

Friends of Lone Pine Cemetery

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Dear Mr. Irwin:

Thank you for renewing your membership in the Washington Trust for Historic Preservation! Your fully tax-deductible contribution of \$75 makes it possible for the Trust to fulfill its mission to help individuals and grassroots organizations throughout the state preserve and revive local historic resources.

In celebration of our 40th Anniversary, your membership includes a complimentary tour of our historic headquarters at the Stimson-Green Mansion in Seattle for you and a guest. Your gift allows us to expand our outreach promoting sustainable and economically viable communities through preservation. Our members constitute our strength, and because of your support we are able to reflect on 40 years of accomplishments.

Your financial support helps communities preserve their identities to make Washington *someplace*, not just *anyplace*. If you are interested to learn more about what the Trust has done in your community, I invite you to follow along this year as we celebrate victories from each county in the state on our website. We hope these stories inspire and empower you to see the change your membership promotes by enabling the Trust to fulfill its mission.

Thank you for making a difference both to the Washington Trust for Historic Preservation and to the hundreds of people, places and projects we impact each year. Please keep this written acknowledgment of your contribution for tax purposes. You will enjoy membership benefits through 5/1/2017.

Best regards,


Chris Moore
Executive Director

THANKS TO YOU AND THE FRIENDS
OF LONE PINE FOR HELPING
MAKE OUR 40TH ANNIVERSARY
A TRULY SPECIAL YEAR!

The Washington Trust is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit organization therefore your donation is fully tax deductible. Our tax-exempt number is 91-0983680. Please contact us to schedule your tour of the Stimson-Green Mansion. Tours must be scheduled at least a week in advance.

Received letter from the Washington Trust For Historic Preservation celebrating their 40th Anniversary.

This year the Friends of Lone Pine Cemetery are celebrating our 10th Anniversary; having started our efforts to preserve this historic cemetery in 2006.

2009 Received "Certificate of Authority"

2011 Received "Washington Register of Historic Places"

2015 Received "Historic Preservation Award"

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Jennie Crockett age 39 - The 24th burial at Lone pine

This person has become a mystery to this amateur genealogist. Jennie Crockett was born in 1855 and died in 1894 as inscribed on back of this Crockett gravestone.

On the front side of the Stone is Mary Minnie (Owens) Crockett born 1856 and died in 1892. Mary was married to David Crockett and under her name on the stone is their child, Charles born 2-10-1892 and died 10-7-1892.

Jennie was probably David's 2nd wife (judging from the dates) but no supporting information was found.

Naomi Margaret Shrigley Hall, age 45 - The 25th burial

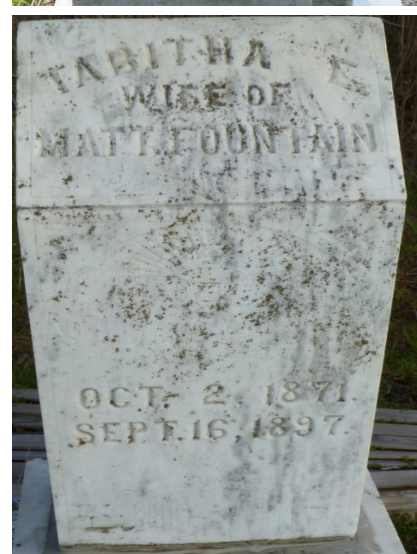
born 16 Dec 1849, died 17 Mar 1895, daughter of Enoch Shrigley (1813-1859) and Catherine Shafer (1820-1911) of Crawford County, IN.

She was first married to Reuben Sauerheber 24 Sep 1865, in Crawford County, Indiana. Three children resulted from this union: James Chester Sauerheber (1866-1934), Henry Ulysses Sauerheber (1868-1936), and Sarah Catherine "Kate" Sauerheber Spores, (1870-1957). Naomi and Reuben Sauerheber were then divorced.

Naomi Margaret Shrigley Sauerheber then married John Henry Hall (1834-1919), a farmer. Three children were born to them in Illinois: Jesse S. Hall (1879-1880), Homer Hugo Hall (1884-1946), and Ernest Roy Hall (1887-1952). They then moved to Washington state, where William Earle Hall (1891-1957) was born. Naomi Margaret Hall died and was buried at Lone Pine, Whitman, Washington. The 25th burial in Lone Pine Cemetery.

Tabitha Ellen Smiley Fountain age 25 - The 26th burial

Tabitha Ellen Smiley was born on 02 Oct 1871 in Arkansas City, Arkansas, as the first child of Reuben Tillman Smiley and Lucinda J Sherod. She had four siblings: Neva Vesta, Alpha, Howard Samuel, and Ruby Alberta. She died on 16 Sep 1897 in Lone Pine, Whitman, Washington (Age: 25). When she was 18, she married Matthew Francis Fountain on 22 Jul 1890 in Lone Pine Washington. Matthew Francis Fountain and Tabitha Ellen Smiley had the following children: Alva Earl Fountain was born on 11 May 1892 in Lone Pine. He died on 15 Jul 1944 in Spokane WA, Irma Tabitha Fountain was born on 27 Jan 1896 in Whitman, Washington. She died on 01 Jun 1933 in Spokane, Spokane, Washington



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On April 20, 2016, the **Friends Of Lone Pine** met at the **Feeding Station** in Tekoa WA for the Spring meeting and the semi-annual work day at the cemetery.

Big changes are coming to the Lone Pine Cemetery with help from the students of the **HOPE** group from the **Upper Columbia Academy** in nearby Spangle WA.

When these hard workers attack the overgrowth of brush and make huge piles of brush to be removed later; the character of this historic pioneer cemetery changes before our eyes. It is really a site to see and the Friends of Lone Pine and the descendants of those buried here really owe these young people a great big **thank you!!!**



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