

driving their teams around the corner. Although the open triangle was driven over every day in the year, not one blundering wheel touched the interdicted stone up to the year 1830. From my earliest recollection it was called the "cursed stone," and the triangle was familiarly known as the "cursed corner."



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1810. Dec. 8. Andries, ch. of John I. DeWitt. Maria Breested. Sp. John van Leeuwen. Ragel DeWitt.

1811. Dec. 18. Sara, ch. of Johannes Meijer. Seletje Snijder. Sp. Christiaan Meijer. Annaatje Wijnkoop.

1812. Dec. 18. Mattheus, ch. of Elias Oosterhoud. Catharina Carel. Sp. Mattheus Carel. Annaatje Brink.

1813. Dec. 29. Annaatje, ch. of Ritchel Delpoort. Annaatje Meijer. Sp. Jan Makerti.

1814. Dec. 29 (born 26 Oct. 1793). Elizabeth, ch. of Gerrit Abeel. Elizabeth Cantine. Sp. The parents themselves.

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1815. Jan. 5 (born Jan. 3). Benjamin, ch. of

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Jeremias Overbach. Sara van Norde. Sp. Jan Hermann. Maria Rauw.

1816. Feb. 7 (born March 18, 1792). Nancij, ch. of Zacharias Cergill. Margaretha Jorck. Sp. The parents themselves.

1817. Feb. 9 (born 27 Dec., 1793). Petrus, ch. of Johannes Schoonmaker. Annaatje Schoonmaker. Sp. Nicolaas Schoonmaker. Annaatje Emmerik.

1818. Feb. 9 (born Feb. 3). Arend, ch. of Johannes Vedder. Christina Mousier. Sp. William Mousier. Annaatje Mousier.

1819. Feb. 9 (born Jan. 13). Zacharias, ch. of Jan Brink. Catharina Hommel. Sp. Zacharias Brink. Saartje Valkenburg.

1820. Feb. 9 (born Jan. 7). Petrus, ch. of Izaak Elten. Catharina Sjoort [Short]. Sp. Petrus Sjoort. Annaatje Bakker.

1821. Feb. 9 (born 29 Dec., 1793). Christina, ch. of Valentijn Trompo. Neeltje Elich. Sp. Jeremias Elich. Christina Trompo.

1822. Feb. 9 (born 19 Jan). Jacob, ch. of Willem Penger. Susanna Mouer. Sp. Anna Mouer. Leendert Mouer.

1823. Feb. 9 (born Jan. 15). Elizabeth, ch. of Adam Porquart. Christina Trompo. Sp. Nicolaas Trompo. Elizabeth Trompo.

1824. Feb. 9 (born Jan. 26). Wijntje, ch. of Abraham Wolven. Annaatje van Netten. Sp. Izaak Snijder. Gijsbert van Netten. Susanna Kern. Trijnte Wels.

1825. Feb. 23 (born Feb. 3). Jan Firo, ch. of Johannes Rechtmeijer. Maria Firo. Sp. Valentijn Firo. Catharina Schut.

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1826. March 9 (born Mar. 2). Jannetje, ch. of Henrij Freiligh. Jannetje van Orden. Sp. The parents themselves.

1827. Mar. 9. Salomon, ch. of David DuBois. Alida Snijder. Sp. Sara Snijder. Johannes Meijer.

1828. Mar. 9. Phebie, ch. of Petrus Post. Maria Mackensie. Sp. Petrus Post. Phebie Mackensie.

1829. Mar. 23 (born Mar. 3). Frederick, ch. of Pieter Saks. Catharina Regtmeijer. Sp. Frederick Saks. Maria Saks.

1830. Mar. 23. Debora, ch. of Lodewijk Smit. Neeltje Post. Sp. Debora Post. Petrus Post.

1831. Mar. 23. Jan, ch. of Willem Elich. Maria Beer. Sp. Jan Beer. Catharina Marthen.

1832. Mar. 30 (born Mar. 21). Petrus, ch. of Petrus Leigh. Maria Wolf. Sp. Hans Wolf. Marritje Wolf.

1833. Apr. 6 (born Mar. 11). Nicolaas, ch. of Hendrik Rauw. Maria Timmerman. Sp. Nicolaas Rauw. Maria Hoof.

1834. Apr. 6 (born Mar. 17). Neeltje, ch. of Samuel Oosterhoudt. Susanna Beer. Sp. Jacobus Beer. Neeltje Beer.

1835. Apr. 20 (born Mar. 23). Jacob, ch. of Petrus Elmendorph. Nancy Wilbar. Sp. Jacob Elmen-dorph. Annaatje Elmendorph.

1836. May 4 (born Mar. 19). Martinus, ch. of Pieter Merdisin. Trijntje Roos. Sp. Martinus Roos. Rebecca Snijder.

1837. May 4 (born Apr. 4). Lea, ch. of Izaak van Vredenburg. Annaatje Meijer. Sp. Benjamin Meijer, Major. Lea Oosterhout.

