

-- PYE --

The family groups represented in this collection may not be complete, because information was entered bit by bit as I found it or happened upon it; I have not done any systematic research on these families. Because they do not compose whole family genealogies, these listings are arranged differently from most genealogical records or histories. Each listing is a family group, and is arranged and filed alphabetically under the name of the head of the family.

Names are generally in alphabetical order (disregarding spelling variations and middle names), then in approx. chronological order. The first sorting is by surname (mixing together any and all spelling variations), then by given name, then by approximate birthdate (when known) in approximate chronological order. For easier reference, surnames in headings are grouped together under the most common spelling usage that evolved in this geographical location, regardless of individualistic spellings in the records themselves. Cross references are used in most cases where surname spellings substantially vary.

Within the quoted records, the individual spellings have been (mostly) retained because they sometimes provide clues (although in general—but with exceptions—they seem to largely reflect the record keeper's particular orthography and not always, at this early period, any special family preference). Those interested can see the variety and evolvement of a particular name's spelling and the interesting and sometimes amusing attempts at phonetic reproduction. Keep in mind that before names and spellings were standardized, records reflected the individualistic whim of the particular recorder (often two different spellings of the same name within the same document). In addition, all records were handwritten, and sometimes deciphering a handwritten name in early records can be quite challenging! So expect to search under all possibilities of spelling (for both surnames and given names).

Given names are grouped together without regard for middle initials or middle names. Because middle names and/or initials are sometimes used, sometimes not used in various records, it seemed simplest to arrange entries as if the middle names or initials did not exist. Usually all variations of a given name are grouped together as though spelled one way: Jan, Johannes, John, etc. are all grouped as one (but also look under the other forms).

Sources and references are included with each "family" grouping, but may or may not include sources that are cited (or are obvious, such as baptismal records, etc.) within the narrative or listing itself.

As with any compiled genealogical record, researchers should regard this information as leads and clues, and should verify all data with independent research.

I welcome, and would be grateful for, any additions or corrections, especially with source citations.

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Pye, Abraham

Abraham Pyer
b.
d. before 1857

m.

Sally A.

b. about 1810 NJ
d.

Sally was listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, New York Co., New York City, Ward 9, District 1, p. 152, enumerated 15 Aug 1850, Dwelling 434, Family 1035 -- William Foster, 37, Lumber Dealer, value real estate \$8000, b. VT?; Jane [Foster], 31, b. NJ; Jane E. [Foster], 12, b. NY; William H. [Foster], 8, b. NY; Emily A. [Foster], 3; Nathan R. Robins, 29, b. MA. Listed living in the same dwelling, Family 1036 -- Sally Pye, 40, b. NJ; Ann M. [Pye], 16, b. NY; Henry Van Ostrand, 23, Wood Engraver, b. NJ; Jeremiah Pye, 23, Carpenter, b. NJ; Garret G. Gardner, 26, Carpenter, b. NJ; Levine? A. Woodruff, 22, Stair Builder, b. NJ; Anson Freman, 19, Harness maker, b. NJ; John Antross?, 21, Harness maker, b. NJ.

Sally was listed in the 1857 New York City Directory: Pye, Sally A., wid. Abraham, h. 43 Bank.

Pye, Abraham S.

Abraham S. Pye
son of William Pye &
Marretje Stevens
b. 27 Feb 1809 (25 Feb 1809 in bp. record)
bp. 24 April 1809 Clarkstown Ref Ch
d. 1 June 1895

m.

Sally Ann Van Ostrand (Sarah; Van Nostrand)
dau. of (prob) John Van Nostrand &
Maria Smith
b. 6 July 1811
bp. 4 Aug 1811 Clarkstown Ref Ch
d. 24 Nov 1893

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY

Sally Ann Van Nostrand, wife of Abraham Pye, was dismissed 1862 from the Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC.

---Sources: Barber, Gertrude A., *Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y.*, (typescript), New York.: 1934, p. 15 (online at HeritageQuest); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church at Greenwich in the City of New York*, p. 144 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), p. 232

Pye, David (Pey)

David Pye

son of

b. England

d. 28 Aug 1804

buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

m. (1) 30 Dec 1762

by Rev. John Hanna

m. (2) 22 Oct 1783

Maria Martyn (Mary Martin)

dau. of

b.

d. 20 Jan 1783, age 43

buried

Cathrina Cooper

dau. of David Cooper &

Elizabeth

d. 20 July 1820

David Pye was one of the earliest settlers of Clarkstown. A native of England and a lawyer by profession, Mr. Pye came to the U.S. in 1757 on legal business. He was an active surveyor and owned various parcels of land. He was a member of the provincial Congress, a State Senator, a Member of Assembly, and the first Rockland County Supervisor (1791-1792).

