

FLORENCE/POWELL CEMETERY

MAMARONECK, NY

1808-1883



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Florence/Powell Cemetery, Mamaroneck, New York

Introduction:

Florence/Powell Cemetery was established when Peter Florence was buried in Mamaroneck, NY plot of land shortly after his passing on November 30, 1808. Florence/Powell Cemetery holds approximately 15 graves. They consist of:

- ❖ Benjamin Florence (?) – Missing Tombstone
- ❖ Elizabeth Florence (1795-1857)
- ❖ Peter Florence (1795-1808)
- ❖ Sarah Florence (1749-1823)
- ❖ William J. Florence (1823-1883)
- ❖ Ag[nes] Powell (1773-1856)
- ❖ William Powell (1769-1856)
- ❖ Florence Infant P.F.
- ❖ Florence Infant S.F.
- ❖ 1 Grave Marker (Unknown)
- ❖ 1 Broken early 19th Century Tombstone
- ❖ 1 Broken 19th Century Tombstone
- ❖ 3 Stone Markers



Florence/Powell is bounded by private residences on its north and west sides. The nearest road, Fulton Road, a one lane, one way street that connects to Palmer Avenue is located directly north of Florence/Powell Cemetery. An entrance ramp to Mamaroneck High School's parking lot runs directly east of Florence/Powell Cemetery and the Palmer Avenue Building of Mamaroneck High School and several parking spaces are located directly south of the Cemetery. The sole entrance is located on the south side of Florence/Powell Cemetery, which was an active burial ground from 1808 to 1883 with William J. Florence being the last person interred at the Cemetery.



Flora consists of various types of grasses, lichens, and several species of native trees and berry (black and red)-bearing bushes. Fauna consists of the occasional squirrel and bird (e.g. robins, sparrows, and other native species).



Tombstones & Inscriptions:

Elizabeth Florence (1795-1857)



Transcribed:

In Memory of Elizabeth
Wife of Benjamin Florence
Born Feb. 26th, 1795
Died Sept. [22, 1857]
Aged 62 Years, 6 Mos. & 26 Days

*Therefore be ye also ready; for
In such an hour as ye think not,
The Son of Man cometh.
St. Matt 24:44*

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009



Peter Florence (1751-1808)



Transcribed:

In Memory of Peter Florence
Who died Novr 30, 1808
Aged 57 Years, 3 Months & 10 Days

*My glafs (glass) is run, my days are fpent (spent)
My life is gone, it was but lent
And as I am so muft (must) you be
Therefore prepare to follow me.*

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Additional Information:

Shamrock Symbol denotes Ireland as country of origin.



Sarah Florence (1749-1823)



Transcribed:

In Memory of Sarah
Wife of Peter Florence
Who Died April 16th, 1823
Aged 73 Years, 5 Mos. & 9 Days

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

William J. Florence (1823-1883)



Transcribed:

William J. Florence
Born Oct. 15, 1823
Died Oct. 23, 1883

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Ag[nes] Powell (1773-1856)



Transcribed:

Ag[nes]
Wife of William Powell
Born June 17th, 1773
Died July 25th, 1856

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

William Powell (1769-1856)




Transcribed:


William Powell
Born May 11, 1769
Died Oct. 22, 1856

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Infants:

P.F.	
	<p><u>Transcribed:</u></p> <p>P.F.</p> <p><u>Photo Information:</u></p> <p>Taken December 27, 2009</p> <p><u>Additional Information:</u></p> <p>Florence Infant</p>

S.F.	
	<p><u>Transcribed:</u></p> <p>S.F.</p> <p><u>Photo Information:</u></p> <p>Taken December 27, 2009</p> <p><u>Additional Information:</u></p> <p>Florence Infant</p>

Unknown Tombstones & Stone Markers:

Missing Tombstone



Transcribed:

Unknown

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Additional Information:

Possibly Benjamin Florence

Stone Marker



Transcribed:

No Inscriptions

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Stone Marker



Transcribed:

No Inscriptions

Photo Information:

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Florence/Powell Cemetery, Mamaroneck, New York

Stone Marker



Transcribed:

No Inscriptions

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Unknown Grave Marker



Transcribed:

Unknown

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Unknown Early 19th Century Tombstone



Transcribed:

Unknown

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

Unknown Tombstone



Transcribed:

Unknown

Photo Information:

Taken December 27, 2009

