

Individual Narrative of Elizabeth⁶ Leverich [61] Daughter of William⁵ Leverich [18] and Dorothy Morse Wife of James Van Alst Hedenberg

Elizabeth Leverich^{1,2,3,4} was born on 23 Mar 1765 at Newtown, Queens County, New York, the daughter of William Leverich and Dorothy Morse. The birth date is a calculated date based upon her age at the time of death, as recorded in a family bible, as well as her burial record. The family bible entry cites the following epitaph: "The memory of the just is blessed" (Proverbs 10:7).^{5,6,7}

Elizabeth Leverich married James Van Alst Hedenberg, son of John Charles Hedenberg and Jane Van Alst, on 26 Apr 1789 at Newtown, Queens, New York. The source of the marriage date is a family bible. No church record of the marriage has been found.⁸

James Hedenberg was born in New York City (Manhattan, New York Co, NY) on 20 February 1767, according to a family bible record.⁹

Emma Selena Hedenberg Littell (1825-1900) was the author of an account entitled *A Reminiscence of Revolutionary Times in New York City, as related by James Van Alst Hedenberg, to his granddaughter, Emma S. H. Littell of Newark, New Jersey, of the Hannah Benedict Carter Chapter, NSDAR.*¹⁰

Mrs. Littell recounts that "James V. A. Hedenberg was the second son of Captain John Charles Hedenberg and Jane Van Alst ... and well remembered his early home and the troublous times of 1776 ... Captain John C. Hedenberg was a mariner, commanding a sailing vessel, and was often absent from his home for many months at a time, but in the year 1768, he, with his ship and all on board, was lost at sea, and nothing ever was heard of them. He was in the 37th year of his age.¹¹ "The first home of Capt. Hedenberg and his family in New York was in Water Street. It had a green lawn in front of the house, down to the water's edge. The eldest son Charles was born there, but as it was too lonesome a place for the young wife and mother, Capt. H. bought another home for them in Maiden Lane, which was in the center of the city. This house stood on the south side of Maiden Lane, back from the street, with a small yard in front and about half a block from Broadway. In this house the second son was born the year before his father was lost at sea.¹²

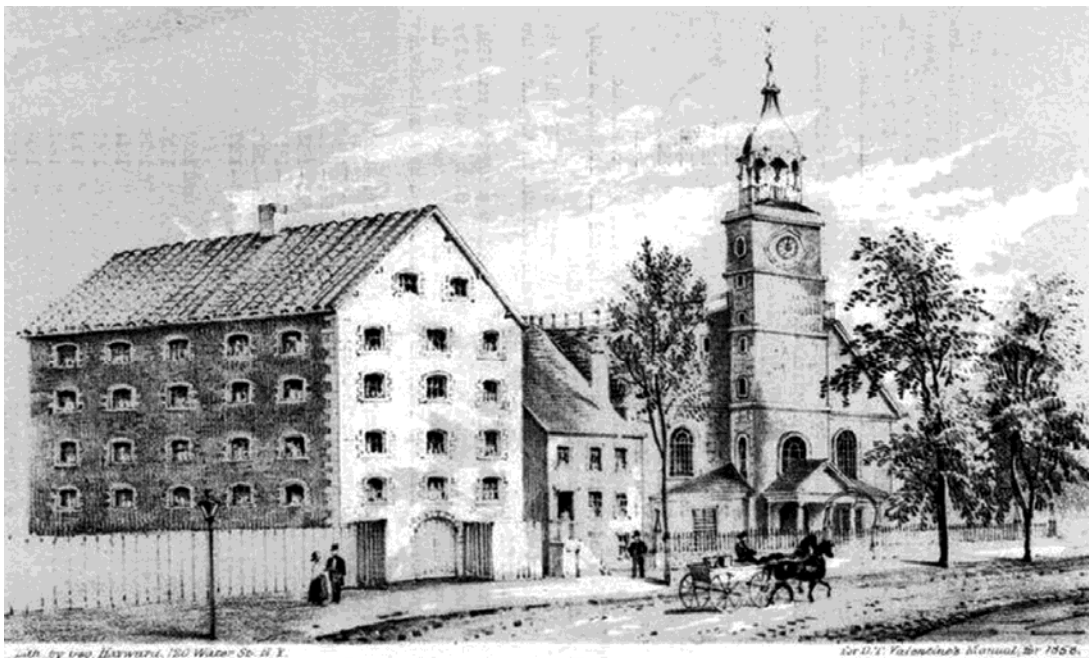


**1776 Map of Lower Manhattan drawn by Major Holland
(via Library of Congress)
Home of Capt. John Charles Hedenberg
Maiden Lane, south side, about half a block from Broadway**