David Pey and Catlyntje Pey wit bp. 28 Nov 1784 Clarkstown Ref Ch of David Pey Frences, son of Andrias Frences [Fraunces] & Sara Pey.

David Pye of Clarkstown, in his will dated Jan. 2, 1796, probated Sep. 17, 1804. Wife, mentioned but not named; Mentioned Dau. Sarah wife of Andrew C. Fraunces; Dau. Ann; Son, David; Son, John, to have land on the south side of the road (except where the wash house and bleach yard and the two yards below are located) with all the tools and implements belonging to the clothing business; Son, Isaac, to have my dwelling house and land on the north side of the road and wash house and yards reserved above. Executors: Wife, and Aurt Polhemus.

David Pye, wheelwright, of Clarkstown, step-son of the decedent, was granted Letters of Administration on the Estate of Catharine Pye, widow, of Clarkstown. Jul. 27, 1820.

---children of David Pye & (1) Maria Martyn:

• **Sarah Pye**, b. 24 Mar 1764; m. **Andrew C. Fraunces**

• **John Pye**, b. 17 Apr 1766; d. 1831; buried Clarkstown Ref., Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, NY; m. **Hannah Halstead** (Anna Holst)

• **Jeams Pey** (James), b. 13 May 1768; bp. 17 July 1768 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Benjamin Pye**, b. 3 Aug 1770

• **Ann Pye**, b. 20 Sep 1771

• **David Pey**, bp. 14 Feb 1776 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); m. 10 Apr 1799 **Sarah Acker**

---child of David Pye & (2) Cathrina Cooper:

• **Isaac Pye**, b. 25 June 1780; bp. 26 July 1780 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. (prob) before 1 July 1820. David Pye, wheelwright, of Clarkstown, step-brother of the decedent, was granted Letters of Administration on the Estate of

Isaac Pye, gentleman, of Clarkstown. Jul. 1, 1820.

---Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Krell, Peter, *So That All May Be Remembered* [Vol. I, Clarkstown, Rockland Co., NY Cemeteries], 1989, p. 15; Cole, *History of Rockland County*, p. 129; Reynolds, Cuyler, *Genealogical and Family History of Southern New York and the Hudson River Valley*, 1914, Vol. II, p. 867; Wills & Estates in Rockland County to the End of the Year 1850, NY, Budke Collection BC-68, Compiled by George H. Budke, 1921, transcribed 2003 by Bruce E. Hopper (Budke No. 81, will of David Pye) and (Budke No. 760, Estate of Isaac Pye) and (Budke No. 761, Estate of Catharine Pye)

Pye, David D.

David D. Pye

son of David Pye &

(1) Maria Martin

b. about 1776

bp. 14 Feb 1776 Clarkstown Ref Ch

d. 27 Sep 1852

buried Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

David Pye was a civil engineer.

David Pye, 74, and Sarah Pye, 71, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Clarkstown, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them was Alfred Pye, 12. Listed living in the same dwelling (but separate family) were: Abm. Crum, 66, gentleman, Peggy Crum, 61; and Cyrus Crum, 13.

---children of David Pye & Sarah Acker:

• **David D. Pye**, b. 30 Oct 1799; bp. 17 Nov 1799 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 24 June 1867; m. **Sarah Ann Warner**

• **Catharine Pye**, b. 3 Mar 1802; bp. 28 March 1802 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 9 Dec 1851

• **John D. Pye**, b. 17 May 1807 Clarkstown (1806, ts); bp. 31 May 1807 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 30 Jan 1864; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY; m. **Clara Van Houten**

• **Isaac Pye**, b. 21 Dec 1813 Clarkstown; bp. 9 Jan 1814 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1895; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY; m. 9 Dec 1841 **Elizabeth Ann Van Houten**

• **Matthew Pye**, b. 8 Mar 1816; bp. 25 March 1816 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 8 Feb 1870; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY; m. **Jane Sickels**

• **Sarah Pye**, b. 20 July 1818; bp. 9 Aug 1818 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1882; m. **Peter DeWint Smith**, son of Abraham Smith & Margrietje Polhemus

