

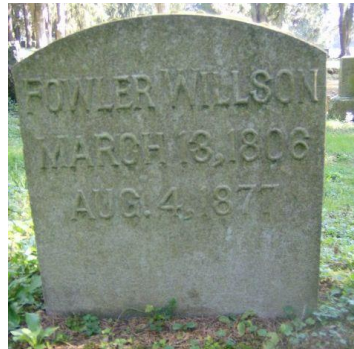
[Willson, Fowler]

Lee Center Items

—Mr. Fowler Wilson died at his late residence of kidney complaint on Saturday last [August 4] at 12 (noon), aged 71 years. His funeral was held yesterday at 12 M., in the Union Church which was filled with neighbors and citizens, to express their respects for the deceased and to sympathize with the bereaved family, which consists of a wife [née Sarah Searle] and nine children¹ to mourn their loss. Rev. Daniel Ballou, of Utica [a Universalist], preached on the occasion. They carried the remains to Point Rock² for interment, where many years ago they buried a child.

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¹ Erastus, John, Harvey, Gilbert, Kate, Sarah, Daniel, Robert, and Fowler

² He was not buried in the Point Rock Cemetery. There is a stone for him in Evergreen Cemetery at Lee, Oneida County. His surname is spelled Willson on this stone, as shown above. Sadly there are at least six of his grandchildren buried in Point Rock, all children of Fowler W. and Margaret Willson.