"This house was quite near to the *old sugar house prison* in Crown Street, now called Liberty Street, where the British would imprison American soldiers, whenever they could capture them. Our mother was very kind to the prisoners, and every morning she would send us to the sugar house with pails of hot coffee for them, and as many other articles of food as we could carry.¹³

"Every evening my mother would put up quilts to the windows of the sitting room, to exclude all the light from the outside, for if the Tories saw the least glimmer of light in the house after nine o'clock, they would come to the door and order out all the lights. After this precaution we would proceed to our evening work, and while my mother would sew, we boys would cut out night caps for the prisoners, on this table [upon which these lines are written] from a pattern which she had taught us to use. Midnight would often find my mother sewing upon them. They were made out of very thick flannel as the sugar house was very cold and damp.¹⁴

"Hundreds of the wretched prisoners died in the prison from ill treatment, privation, and disease, and often we and other boys would follow the dead carts as they passed up Broadway to the trenches where they were thrown in. None ever had a coffin, but were buried in the clothes they wore when they died. Some dirt was thrown over them, but not enough to cover the bodies as feet and hands would protrude until the next load would be thrown upon them. The trenches were in the outskirts of the city, but all were below where Grand Street is now.¹⁵



The Livingston sugar house on Liberty Street in Manhattan once detained 400 to 500 American prisoners

"Across Broadway at Canal Street stood a post and rail fence where we and other boys used to drive up the cows to pasture in the lots, as it was called, and at evening we had to drive them home to Maiden Lane, and always had to take down the rails and put them back again every time."¹⁶

James Hedenberg is recorded as a head of household in the 1790 U.S. Census at Newtown, Queens Co, New York. The household includes 1 free white male under the age of 16 (James L. Hedenberg), one free white male over the age of 16 (James V. Hedenberg), and 1 free white female (Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg).¹⁷ From 1795 to 1810, James Hedenberg served as a Constable for the Town of Newtown.¹⁸

James Hedenberg is recorded as a head of household in the 1800 U.S. Census at Newtown. The household includes 4 males under age 10 (James L, John C, William L, Jesse L), 1 male age 26-44 (James V), 1 female age 26-44 (Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg) and 1 slave.¹⁹

On 5 April 1802 James Hedenberg, tailor of Newtown and his wife Elizabeth sold land at Newtown to William Leverich Sr. in consideration of \$1,000. The land consisted of house, barn, and orchard on 3 acres at Trains Meadow, bounded northerly and northeasterly by the road leading around Trains Meadow, westerly, southerly and easterly by the land of Sackett and Richard Leverich, and the land of Anthony Barclay. The sale also included 2 acres on the opposite side of the road, 1 acre of salt meadow at Flushing Creek, and 1 acre of land bordering Jesse Leverich. The deed was witnessed by Benjamin Coe and William Underhill, and was recorded on 20 April 1802.²⁰



c 1802-1822 Approximate Location of James Hedenberg and Elizabeth Leverich Homestead, about 5 acres
 <James Riker 1852 Map of Newtown>

Jane Palmer Hedenberg, daughter of James and Elizabeth Hedenberg, died on 14 September 1805, age 9 months 11 days, and was buried at the Leverich Family Burial Ground at Trains Meadow.²¹

James Hedenberg is recorded as a head of household in the 1810 U.S. Census at Newtown. The household includes 3 males under age 10 (David, Richard, Abram), 2 males age 10 to 15 (Jesse, Edward), 1 male age 26-44 (James V), and 1 female age 26-44 (Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg).²²

On 18 January 1811, James Hedenberg witnessed the will of his brother-in-law James Leverich at Newtown.²³ From 1812 to 1813, James Hedenberg served as a Constable for the Town of Newtown.²⁴

James Riker, in the *Annals of Newtown*, records the following events. "It was not until the year 1815 that the arrears which had been accumulating on Newtown's patent since 1783 were liquidated. In the above year, notice was given ... authorizing the sale of public land at Newtown by the State Comptroller at Albany ... Steps were immediately taken at a special meeting of the people of Newtown, on 19 August 1815, to arrest this measure, and cancel the arrears of quit rent. James Hedenberg, as the town's agent, proceeded to Albany and obtained a postponement of the sale, and a few days after, to wit, on Nov. 22, 1815, the same person paid into the hand of the comptroller ... the sum of \$347.81, and the town was released from all further demand on the score of quit rent."²⁵