- **Edward Pye**, b. 5 Sep 1823; bp. 22 Sep 1823 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 11 June 1864 Alexandria, VA; m. **Catharine A. -?-**. She was b. 1828; d. 1914; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY. He graduated from Rutgers College, New Brunswick, NJ and became a lawyer. He was a Rockland Co. Judge and Surrogate for 4 years. He fought in the Civil War, attaining the rank of Colonel, and died 12 June 1864 of wounds received at the Battle of Cold Harbor.
- **Jeremiah Pye**, b. 10 Nov 1826; bp. 3 Dec 1826 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); m. (prob) **Maria L. -?-**. She d. 28 June 1862, aged 27.10.20; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY.
- **Emeline Pye**, b. about 1831; d. 7 Aug 1832, age -.11.20; buried Clarkstown Ref Chyd, Rockland Co., NY.
 ---Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County*, p. 129; Reynolds, Cuyler, *Genealogical and Family History of Southern New York and the Hudson River Valley*, 1914, Vol. II, p. 868; 1850 Federal Census, New York, Clarkstown, taken Aug 1850 by Aaron L. Christie, dwelling 15, families 15 and 16; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Old Clarkstown Ref Chyd, near Bardonia, Rockland Co., NY, p. 171); Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998; Barber, Gertrude A., *Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y.*, (typescript), New York, 1934, p. 14 (online at HeritageQuest)

Pye, David

David Pye m. **Catherine Pye**
 ---*children of David Pye & Catherine Pye:*

- **Alfred Storms Pye**, b. 16 Jan 1824; bp. 10 April 1824 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
 ---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998

Pye, David D.

David D. Pye m. (1) **-?-**
 son of David Pye & dau. of
 Sarah Acker
 b. 30 Oct 1799 b.
 d. 24 June 1867 d.
 buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY buried
 m. (2) **Sarah Ann Warner**
 b. abt 21 Oct 1808 (1788?)
 d. 5 Nov 1844, age 36.8.14
 buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack

David D. Pye was a carpenter and lived in the Greenwich section of NYC before moving to Clarkstown in 1838. In Rockland Co. he was Court Crier and Constable for about 20 yrs.

---*children of David D. Pye & (2) Sarah Ann Warner:*

- **Emmeline Pye**, b. 18 Aug 1831; bp. 7 Oct 1831 Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC (as Emeline, b. 18 Aug 1831, dau. of David D. Pye & Sarah Warner); d. 7 Aug 1832; buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY
- **Edward Pye**, b. 21 March 1835; bp. 10 July 1845 Greenwich Ref Ch, NYC (as Edward, b. 21 March 1825, son of David D. Pye & Sarah Ann Warner)
- **Alfred Pye**, b. 17 Nov 1837; bp. 6 Jan 1838 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Mary Slover Pye**, b. abt. 1840; d. 30 Jan 1841; buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem, W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY
- **Mary Frances Pye**, b. abt Oct 1842; bp. 22 June 1843 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 17 Feb 1846; buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY
 ---Sources: Krell, Peter, *So That All May Be Remembered* [Vol. I, Clarkstown, Rockland Co., NY Cemeteries], 1989, p. 15, 25; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Old Clarkstown Ref Chyd, near Bardonia, Rockland Co., NY, p. 172); Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998

Pye, Isaac (Major)

Isaac Pye m. 9 Dec 1841 **Elizabeth Ann Van Houten**
 son of David Pye & Clarkstown Ref Ch dau. of
 Sarah Acker
 b. 21 Dec 1813 Clarkstown, Rockland Co., NY b. 20 Aug 1821
 bp. 9 Jan 1814 Clarkstown Ref Ch bp.
 d. 1895 d. 9 June 1910
 buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY

---*children of Isaac Pye & Elizabeth Ann Van Houten:*

- **David Edward Pye**, b. 10 Sep 1842; bp. 5 Nov 1842 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 30 July 1855 aged 12.10.20; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY
- **Laura Pye**, b. 14 Oct 1856; bp. 27 Dec 1856 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
 ---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998; Clarkstown Ref Ch Marriages 1831-1865 online at <http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>; Barber, Gertrude A., *Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y.*, (typescript), New York, 1934, p. 14 (online at HeritageQuest)

Pye, Isaac E.

Isaac E. Pye m. **Ada E. Stephens**
 son of John D. Pye & dau. of
 Clara Van Houten

b. 1841
d. 1915
buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY
---Sources: Barber, Gertrude A., Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y., (typescript), New York.: 1934, p. 25 (online at HeritageQuest)

b. 1850
d. 1921
buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY

Pye, Isaac E.

Isaac E. Pye m.