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1838. May 4 (born Apr. 13). Annaatje, ch. of Jan Paarsen. Maria Diederiks. Sp. Zacharias Diederiks. Catharina Beer.

1839. May 29 (born May 13). Abraham, ch. of Hermanus Rechtmeijer. Elizabeth Ellen. Sp. Abraham Rechtmeijer. Grietje Kern.

1840. May 25. Elizabeth, ch. of Wilhelmus Overbach. Sara Schut. Sp. Willem Plank and his wife, Elisabeth Musier. (Baptized in Katskil).

1841. May 29 (born May 23). Annaatje, ch. of Petrus Hommel. Rachel Hommel. Sp. Martinus Snijder. Tryntje Nieuwkerk.

1842. June 8 (born Apr. 28). Tjerk, ch. of Hendrikus Wijnkoop. Ariaantje Louw. Sp. Tjerk Louw. Annaatje Wolven.

1843. Jun. 8 (born Jun. 1). Sara, ch. of Christoffel Musier. Maria Broodbek. Sp. Hermanus Beer. Sara Beer.

1844. Jun. 8 (born Feb. 28). Christiaan Smit, ch. of Jacob Petri. Johanna Musier. Sp. William Musier. Annaatje Musier.

1845. Jun. 15 (born May 6). Cornelia, ch. of Coenraad Nieuwkerk. Neeltje Heermans. Sp. Cornelia van Nes. David van Nes.

1846. Jun. 15 (born May 20). Tjerk, ch. of Willem Meijer, Jun. Rachel Mejer. Sp. Tjerk Mejer. Wyntje Mejer.

1847. Jun. 22 (born Jun. 2). Ann, ch. of Petrus Fiero. Maria Post. Sp. Abraham Fiero. Rachel Mijndertse.

1848.. Jun. 22 (born Jun. 10). Christiaan, ch. of Petrus Saks. Elizabeth Kern. Sp. Christiaan Saks. Susanne Musier.

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1849. Jun. 29 (born June 8). Sara, ch. of Cornelis Frantz. Maria Snijder. Sp. Hans Meijer. Sara Marthen.

1850. Jun. 29 (born May 3). Zacharias, ch. of Hans Carel. Betje Rockenfeller. Sp. Jurie Carel. Margrietje Dideriks.

1851. July 1 (born May 15). Jan, ch. of Salomon Schut. Annaatje York. Sp. Mattheus van Steenberg. Annaatje Parks.

1852. Jul. 1 (born Jun. 20). Saartje, ch. of Christiaan Schut. Rachel Marthen. Sp. Joseph Marthen. Dorothea Saks.

1853. Jul. 20 (born Jun. 22). Frederik, ch. of Wilhelmus Frantz. Annaatje Brink. Sp. Frederik Brink. Catharina Dekker.

1854. July 25 (born Jul. 22). Samuel, ch. of Samuel Schoonmaker. Elizabeth Thampzon. Sp. Petrus Elmendorph. Nancij Wilbert.

1855. July 27 (born Jun. 19). Turjen, ch. of Wilhelmus Plank. Elizabeth Musier. Sp. Turjen Musier. Marijtje Plank.

1856. Jul. 27 (born Jun. 24). Zacharias, ch. of Johannes Bakker. Elizabeth Louw. Sp. Adam Wolf. Lea Bakker.

1857. Aug. 17 (born Aug 3). William, ch. of Petrus A. Winne. Catharina Borhans. Sp. Samuel Borhans and wife, Catharina Beer.

1858. Aug. 28 (born Jun. 17.) Catharina, ch. of Gerrit Paarssen. Elizabeth Dideriks. Sp. The parents themselves. (This child was from Catskill).

1859. Aug 24 (born Aug. 17.) Margaritha, ch. of Michiel Plank. Elizabeth Wakes. Sp. Willem Plank. Elizabeth Plank.

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1860. Aug. 24 (born Aug. 20). Moses, ch. of Stephanus Fiero. Catharina Meijer. Sp. John Christian Fiero and wife, Maria Meijer.