William Leverich Hedenberg, son of James and Elizabeth Hedenberg, died on 14 September 1817, age 23 years, 14 days at Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia. He was buried at the Leverich Family Burial Ground at Trains Meadow.²⁶

Charles Hedenberg, elder brother of James Van Alst Hedenberg, made a will dated 25 November 1817, which was proved in Essex County, New Jersey 6 April 1818. Charles names sons John Charles Hedenberg and James Van Alst Hedenberg, who were therefore the nephews of James Van Alst Hedenberg who married Elizabeth Leverich. Since the latter James also had sons James and John Charles, there were two sets of first cousins with the same given names.²⁷

The following public notice was published on 28 July 1818 in the New Jersey Journal. "The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Hedenberg and Riker, was dissolved on the 21st of July, by mutual consent. All business relative to the said firm, will be attended to by James V. Hedenberg, who continues at the same place, and who is authorized to settle the business of said firm". James V. Hedenberg and Jacob Riker. Elizabeth Town July 27, 1818. There were two James V. Hedenberg's living in the area at that time: James V. Hedenberg, husband of Elizabeth Leverich, and his nephew who was the son of his older brother John Charles Hedenberg. However, the nephew would only have been age 22 in 1818, so it is more likely that this James V. Hedenberg was the uncle and not the nephew.²⁸

Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg died on 31 Aug 1819 at Newtown, Queens, New York, age 54 years, 5 months, and 3 days. She was buried at the Leverich Family Burial Ground in Newtown. Her date of death is also recorded in a family bible, and memorialized on a monument at the Mt Pleasant Cemetery in Newark, Essex County, New York.^{29,30,31}

James Hedenberg is recorded as a head of household in the 1820 U.S. Census at Newtown. The household includes 2 males age 10 to 15 (Richard and Abram), 1 male age 45 and over (James Sr), and 1 female age 45 (unidentified, wife Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg had died in 1819).³²

The following notice was published in the *New York Daily Advertiser* on 1 September 1821. "James Hedenberg, one of the coroners for Queens county, was called on the 25 inst. to view the body of a young man who had hung himself at Newtown in said county." The young man is described, but not identified by name.³³

On 1 May 1822, James Hedenberg sold land at Newtown to John Payntar in consideration of \$1,250. The property description closely matches that of the 1802 deed when James sold land to William Leverich Sr. This suggests that at some time after 1802, James regained title to the land, although a record of the transaction is not found recorded. The small size of the lot (5 acres) is consistent with James making his primary living as a tradesman, i.e. a tailor, rather than a farmer. The property description is also consistent with the neighbors of James found in the 1820 Census, i.e. Henry Barclay and Richard Leverich. The 1822 sale date also suggests a probable time frame for the family's relocation to Newark, New Jersey, where the family is found in the 1830 Census.^{34,35,36}

Nathaniel Lawrence				1			1			1			3
Richard Lane													1
46A Benjamin Goulette	1				1		2				1		1
William Johnston													1
Peter, son													1
Jepp Leverich				1			1		2	1	1		4
John Cole													1
Henry Barclay				1						1	1		3
James Hedenburg	2						1				1		2
Richard Leverich				1			1				1		3
	18	10	1	20	20	20	23	10	27	20	26	1	86

James Hedenberg: 1820 U.S. Census, Newtown, Queens County, New York
 <Ancestry.com>

In a deed dated 3 November 1827, James Hedenberg (father) was the grantor to James L. Hedenberg (son), grantee, in consideration of \$148.00, a lot bordering southerly side of Hamilton Street near Mulberry St and the First Presbyterian Church in Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. On 7 October 1828, James Hedenberg reacquires the property in a Sheriff's sale, then sells the lot to James M. Miller in a deed dated 6 January 1830. On 14 January 1832 James L. Hedenberg sells a neighboring lot, northerly side of Hamilton St near Mulberry St and the First Presbyterian Church to James M. Miller for \$1.00.³⁷

