN, JOSEPH CHARLTON (unmarked grave)

Joseph Charlton Morgan was born in Aspen in 1889. He died of diphtheria at the age of 3 on 31 October 1892 and was buried that same day at the Ute Cemetery.

MORGAN, MALISA A. (No biographical information located - grave located)

MORGAN, WILLIAM J. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

William J. Morgan enlisted in the Union Army on 11 June 1861. He was mustered into Company E of the 1st Tennessee Infantry. Morgan was mustered out on 15 January 1865. He died in Aspen on 23 November 1900 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

NEVITT (baby, first name unknown - unmarked grave)

Baby Nevitt was born on 13 August 1905 in Aspen to Edward W. and Mabel (Nurenberg) Nevitt. She died of icterus (jaundice) complicated by an umbilical hemorrhage on 3 September 1905 at the age of 21 days.

NEVITT, LETTIE (grave located)

Lettie Nevitt was born around 1851 to S.L. and C.G. Nevitt. She died in Aspen on 7 March 1884 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

O'CONNELL, STEPHEN ALEXANDER (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)

O'KANE, FRANK (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Frank O'Kane was living in Highgate, Vermont when he enlisted in the Union Army as a musician on 4 January 1862. On 12 February he was mustered into F Company of the 7th Vermont Infantry at Rutland. The company was assigned to the Army of the Gulf throughout the war, participating in the capture and defense of New Orleans, and serving from its base in Pensacola, Florida throughout the conflict. O'Kane was mustered out on 14 March 1866 at Brownsville, Texas. By 1885, O'Kane was living alone in Aspen and working as a miner. He died there on 25 December 1885 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

OSTERHOUT, FRANK A. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Frank A. Osterhout enlisted in the Union Army on 8 July 1864 and was mustered into Company H of the 1st U.S. Veteran Engineers. He was mustered out on 26 September 1865. Osterhout died in Aspen on 9 April 1885 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

OVREN, FREDDIE (grave located)

Freddie Ovren was three years old when he died on 20 March 1886. His parents, E.M. and Emma, owned a book and stationery store in Aspen.

PENZ, JACQUELINE (grave located)

Jacqueline Penz was born in Aspen on 22 March 1897. She died of cholera at the age of 5 months on 8 September and was buried at the Ute Cemetery.

PHELPS (baby, first name unknown - unmarked grave)

Baby Phelps was born on 11 November 1907 in Aspen to Clarence and Clara Phelps. He died of complications resulting from premature birth after living just three hours and was buried at the Ute Cemetery the following day.

RATHBURN, STEVE F. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Steve Rathburn enlisted in the Union Army as a sergeant on 19 November 1861 and was mustered into E Company of the 96th New York Infantry. He was mustered out on 1 July 1865. Rathburn died in Aspen on 22 July 1898 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

ROBINS, FLORENCE (unmarked grave)

Florence Robins died in Aspen at the age of 93 on 25 January 1923. It appears that she was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

RODDY, JOHN (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John Roddy was born in Vermont in 1841 and was living in Duxbury when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 9 June 1861. He was mustered into D Company of the 2nd Vermont Infantry at Burlington. The company was initially attached to the Department of Northeastern Virginia, and then the Army of the Potomac and Army of the

Shenandoah through the end of the war. Roddy was injured during the heat of battle at Fredericksburg, Virginia on 13 December 1862. Yet he continued to fight on until being mustered out on 29 June 1864. John Roddy was in Aspen by 1885, where he lived alone and worked as a barber. By the late 1890s, he was widowed and working as a prospector. Roddy died on 6 March 1899, at the age of 59, of what was reported to be paralysis.

ROOT, CHARLES (unmarked grave)

Charles Root died in Aspen at the age of 65 on 19 June 1926. According to the burial certificate, he died of carcinoma of the right ear. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

ROSA, LINDO (unmarked grave)

Lindo Rosa was born on 19 September 1906 to parents Santo and Emma, both of them immigrants from Italy. He died in Aspen on 25 September 1907 at the age of 1 year as a result of gastroenteritis, and was buried at the Ute Cemetery the following day.