Sarah A. Dickson

---*children of Isaac E. Pye & Sarah A. Dickson:*

• **Jennie Dickson Pye**, b. 3 June 1868; bp. 25 June 1869 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998

Pye, Jeremiah

Jeremiah Pye m. 25 June 1851
son of Clarkstown Ref Ch

Maria L. De Bevoise
dau. of

---*children of Jeremiah Pye & Maria L. De Bevoise:*

• **Agnes Pye**, b. 15 Jan 1852; bp. 27 June 1852 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Augusta Randolph Pye**, b. 16 Oct 1855?; bp. 24 March 1855 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Kate Pye**, b. 20 Oct 1856; bp. 27 Dec 1856 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998

Pye, John

John Pye m.

Hannah Halstead (Anna Holst)

son of David Pye &

dau. of

(1) Mary Martin

b. 26 Apr 1766

b. abt 13 June 1764

d. 31 Apr 1831 age 65.0.14

d. 13 Aug 1840 age 76.2.-

buried Clarkstown Ref. Ch. Cem., W. Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

buried Clarkstown Ref Ch Cem, W. Nyack

---*children of John Pye & Hannah Halstead:*

• **Mary Pye**, b. 1792; m. **James D. Swartwout**

• **Catherine Eliza Pye**, b. 23 July 1808; bp. 31 Oct 1808 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Krell, Peter, So That All May Be Remembered [Vol. I, Clarkstown, Rockland Co., NY Cemeteries], 1989, p. 25, 264; Reynolds, Cuyler, Genealogical and Family History of Southern New York and the Hudson River Valley, 1914, Vol. II, p. 867; Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, New York and New Jersey Cemeteries, 1947 (reprinted by Bergen Historic Books) (Old Clarkstown Reformed Church near Bardonia, Rockland Co., NY), p. 173

Pye, John D.

John D. Pye m. 25 April 1835
son of David Pye & Clarkstown Ref Ch, by
Sarah Acker Rev. Alexander Warner

Clara Van Houten

dau. of (poss) John C. Van Houten &
Maria Blauvelt

b. 17 May 1807 Clarkstown, NY (1806, ts)

b. 19 April 1813

bp. 31 May 1807 Clarkstown Ref Ch

bp. 3 July 1813 Clarkstown Ref Ch

d. 1864

d. 1881

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY

---*children of John D. Pye & Clara Van Houten:*

• **Neplin Pye**, b. 10 July 1836; bp. 14 Aug 1836 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1843; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

• **Mary Hester McIntosh Pye**, b. 16 Jan 1838; bp. 4 March 1838 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Isaac Edmonds Pye**, b. 29 Jan 1841; bp. 7 March 1841 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1915; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY; m. **Ada E. Stephens**. She was b. 1850; d. 1921; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY.

• **James Henry Pye**, b. 23 March 1845; bp. 4 May 1845 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1850; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

• **John Henry Pye**, b. 15 Aug 1851; bp. 28 Sep 1851 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998; Clarkstown Ref Ch Marriages 1831-1865 online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>; Barber, Gertrude A., Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y., (typescript), New York.: 1934, p. 25 (online at HeritageQuest)

Pye, Leigh

Leigh Pye m.

Kate A. Demarest (Katherine)

son of

dau. of Cornelius M. Demarest &

(1) Bridget Blauvelt

b. 25 Sep 1823

b. 1828

d.

d. 1914

buried Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

buried Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, NY

---children of Leigh Pye & Kate A. Demarest:

• **Leigh Pye**

• **Edward S. Pye** (Col.), b. 5 Sep 1823²; d. 11 June 1864 in 40th yr., Alexandria, VA^{1,2}; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY². He died from wounds received 2 June at the battle of Cold Harbor.¹ He was a Col., 95th Reg., NY Vol. Inf. He joined his Regiment as Captain of Co. F in summer 1861.¹

Edward Pye -- Civil War Union Army Officer. He was commissioned as Captain and commander of Company F, 95th New York Volunteer Infantry on October 15, 1861. Promoted first to Major (March 6, 1862) then Colonel and commander of the unit (October 9, 1863), he commanded the regiment at the July 1863 Battle of Gettysburg when Colonel George H. Biddle went down with a wound that ultimately forced the end of his field service. Colonel Pye led his troops through General Ulysses S. Grant's Spring 1864 Overland Campaign, and participated in the ill-fated Union charge at the Battle of Cold Harbor, Virginia on June 2, 1864. Severely wounded in the neck in the charge, he lingered for a number of days before succumbing to his injuries. (bio by: Russ Dodge)¹