James Hedenberg is not found in the 1830 Census of Newtown, Queens County, New York. Three of James' sons, James L, John C, and Edward, are recorded as heads of household in the 1830 Census, Newark, Essex County, New Jersey. James Sr may have been living with one of his sons, then being age 63, but the census tallies for each of the three sons do not confirm this. A "James Hedden" is listed as a head of household in Newark in 1830, and may actually have been James Hedenberg. However, again, the census tally does not confirm this, although a male age 70 to 79, is included in the household. However, the 1835 Newark City Directory includes a listing for a James Hedden, blacksmith.^{38,39}

On 21 July 1831, a citation regarding the probate of the estate of William Leverich of Newtown (brother of Elizabeth Leverich Hedenberg) was published in the *Long Island Farmer and Queens County Advertiser*. Among others, the citation is addressed to Abraham Divine Hedenberg of Augusta, Georgia, John Charles Hedenberg, Edward Leverich Hedenberg, and Richard Leverich Hedenberg, all of Newark, New Jersey.⁴⁰

Further probate proceedings, i.e. a list of heirs cited in 1831, includes John Charles Hedenberg, Edward Leverich Hedenberg, and Richard Leverich Hedenberg, all of Newark, NJ; James L. Hedenberg of Manhattan, New York Co, NY; David Johnson Hedenberg of Troy, Rensselaer Co, NY; and Abraham Divine Hedenberg of Augusta, Georgia.⁴¹

An 1841 list of heirs, at the time of the estate's final settlement, included Edward L. and John C. of Newark, David J. (no location given), Richard L of Ithaca, Thompkins Co, NY; James L and Abram D., both of Houston, Texas.⁴²

The following article appeared in the *Newark Daily Advertiser* on 11 April 1834. "At a meeting of the Independent Republicans of the East Ward, held at B. Day's on Thursday evening, April 10, 1834 ... the following ticket for Ward Officers was appointed, viz ... Collector and Overseer of the Poor, James Hedenberg."⁴³

The 1835-1836 Newark City Directory includes only two Hedenberg listings. J.C. Hedenberg, a coach manufacturer Broad corner Mechanic and union works foot of Inclined Plane, was living in Orange. Also listed was his first cousin Abraham Hedenberg, a coach trimmer, living at 78 Halsey.⁴⁴

James Hedenberger is listed in the 1838-1839 Newark City Directory living at Mulberry near Clinton. Also listed is his son Richard L. Hedenberg, coach maker living at 66 Mulberry. J.C. Hedenberg, coach manufacturer Union Works foot of inclined plan, is living at 364 High. There is a listing for Hedenberg, Mitchell & Co, carriages office 300 Broad. This partnership, which was dissolved 1 December 1838, included Abram D. Hedenberg and James Mitchell. Abram's namesake and first cousin Abram Hedenberg, is listed in the harness business at 151 Market, living at 78 Halsey.^{45,46} John C. Hedenberg and Edward L. Hedenberg are recorded as heads of household in the 1840 U.S. Census of Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. The 1840 Newark City Directory lists James Hedenberg living at the same address as his son John C., i.e. 364 High Street. The census tallies for John C. Hedenberg do not show a male of James' age, but do record 2 persons engaged in Manufacture and Trade.^{47,48}

James Hedenberg is listed in the 1840-1841 Newark City Directory, living at 364 High St, also the residence of his son J. C. Hedenberg. Son Edward L. Hedenberg, coach maker, is listed at 66 Mulberry Street, James' nephew Abram, harness business, is listed at 78 Halsey.⁴⁹

On 18 June 1840, letters of administration on the estate of Cornelia Duryee Leverich were granted in New York County Surrogate Court to James Hedenberg and Joseph W. Duryee. James Hedenberg was brother-in-law to Cornelia's late husband William Leverich, the husband of his sister Elizabeth. Joseph Woodward Duryee was a nephew of Cornelia, the son of her brother Abraham Duryee, and the husband of Cornelia Leverich, daughter of James Leverich, a brother of William Leverich.^{50,51}

The following notice of litigation was published in the *Newark Daily Advertiser* on 16 December 1840. In Chancery of New Jersey, between Abraham W. Kinney, Complainant and John C. Hedenberg and Telazeal his wife, et al defendants ... including David J. Hedenberg and James Hedenberg ... on a bill to foreclose.⁵²

The following advertisement was published in the *Newark Daily Advertiser* on 10 December 1841. "GRAIN--The highest market price will be paid for all kinds of grain at Hedenberg's Mill, Morris Canal Inclined Plane, Newark, N.J. James Hedenberg."⁵³

