

**Individual Narrative of Richard⁸ Berrian Leverich Jr [340]
Son of Richard⁷ Berrian Leverich [179] and Alletta Vandervoort
Husband of Margaret M. Schoonmaker**

Richard Berrian Leverich Jr was born on 23 May 1809 at Newtown, Queens County, New York.¹ Richard was baptized 8 October 1809 at the Newtown Presbyterian Church.²

Richard B. Leverich married Margaret M. Schoonmaker on 25 June 1845 at Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. They were married at the Second Presbyterian Church.^{3,4}

Margaret Maria Schoonmaker was born 4 October 1817 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Margaret was the daughter of Nicholas Schoonmaker and Margaret Masterton.⁵

Richard B. Leverich, age 45 Merchant, was recorded in the 1850 U.S. Census of Brooklyn, Ward 4, Kings County, New York. His household included his wife Margaret, age 31; and children Margaret, age 4; and Frances, age 1. Richard's mother-in-law Margaret Schoonmaker, age 63, was also included in the household.⁶

Richard B. Leverich, age 50, Merchant was recorded in the 1860 U.S. Census of Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. His household included his wife Margaret, age 40; also his children Margaret M., age 14; Frances A., age 11; Theodore, age 9; Henry M., age 7; Gertrude, age 5; and Charles R., age 3.⁷

Richard Berrian Leverich, Jr died 3 November 1869 at Brooklyn, Kings County, New York.⁸ He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn.⁹

Margaret Leverich, age 50 widow, was recorded in the 1870 U.S. Census of Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. The household includes five of the six children, excepting Margaret M.¹⁰

Margaret Leverich, age 64, widow was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Saugerties, Ulster County, New York. Margaret was living alone and her occupation is given as housekeeper.¹¹

Margaret Leverich, widow filed a petition for probate of the estate of Richard B. Leverich on 23 November 1885 in the Kings County, New York Surrogate Court. In the petition, she names six children as heirs: Margaret M. Vanderveer; Frances Adelaid Ingraham; Theodore B. Leverich; Henry M. Leverich; Gertrude J. Ingraham; and Charles R. Leverich.¹²

Margaret M. Leverich died 16 August 1889 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. She was buried in Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn.¹³

Richard Berrian Leverich Jr and Margaret M. Schoonmaker had six children, all of whom survived to adulthood.

- i. Margaret M. Leverich was born 26 April 1846 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Margaret married David N. Vanderveer 28 April 1880 in Brooklyn. Margaret died 10 December 1926 in Tarrytown, Westchester County, New York. She may have been buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn; she also may have been buried at the Vale Cemetery in Schenectady, New York. Margaret was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Kings County, New York; 1900 and 1910 New York County, New York; 1920 Westchester County, New York.^{14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21}
- ii. Frances Adelaid Leverich was born 24 November 1849 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Frances married Daniel P. Ingraham 22 August 1875 in Brooklyn. Frances died 8 September 1934 in New Canaan, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Her burial place is unknown. Frances was recorded in the 1880, 1900, and 1910 U.S. Census of New York County, New York; 1920 Westchester County, New York; 1930 Fairfield County, Connecticut.^{22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
- iii. Theodore B. Leverich was born 9 May 1851 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Theodore married Caroline Topping 20 October 1880 place unknown. Theodore died 21 February 1905 in Bridgehampton, Suffolk County,

- New York. He was buried at Bridgehampton Cemetery. Theodore was recorded in the 1900 U.S. Census of Suffolk County.^{30,31,32}
- iv. Henry M. Leverich was born 17 May 1853 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Henry married Frances Pearce 22 October 1850 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Henry died 6 December 1923 in Brooklyn. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn. Henry was recorded in the 1900 U.S. Census of New York County, New York; 1910 Kings County, New York; 1920 Nassau County, New York.^{33,34,35,36,37,38,39}
- v. Gertrude J. Leverich was born April 1855 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Gertrude married Fredrick Ingraham 14 May 1884 in Brooklyn. Gertrude died 18 April 1829 in Hempstead, Nassau County, New York. She was buried in Greenfield Cemetery in Uniondale, Nassau County, New York. Gertrude was recorded in the U.S. Census 1900, 1910, and 1920 in Hempstead.^{40,41,42,43,44,45}
- vi. Charles R. Leverich was born 25 July 1857 in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Charles married Caroline E. Wellner 28 January 1892 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Charles died 12 March 1942 in Hempstead, Nassau Co, New York. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn. Charles was recorded in the 1900 U.S. Census in Suffolk County, New York; 1940 Nassau County, New York.^{46,47,48,49,50}

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