1861. Aug. 25 (born July 25). Maria, ch. of Jan Beer. Catharina Marthen. Sp. Willem Elich. Maria Beer.

1862. Aug. 28 (born Aug. 11). Catharina, ch. of Abraham Oosterhoud, Jun. Margaretha Scherer. Sp. Abraham Oosterhoud, Senr. Catharina Minkler.

1863. Sept. 21 (born Sep. 3). David, ch. of Jan Janszen. Catharina Sluiter. Sp. The parents themselves.

1864. Sep. 28 (born Sep. 5). Jan, ch. of Johannes Wolven. Marytje Brink. Sp. William Leigh. Rebecca Brink.

1865. Sep. 28 (born Sep. 17 or 18). Abraham, ch. of Abraham Overbach. Rachel Freiligh. Sp. Abraham Snijder and wife, Maria Freiligh. (Child from Catskill.)

1866. Oct. 5 (born Sep. 13). Sara, ch. of Cornelis Meijer. Maria Brit. Sp. Schia [Hezekiah] Meijer. Lea Meijer.

1867. Oct. 5 (born Sep. 4). Jacob Leman, ch. of Philip Wels. Catharina Leman. Sp. Helmus Leman. Lena Wels.

1868. Oct. 12 (born Sep. 20). Zacharias, ch. of Isaak Snijder, Zusanna Kern. Sp. Zacharias Snijder. Margaretha Fiero.

1869. Nov. 2 (born Sep. 23). Neeltje, ch. of Mijndert Mijndertsze. Lena Heermance. Sp. Gerrit Mijndertze. Sara Meijer.

1870. Nov. 2 (born Sep. 26). Aaltje, ch. of Jacob



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van Gelder. Maria Mijndertze. Sp. The parents themselves

1871. Nov. 9 (born Oct. 7). Wijntje, ch. of Petrus Louw Meijer. Neeltje Oosterhoud. Sp Tjerk Meijer. Wijntje Meijer.

1872. Nov. 16 (born Oct. 28). Rachel, ch. of Daniel Polhemus. Annaatje Meijer. Sp Jacob Polhemus. Rachel Laions.

1873. Nov. 16 (born Nov. 10). Leentje, ch. of Ephraim Magie. Annaatje Musier. Sp Jacob Musier. Magdalena Frits.

1874. Nov. 30 (born Nov. 22). Engelbart Kemmena, ch. of Petrus van Vlierden. Maria Magdalena Houtkoper. Sp. Engelbart Kemmena; "doctor in New York," and Alida van Gaasberg. (N. B. The child died.)

1875. Nov. 22 (born Nov. 7). Elizabeth, ch. of Petrus Porquet. Margaritha Eman. Sp. Johan Michael Eman. Anna Eman. Anna Maria Eman.

1876. Dec. 7 (born Nov. 26). Wilhelmus, ch. of Matheus Valk. Catharina Eman. Sp. Wilhelmus Valk. Anna Maria Engel.

1877. Dec. 14 (born Nov. 26). Silvinus, ch. of Silvinus Kess. Maria Oosterhoud. Sp. Lucas Oosterhoud. Catharina Oosterhoud.

1878. Dec. 14 (born Nov. 16). Neeltje, ch. of Abraham van Gelder. Catharina Voorheesch. Sp. (No sponsors).

1879. Dec. 14 (born Nov. 26). Andries, ch. of Abraham de Wit. Catharina Dederiks. Sp. Schie [Hezekiah] Wynkoop and wife, Elizabeth Dederiks.

1880. Dec. 25. Peggie, ch. of Benjamin Roos.

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Maria Baart. Sp. Turjen Homel. Margaritha Merkel.

1881. Dec. 25 (born Nov. 22). Lena, ch. of Abraham Meijer. Annaatje Du Bois. Sp. David Du Bois. Helena Du Bois.

1882. Dec. 28 (born Dec. 9). Maria, ch. of Tjerk Borhans. Catharina Dederiks. Sp. Jan Schoonmaker. Maria Zwart.

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1883. Jan 3 (born Oct. 31, 1794). Saartje, ch. of Petrus Elmondus Van Bunschooten. Marijtje Louw. Sp. The parents themselves.