The 1850 U.S. Census records James Hedenberg living in the household of R. L. Hedenberg in the East Ward of Newark, Essex County, New Jersey. The record lists James as age 83, born in New York, a tailor. John C. Hedenberg, age 60, and James Hedenberg, age 63, are recorded as merchants in the 1850 Census of Sacramento, California. Edward L. Hedenberg is recorded in Newark, while David J. Hedenberg is recorded in Ward 1 of Troy, Rensselaer County, New York.^{54,55,56} The 1851-1852 Newark City Directory lists both James Hedenberg and his son Richard L. Hedenberg, coach manufacturer, living at 94 Commerce St. Edward L. Hedenberg of the firm of Hedenberg & Little, light carriage manufacturer at 210 Market St, is listed living at 66 Mulberry St.⁵⁷



City of Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey 1853

- A: 364 High St, John C. Hedenberg; B: Hedenberg Works, foot of Inclined Plane**
- C: 78 Halsey St, Abram Hedenberg; D: 66 Mulberry St, Edward L. Hedenberg;**
- E: 94 Commerce St, Richard L. Hedenberg**

James Hedenberg died at Newark, New Jersey on 28 August 1855, age 88 years, six months, and 8 days according to a family bible.^{58,59,60} He was buried at the Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Newark, Section H, Lot 45.⁶¹

Elizabeth Leverich and James Van Alst Hedenberg had nine children, one of whom died in infancy, two of whom died as young adults.⁶²

- i. James L. Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 30 January 1790. He married Eliza M. Van Orden on 30 January 1812 at Manhattan, New York Co, New York. James died in February 1862 at Bastrop, Bastrop Co, Texas.^{63,64}
- ii. John Charles Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 2 May 1792. He married for the first time Sarah Campfield on 15 February 1816 at Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. He married for the second time Telazeale LaPrarie on 17 June 1829 at Newtown, Queens Co, New York. John died 31 December 1874 at Sacramento, Sacramento Co, California.^{65,66,67}
- iii. William Leverich Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 1 August 1794. He died unmarried 15 August 1817 at Augusta, Richmond Co, Georgia, according to a memorial monument at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. He was buried at the Leverich Family Burial Ground in Newtown.^{68,69}
- iv. Edward Leverich Hedenberg was born at Newtown 14 May 1797. He married Sarah Pierson Halsey on 3 October 1822 at Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. Edward died 14 October 1870 at Newark. Primary sources have not yet been identified for the birth date.^{70,71,72,73}
- v. Jesse Leverich Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 8 August 1799. He died unmarried on 16 May 1821, at Havana Cuba, according to a memorial monument at Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. The *Baldwin Family Tree* at Ancestry.com states that Jesse died at Havana, Ciego de Avila, Cuba. His brother John C. Hedenberg named a son born in 1821 "Jesse Charles Hedenberg."^{74,75,76}
- vi. David Johnson Hedenberg was born at Newtown 27 November 1802. He married for the first time Catherine Ann Ritchie about 1830 at Troy, Rensselaer Co, New York. He married for a second time Mrs. Martha A. Miles (born Graves, widow of John D. Miles) 16 April 1846 at Troy. David died 14 October 1878 at Troy.^{77,78,79}
- vii. Jane Palmer Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 3 December 1804. She died as an infant 14 September 1805, age 9 months 11 days. She was buried at the Leverich Family Burial Ground in Newtown.^{80,81}
- viii. Richard Leverich Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 3 or 23 December 1806. He married first Rebecca C. Pierson 25 November 1830 at Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey. He married second Gertrude O. Pierson 10 August 1837 at Newark. Richard died 23 April 1887, age 80 years 4 months, at Newark.^{82,83,84}
- ix. Abram Divine Hedenberg was born at Newtown on 7 March 1809. No record of a marriage has been found for Abram. He died 24 January 1871 at Natchez, Adams County, Mississippi.⁸⁵

Between 1826 and 1845, James Van Alst Hedenberg participated in eleven land transactions in Newark. See Deed Index Essex County, New Jersey.⁸⁶