ROSE, JOHN (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John Rose was born in Iowa and enlisted in the Union Army on 17 September 1863. It is not known what unit he served with. He was mustered out on 10 December 1866. John Rose died in Aspen, probably on 19 January 1886, and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

SHAW, JOSEPH A. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Joseph A. Shaw was born in Canada in 1829. He enlisted in the Union Army as a sergeant on 15 August 1861 and was mustered into Company B of the 3rd Colorado Cavalry. It is very likely that Shaw participated in the Battle of Glorieta Pass in New Mexico and in the brutal Sand Creek Massacre, during which scores of Indians were ambushed and killed on the eastern plains of Colorado on 29 November 1864. Shaw was mustered out one month later on 28 December 1864. He died in Aspen on 25 October 1885 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

SHEDAKER, MIGNON (grave located)

Mignon Shedaker was born in the spring of 1887 to A. and F.D. Shedaker and died on 9 July 1888.

SHUSTERICH, PETER (unmarked grave)

Peter Shusterich died in Aspen at the age of about 60 on 28 November 1926. According to the burial certificate, he perished in a burning building. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

SIMPSON, THOMAS A. (grave located)

Thomas A. Simpson was born on 22 August 1935 and died in Aspen on 16 March 1971 at the age of thirty five.

SLOAN, JOHN (Civil War veteran - grave located)

John Sloan was living in Paola, Kansas when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 9 December 1861. He was mustered into G Company of the 2nd Kansas Cavalry at Fort Leavenworth. The cavalry unit was assigned to various armies during its more than four years of service, including the Department of Kansas, Army of the Frontier, Department of Missouri, District of the Frontier, and the Department of Arkansas. Sloan was mustered out on 13 January 1865 at Leavenworth. John Sloan died in Aspen on 16 July 1892 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

STARNE, MCLANE (Civil War veteran - grave located)

McLane Starne was born in Indiana in 1840. He enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 18 August 1862 and was mustered into Company M of the 6th Indiana Cavalry. Starne was discharged on 15 September 1865. He died in Aspen on 2 June 1896 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

STEALY, JOHN (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)

STIGA, WILLIAM (Civil War veteran - grave located)

William Stiga was born in Germany and was living in Galena, Illinois when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 5 April 1862. He was mustered into G Company of the 65th Illinois Infantry at Camp Douglas in Chicago. The company was assigned to various armies during the course of the war, including the Mountain Department, Middle Department (captured at Harper's Ferry), Army of Ohio, and Department of North Carolina. Stiga was discharged for disability on 6 May 1865, two months before the company was mustered out of service. He was in Aspen by 1885, living as a single man and working as a prospector. Stiga died in Aspen on 26 November 1888 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

STROMBECK, AXEL (unmarked grave)

Axel Strombeck died in Aspen at the age of about 50 on 22 March 1923. According to the burial certificate, he was burned to death in his cabin. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

TANFIELD, JAMES W. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

James W. Tanfield was born in England and enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 21 March 1863. He was mustered into K Company of the 1st California Cavalry. After more than two years with this unit, he was discharged for promotion on 19 July 1865. Tanfield was then commissioned as a 1st Lieutenant and Adjutant in the Field & Staff unit (Company B) of the 1st New Mexico Cavalry that same day. He was mustered out on 5 January 1870. Tanfield died in Aspen on 22 June 1888 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

THOMAS, JOHN (grave located)

John Thomas was born in Castle Swansea, South Wales. He appears to have been in the Aspen area by 1885, where he owned and worked a ranch outside of town. Thomas died on 20 August 1888 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

TONEFF, GEORGE (unmarked grave)

George Toneff, a resident of Denver, died in Aspen at the age of about 40 on 10 September 1922. According to the burial certificate, he was stabbed to death by Joe Miller at the road camp at Callicotte's Lake. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

TROWBRIDGE, SAMUEL (unmarked grave)

Samuel Trowbridge died in Aspen at the age of 74 on 2 August 1925. According to the burial certificate, he died of chronic interstitial nephritis. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

VANDERGRIFF, CHARLES (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Charles Vandergriff was born in Pennsylvania and was evidently living in Wisconsin when he enlisted in the Union Army on 29 June 1861. He was mustered into I Company of the 3rd Wisconsin Infantry. He was mustered out on 15 July 1864. Vandergriff was married and in Aspen by 1884, where he worked as a miner. He died of pneumonia in Aspen on 23 June 1885 and was buried at Ute Cemetery.

