

[Bennett, Lyman]

Lyman Bennett, Sr., was born in Saratoga county in 1798 and removed in 1828 to Chautauqua county—where he died in the town of Ripley, April 7, 1855. A carpenter by trade and a farmer by occupation, he was a democrat in politics and a universalist in religion. He held several town offices during his life-time and married Chloe Wood, who was born in October, 1802. They were the parents of three sons and two daughters. Of the former, one died at 10 years of age, the second, David W., is a retired farmer of Ripley, and the other is [Lyman, Jr., born in Ripley on June 15, 1838].

Hon. Obed Edson, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Chautauqua County, New York* (Philadelphia: John M. Gresham & Co., 1891), pp. 496-7

Transcribed on 20 Jul 2011 by Karen E. Dau of Rochester, NY