Date	Grantee	Grantor	Liber Page
1826	Hedenberg, James	Bruen, James	W2 2
1827	Hedenberg, James L.	Hedenberg, James	Y2 180
1830	Spear, Jacob	Hedenberg, Charles, John C., James V.	E3 339
1832	Miller, James M.	Hedenberg, James	I3 548
1834	Hedenberg, James	Hedenberg, Edward L.	Q3 329
1834	Hedenberg, Edward L.	Hedenberg, James	Q3 330
1840	Hedenberg, James	Hedenberg, John C.	I5 481
1842	Roberts, William	Hedenberg, James	V5 146
1843	Hedenberg, John C.	Hedenberg, David J and James	X5 278
1843	Hedenberg, John C.	Hedenberg, David J. and James	X5 412
1845	Alling, Charles	Hedenberg, John C., James, and David J.	F6 400

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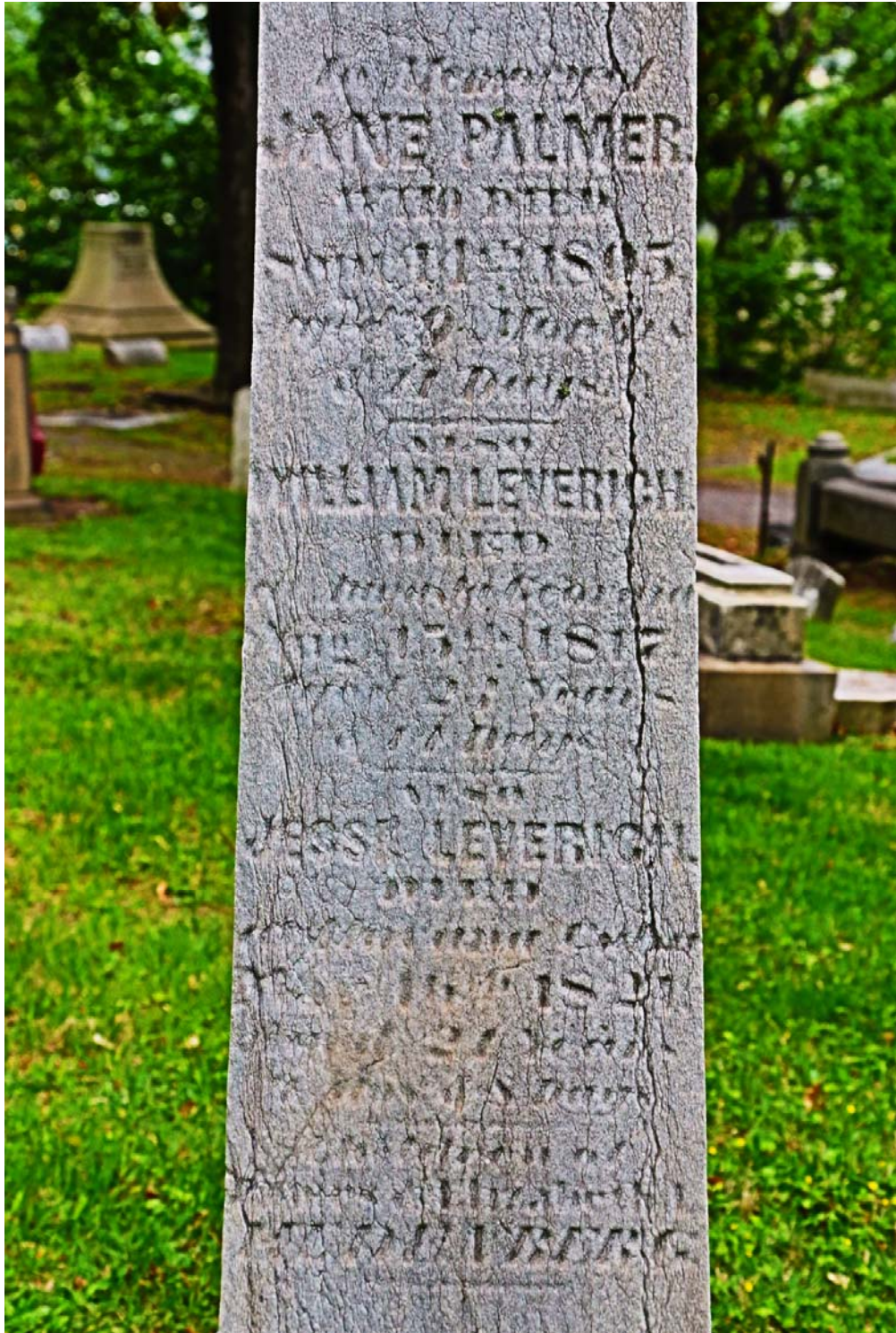
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