

Elizabeth Mattoon

Pioneers of 1847

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Elizabeth Mattoon

b. c1813 Jefferson Co., New York

d. probably after 1880 unless she remarried

s/o Philip and Betsey Mattoon

m1. probably about 1848 Clackamas County, Oregon

Isaac Newton Wheeler

b. c1810

d. 15 Aug 1849 California

*[Note: family researcher states death date comes from Shook Family tree where they refer to the Colver Bible and other sources. Researcher has not seen these resources personally.]*

Isaac Wheeler Land Entries near the Mattoons:

Detroit Office, 3 May 1837, Toledo Strip: 80 a. 7N 10 E sect. 7

Detroit Office, 14 Aug 1837, Toledo Strip: 80 a. 7N 9E sect 28

Genesee MI Office 5 Sep 1838 Toledo Strip 40 a. 7N 9E sect. 28; 40 a. 8N 9E sect. 2;  
40 a, 8N 10 E sect 34.

*[Note: there is mention in the diary of William C. Findley of an Isaac Wheeler who came via the Oregon Trail in 1845. It appears Findley headed back east in May of 1847. It appears from other sources that this is the same Isaac Wheeler and that he was accompanied by at least one other Mattoon spouse, Nicholas Wells]*

1849: Clackamas County, Oregon Territory Census; N. Wheeler, 21, + 1 female

*[Note: Dr. John McLoughlin sold several parcels of land in Clackamas County T25 R002E to an Isaac Newton Wheeler. The BLM records list the purchaser as Isaac Wheeler, while an article documenting historic sale of land by Dr. McLoughlin in the early 1850s in the Oregon City Enterprise August 2, 1907 lists the purchaser as Newton Wheeler.]*

Newton Wheeler, lot 1, block 18.  
Newton Wheeler, lot 2, block 18.  
Newton Wheeler, lot 3, blk 18.  
Newton Wheeler, lot 4, block 18.  
Newton Wheeler, lot 6, block 18.

**WHEELER, Elizabeth**  
**adm estate of N Wheeler, 22**  
**Ag to 5 S 50 (adv)**

[Oregon Spectator Index, Oregon City, Oregon Territory]

1850: Clackamas County, Oregon Territory, September 10, 1850; Aurelia Cutings (Cutting), 27, widow, \$1000, NY; James Cutings, 30, NY; Sarah Cutings, 2, OT; Elizabeth Wheeler, 35, widow, NY; Aaron Mattome (Mattoon), 37, farmer, \$500, NY

m2. 27 Oct 1850 Clackamas County, Oregon

David Colver [Pioneer of 1845]

b. 10 Dec 1798 Clinton County, New York

d. 31 Dec 1874 Waldo Hills, Marion County, Oregon

1846: Conversations With Pioneer Women by Fred Lockley p.113 Colver, emigrant of 1846

ODLC: #17 Marion Co; b. 1798 Clinton Co, NY; sc 30 Mar 1847; m'd Elizabeth 27 Oct 1850 Clackamas Co, OR. Aff: John S. Hunt, Theophilus Powell

1850: Marion County, Oregon Territory, January 28, 1851, David Culver, 39, farmer, \$800, OH; Eliza, 39, IN; Susan Campbell, 2, OT

1860: Sublimity Pct, Marion County, Oregon, July 13, 1860; D. Culver, 61, farmer, \$4000 \$1570, NY; E., 47, NY

1870: Sublimity Pct, Marion County, Oregon, August 9, 1870; David Colver, 71, farmer, \$4500 \$600, NY; Elizabeth, 57, keeps house, NY

1880 Calipooia, Douglas County, Oregon, family 1932 census, Elizabeth Colver, 68, widowed, no occupation [enumerated with John and Orphelia]

**\$10 Reward.**

**S**TRAYED from David Culver's, in the Waldo Hills, some time last fall, a small white Indian MARE, with white eyes, and flax mane and tail, and pigeon-toed, branded dimly with three letters on the shoulder, and has probably now got a colt. Any person bringing the mare to me, or writing to me at Oregon City and informing me where I can find her, shall have \$10 reward.

CHARLES CUTTING, Jr.

Upper Molalla, May 23, 1857. 6tf

[Oregon Argus, May 23, 1857 p.3]

An old resident of Oregon, Mr. David Colver, who now resides in the Waldo Hills, is lying extremely ill with paralysis. He was taken sick one year ago last June, in Indiana, where he was gone on a visit, but was recently brought back to the place where he now is. (He has died since the above was put in type.

[Oregon City Enterprise, Oregon City, Oregon, January 8, 1875 p.2]