

Individual Report for Amanda Ward

Name:	Amanda Ward [11693]			Sex:	F
AKA:					
Birth Date:	Oct 30, 1831	Place:	Summit Township, Crawford County, PA		
Chr. Date:		Place:			
Death Date:	Dec 11, 1883	Place:	Linesville, Crawford County, PA		
Burial Date:	Dec 1883				
Place:	Linesville Cemetery, Linesville Borough, Crawford County, PA				
Cause of Death:	cancer				
User ID #:	LC - B,20,6				



Events

- Her obituary was published. Per the Paul Henry Scrapbook at the Linesville Historical Society, page 14, column 2:
 "IRONS - In Linesville, Dec. 11th, 1883, of cancer, after a lingering illness, Mrs. Amanda, wife of B.O. Irons, aged 52 years, 1 month and 12 days.
 Mrs. B.O. Irons, wife of the Postmaster of Linesville, whose terrible sufferings from cancer have been frequently mentioned in the COURIER, died at her home in that place on Tuesday afternoon. The dread disease fastened itself upon her some eight years ago, and while the best of medical and surgical skill was employed to combat its ravages, nothing which promised relief being left untried, and at times seemingly with every prospect of success, the destroyer continued its work, and after inflicting untold suffering, finally carried off its victim. She resisted the disease with a will and determination which was remarkable, ministering to the wants of an only son, a sufferer for three years with consumption, ending in his death two years ago, when she should herself have been in her bed. She bore her afflictions with a Christian resignation and the final summons had no terrors for her.
 Mrs. Amanda Irons was a daughter of Lewis and Lorinda Ward. She was born in Summit township, Oct. 30, 1831. When a young girl her parents removed to Cussewago township, where she lived until her marriage, since which Linesville has been her home the greater portion of the time. When yet a young woman, she united with the old Carmel Baptist Church near Mosiertown, and on coming to Linesville united with the Church in that place, of which she was a worthy member at her death. So long as her health permitted she was a devoted, faithful worker in Church and Sunday School. Her husband is indeed sorely bereaved. Left entirely alone, with every family tie sundered, his afflictions seem almost too heavy to be borne. First, an only son, a noble young man, whose prospects in life were of the brightest, was stricken down after years of suffering, to be followed by the devoted wife and mother, wrecking a happy household and blasting the fondest of hopes. We extend to the stricken one our warmest sympathy, in which we will be joined by a host of friends.
 Linesville Herald December 15, 1883; page 3, column 4
- She was religious. was admitted as a member of Linesville Baptist Church February 2, 1861 and was dismissed by reas on of death December 11, 1883.

Father:	Lewis Ward [11694] [MRIN:4159]				
Mother:	Lorinda Crooker [11695]				
Spouse:	*Bradford O. Irons [11683] [MRIN:4153]				
Marr. Date:	Oct 4, 1854	Place:			
Children:	1	George Warner Irons [11696]			