• **Harry Clay Pye** [Henry Clay Pye?], b. 1850; d. 28 June 1872; buried Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

---Sources:

[1] Death Notice for Col. Edward Pye, and obituary, "Death of Col. Edward Pye" (which has a lenfrht account of his service in the War), in *Rockland County Journal*, 18 June 1864, p. 2 (online at <http://news.hrvh.org>);

[2] Tombstone Inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY: Edward Pye; tombstone photo , portrait photo, posted online); Demarest, Voorhis D. (Demarest Family Association), *The Demarest Family*, 1964, Vol. I, p. VII-121, No. 7-1133, Kate A. Demarest (Katherine);

Pye, Matthew

Matthew Pye

m.

Jane Sickels

b.

b. 9 Jan 1827

d. 8 Feb 1870? aged 53.11.-

d. 23 Nov 1899

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY

buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, NY

---children of Matthew Pye & Jane Sickels:

• **Sarah Catharine Pye**, b. 22 Nov 1846; bp. 25 Dec 1847 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Julia Frances Pye**, b. 15 Oct 1851; bp. 3 Jan 1853 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998; Barber, Gertrude A., *Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y.*, (typescript), New York.: 1934, p. 14 (online at HeritageQuest)

Pye, Simeon

Simeon Pye

m. (1)

Lucretia or Pauline Dow

son of Thomas Pye &

dau. of

Amelia Mills

d. 3 Dec 1877 age 80.3.15 Newark, NJ

d.

buried Mt. Pleasant Cem., Newark, NJ

buried

m. (2) after 1831

Elvira Catharine Smith

dau. of Samuel Smith &

Mary Scott McKnight

b. 25 Nov 1811 Haverstraw, NY

d. 10 May 1879 age 67.5.15 Brooklyn, NY

buried Mt. Pleasant Cem., Newark, NJ

He was a locksmith in NYC 1820-34.

In his will, dated 15 Nov 1877, probated 9 Jan 1878 (Trenton Wills No. 10459 G), Simeon Pye of Newark, Essex Co., NJ, mentioned his wife Elvira C., and six living children: Sylvester, Sandford, William M., Mary A., Sarah E., and Simeon.

---children of Simeon Pye & (1) -?- Dow:

• **Sylvester Pye**

• **Sandford Pye**

• **William M. Pye**

• (poss) **Mary A. Pye**

---children of Simeon Pye & (2) Elvira Catharine Smith:

• **Simeon Pye**, b. after 1832

• (prob) **Sarah E. Pye**

---Sources: Bailey, Rosalie Fellows, "Dr. Charles McKnight" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol 67, No. 4, Oct 1936, p. 307

Pye, Thomas

Thomas Pye

m.

Amelia Mills

b. about 1763

b.

d. 8 April 1855 age 92

d. 30 April 1837 age 68

buried Mt. Pleasant Cem., Newark, NJ

buried Mt. Pleasant Cem., Newark, NJ

They emigrated after 1782; settled first New York City; later removing to Newark, NJ.

---children of Thomas Pye & Amelia Mills:

• (prob) **Simeon Pye**, d. 3 Dec 1877 age 80.3.15 Newark, NJ; buried Mt. Pleasant Cem, Newark, NJ; m. (1) -?;

m. (2) **Elvira Catharine Smith**, dau. of Samuel Smith & Mary Scott McKnight

---Sources: Bailey, Rosalie Fellows, "Dr. Charles McKnight" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol 67, No. 4, Oct 1936, p. 307

Pye, William

William Pye
son of

m. 28 Apr 1808
Tappan Ref Ch
"both of Clarkstown"

Marretje Stevens

dau. of Petrus Stevens &
Ida Vanderbilt

b. 28 Apr 1790
bp. 13 May 1790 Clarkstown Ref Ch

b.

bp.

---children of William Pye & Marretje Stevens:

• **Abraham Stevens Pye**, b. 25 Feb 1809; bp. 24 Apr 1809 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1 June 1895; buried Oak Hill Cem., Nyack, Rockland Co., NY; m. **Sally Van Ostrand**

• **Deliaann Paye**, b. 13 June 1811; bp. 12 Aug 1811 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Ida Elizabeth Pye**, b. 16 Mar 1820; bp. 29 May 1820 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Moos, Dorothy, *The Blauvelt Family Genealogy*, Vol. I, 1987, p. 349; Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998; Barber, Gertrude A., *Gravestone inscriptions of the Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N.Y.*, (typescript), New York, 1934, p. 15 (online at HeritageQuest)