Davenport Home Cemetery

Bath, Steuben Co, NY

The below was contributed by Annette Campbell
Through the generousity of Jean Morse who purchased the copies.

This was an Orphanage for young ladies on the bank of the Cohocton River in Bath on the left side of the Bath-Cameron Road. Mr Davenport left a legacy to the Bath Hospital when he died and the new Hospital was built in 1960 and named for him.

Ira Davenport 29 Sep 1795-2 May 1868

Lydia Davenport 9 May 1800-20 Mar 1842

- Wife of Ira (nee Cameron)

Charles Davenport 5 Jun 1800-27 Aug 1878

Dugald Cameron Davenport 1826-1853

- Eldest son of Ira & Lydia who is buried in the Island of St. Croiz, West Indies.

Ira Davenport 1841-1904

Katherine Davenport 1860-1945

- Wife of Ira (nee SHARPE)

John Davenport 1835-1895

Sarah Davenport 1847-1929

- Wife of John (nee LYON)

Fanny Waterman 18 Nov 1833-6 Nov 1881

- Wife of Joshua W.
- (nee DAVENPORT)

Bernice Doty 26 Apr 1894-30 Jun 1910

Mary Ann Whetmath * 5 Feb 1857-17 Mar 1868 *(*her last name had previously been listed as: "WHELMATH?" - jac)*

- see note below *(added: 10/02/03)*

Ida Austin 7 Mar 1874-24 Dec 1884

Gertrude Gray 9 Feb 1859-21 Oct 1877

Helen Morgan 26 Aug 1891-25 Dec 1897

Margaret Hoover 19 Aug 1892-4 Jan 1898

Elizabeth Harrison 1873-1948

Jessie M. Harrison 1866-1947

Frances Evans 1849-1932

Lois Darling Holmes 7 May 1902-1 Feb 1920

Nellie Elaine Gallagher 31 Jul 1894-20 Nov 1918

My mother-in-law cleaned out her attic and gave me a box of letters mostly from 1890's-- but among them was this

note:

Bath Mar 18 /68

Dear Doctor

The little girl you got into our orphan Asylum Mary AnnWhetmath Mar 1 /66 died last evening at 6:06 and will be interred tomorrow - her complaint was inflamation of the bladder and Bowels, was sick but a few days - had the best attention to the last moment. I don't know any thing more could be done than was done. She was a favorite with all who knew her and during her sickness she lacked no attention. She was at our house frequently and all our family were her friend and mourn her loss.-- it is first death in our Institution. pleas inform her friends.

yours, Ira Davenport