## Individual Narrative of Peter<sup>8</sup> Vandervoort Leverich [341] Son of Richard<sup>7</sup> Berrian Leverich [179] and Alletta Vandervoort

Peter Vandervoort Leverich was born on 5 August 1811 at Newtown, Queens County, New York.1

Peter Vandervoort Leverich married Ellen Anna Hamilton c 1853-1857.<sup>2,3,4,5</sup> The exact date and place of the marriage has not been found.

Ellen Anna Hamilton was born c 1834-1836 either in Ireland or New York. A specific date and place of birth has not been found. Ellen's parents have not been identified.<sup>6,7</sup>

Peter V. Leverich was recorded in the 1860 U.S. Census of Manhattan, Ward 20 District 7. His household included his wife "Anna", age 26 born Ireland, and his son William, age 5.8

Peter V. Leverich was recorded in the 1870 U.S. Census of Manhattan, Ward 20 District 5, New York County, New York. His household included his wife "Ellen", age 34 born New York, and his son William, age 15.9

It is possible that Peter had two marriages, the first to an Anna ( ? ) and the second to Ellen Hamilton, based upon the 1860 (Anna) and 1870 (Ellen) U.S. Censuses. No other documentation to support this theory has been found.

Peter V. Leverich was listed in the 1874 New York City Directory a foreman living at 307 Tenth Avenue. 10

Peter Vandervoort Leverich died on 23 Octoner 1875 at Manhattan, New York County, New York, at age 64.<sup>11,12</sup> The funeral was held from Peter's late residence 444 West 25th Street in Manhattan, New York County, New York.<sup>13</sup> Peter was buried at the Beechwoods Cemetery in New Rochelle, Westchester County, New York.<sup>14</sup>

Ellen Leverich, widow Peter, was listed in the 1876 Jersey City, New Jersey city directory living at 15 Brunswick. Ellen was listed in the 1877 Jersey City Directory living at 114 Railroad Avenue. Ellen was also listed in the 1877 New York City Directory living at 537 West 33rd. 15,16,17

Ellen Hamilton Leverich, widow of Peter, died after 1877, specific date and place unknown. 18

Peter Vandervoort Leverich and Ellen Anna Hamilton had one child, who survived to adulthood.

i. William George Leverich was born circa 1855 probably in Manhattan, New York County, New York. William married Margaret Kelly 26 March 1883 in Manhattan. William died 16 July 1892 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn. William was recorded in the 1860 and 1870 U.S. Censuses of New York County; 1880 Kent County, Michigan. 19,20,21,22,23,24,25

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