VOGEL, GEORGE (grave located)

George Vogel was born in Germany on 13 October 1853. By 1885, he was living in Aspen, where he resided with several single roommates working in the mining industry. Vogel died on 23 April 1887 and was buried in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, JAMES F. (grave located)

James F. Walsh was born in Aspen in 1890 to Irish-immigrant parents William and Kate. James died in 1915 and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, JOSEPH P. (grave located)

Joseph P. Walsh was born in Aspen in 1890 to Irish-immigrant parents William and Kate. Joseph died in 1904 and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, KATE (grave located)

Kate Walsh was born in Ireland in 1861. She married William Walsh around 1883, and by 1885 the two had settled in Aspen with their young children Katie and William, both of whom had been born in Colorado. They went on to have eight more children, including Laurence, Joseph, James and Mary, all of whom were born in Aspen and buried in the same family plot with their parents. In 1885, her husband worked as a miner and Kate was employed as a housewife. She died in 1955 and was buried in the family plot. Kate Walsh was one of the last people buried in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, LAURENCE (grave located)

Laurence Walsh was born in Aspen in 1886 to Irish-immigrant parents William and Kate. He died that same year and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, MARY C. (grave located)

Mary C. Walsh was born in Aspen in 1892 to Irish-immigrant parents William and Kate. She died in 1912 and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH, WILLIAM (grave located)

William Walsh was born in Ireland in 1854 and immigrated to the U.S. in 1879. He married his wife Kate around 1883, and by 1885 the two had settled in Aspen with their young children Katie and William, both of whom had been born in Colorado. They went on to have eight more children, including Laurence, Joseph, James and Mary, all of whom were born in Aspen and buried in the same family plot with their parents. In 1885, he worked as a miner and Kate was employed as a housewife. By 1890, William Walsh was no longer working in the mines and had become a town marshal. He died in Aspen in 1920 and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WALSH-MARTIN, KATIE E. (grave located)

Katie E. Walsh-Martin was born in Aspen in 1883 to Irish-immigrant parents William and Kate. She died in 1914 and was buried in the family plot in Ute Cemetery.

WARNER, WILLIAM A. (grave located)

William Warner was born on 4 July 1869 and died on 18 September 1889.

WEBB, JOHN (unmarked grave)

John Webb died in Aspen on 30 June 1925 at the age of about 75. According to the burial permit, the cause of death was listed as myocardia and acute dilatation. It appears that he was indigent and buried in Ute Cemetery at community expense.

WEST, CALVIN D. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Calvin D. West was born in Illinois and was living in Aspen by 1885, where he was single and working as a harness maker. He died in Aspen on 26 January 1887 and was buried at Ute Cemetery.

WIGGINS, MARVIN H. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

Marvin H. Wiggins was living in Baraboo, Wisconsin when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 14 August 1862. He was mustered into F Company of the 23rd Wisconsin Infantry at Camp Randall in Madison. During Wiggins' service, the company was assigned to various armies, including the Army of Ohio, the Army of West Tennessee, Sherman's Yazoo Expedition, and the Department of the Tennessee. Wiggins was discharged for disability on 8 August 1863. He died in Aspen on 12 October 1895 at the age of 62 as a result of a tumor.

WOODRUFF, J.G. (Civil War veteran - grave located)

James G. Woodruff was living in Ohio City, Kansas when he enlisted in the Union Army as a private on 31 July 1861. He was mustered into I Company of the 10th Kansas Infantry at Paola. The company was initially attached to the Department of Kansas, and then the Army of the Frontier, the District of Rolla, Missouri, the District of St. Louis, the Department of Cumberland, and finally the Army of the Gulf through the end of the war. Woodruff was mustered out on 19 August 1864. Nothing is known of his time in Aspen.

YEBRO, FORENZO (No biographical information located - unmarked grave)