1884. Jan. 6 (born Dec. 12, 1794). Rachel, ch. of Abraham Snijder. Maria Freiligh. Sp. Abraham Overbagh. Rachel Freiligh.

1885. Jan. 8 (born Dec. 17, 1794). Annaatje, ch. of Samuel Miller. Lena Schoonmaker. Sp. Tjerk Schoonmaker, Senr. Sara Wolf.

1886. Jan. 18 (born Dec. 18, 1794). Benjamin, ch. of Paulus Saks. Annaatje Snijder. Sp. Benjamin Snijder. Annaatje Brink.

1887. Jan. 18 (born Nov. 7, 1794). Annaatje, ch. of Samuel Miller. Lena Schoonmaker. Sp. Tjerk Schoonmaker, Senr. Sara Wolf.

1888. Jan. 27 (born Oct. 3, 1794). Phebie, ch. of Hans Forlar. Margarita Eigenaar. Sp. Jeremias Valk. Maria Eigenaar.

1889. Jan. 27 (born Sept. 7, 1794). Marten, ch. of Gerarded Robbert Tak. Phebie Mackensie. Sp. Marten Mackensie. Ann Mackensie.

1890. Jan. 29 (born Jan. 16). Willem, ch. of



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Jacob Trimper. Annaatje Keter. Sp. Willem Keter and wife, Maria Kroek.

1891. Jan. 31 (born Sept. 23, 1790). Walther, ch. of Johannes Hommel. Catharina Rechtmeijer. Sp. Willem Rechtmeijer. Annaatje Hommel.

1892. Feb. 1 (born Jan. 3). Maria, ch. of Hermanus Hommel. Maria Hommel. Sp. Turjen Hommel. Margaritha Merkel.

1893. Feb. 8 (born Jan. 8). Eva, ch. of Abraham Rechtmeijer. Margaritha Kern. Sp. Cornelis West. Rachel Hommel.

1894. Feb. 10 (born Dec. 19, 1794). Elizabeth, ch. of Matthijs Steenberg. Anna Parrett. Sp. Philip Parret. Magdalena Schiver.

1895. Feb. 19 (born Feb. 15). Annaatje, ch. of David Schoenmaker. Sara Valkenburg. Sp. Cornelis Schoenmaker. Annaatje Hommel.

1896. Mar. 1 (born Jan. 17). Jan, ch. of Hendrikus DuBois. Annaatje Schoenmaker. Sp. Hans Schoenmaker. Annaatje Schoenmaker.

1897. Mar. 1 (born Jan 29). Salomon, ch. of John Freiligh. Maria Rauw. Sp. Salomon Freiligh. Rachel van der Beek.

1898. Mar. 1 (born Feb. 8). Levi, ch. of Jan van Netten. Marijtje Valkenburg. Sp. Jacobus Van Netten. Maria Van Netten.

1899. Mar. 15 (born Feb. 18). Maria, ch. of Merchant Lawrance. Sara Wijnkoop. Sp. Hiskia Wijnkoop. Maria Meijer.

1900. Mar. 20 (born Mar. 9). Annaatje, ch. of Pieter Mouerssen. Agnitha Musier. Sp. Willem Eligh. Maria Beer.

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*A Sunset at the Episcopal Parsonage*

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1901. Mar. 26 (born Dec. 12, 1794). Catharina Elizabeth, ch. of Justus Aartman. Elizabeth Parret. Sp. Philip Boonesteel. Maria Alendorph. (Bap. in Woodstock).

1902. Mar. 26 (born Feb. 22). Elias, ch. of David Schort. Sara Eduart. Sp. The parents themselves. (Bap. in Woodstock. A marginal entry reads: "Since understood that the child's name is Eliza.")

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*A SUNSET AT THE EPISCOPAL PARSONAGE*

*Saugerties, Saturday Evening, August 13, 1842*

The weary sun is sinking in the West—

Mantling the hill-tops with his fading light;

The clouds are floating o'er his couch of rest,

To join the sable pageantry of night:

Now from the bosom of the flowing stream

The tiny billows rise in gentle play—

Casting aside in many a waving beam

The fading image of the god of day.

On hill and plain his light grows paler now,

And darkness slowly steals along the skies,

While calmly from the heavens o'ershadowed brow

Peep one by one, night's bright and countless eyes!

And into flowers whose buds have ope'd with day,

Falls through the air unseen, the dew-drop clear;

The winds that wantoned in the sun's warm ray,

Lisp in soft numbers that the night is near.

† Cl.