Shadrach Ward

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Birth:

May 28, 1770

Vermont, USA

Death:

1854

Albion

Erie County

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Shadrach married Fanny (Ranels) in 1793 at Vershire, Orange County, Vermont. On his marriage application he cited Vermont as his place of birth, although many people suggest he was born in New Hampshire at the same town as his wife, Fanny Renals.

The identities of the parents of Shadrach and his wife Fanny (Renals/Reynolds) is a mystery. Some have speculated that Shadrach and/or Fanny were born at sea during the voyage to North America, that their parents died at sea during the voyage to North America, that each set of parents was from Ireland and several other theories.

Shadrach was the second person ever licensed to sell liquor at the town of Canadice, Ontario County, New York. His business was located on what was previously a farm owned by Mr. Wright. Shadrach operated his liquor business from May 4, 1819 to 1833, after which his sons, Andrew and Jerry continued the business.

Family links:

Spouse:

Fanny Ranel Ward (1771 - 1861)

Children:

Thomas Porter Ward (1797 - 1855)*
Andrew Ward (1801 - 1891)*
Fanny Ward Seward (1803 - 1883)*
Nancy Ward Eaton (1805 - 1885)*
Jeremiah Ward (1807 - 1878)*

*Calculated relationship

Burial:

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