Jamieson

Presbyterian Cemetery · Sections 41 & 44 · Scottish bakers, steam crackers, and a cemetery deed

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Andrew Jamieson
(1749 – July 6, 1823) · native of Scotland
Bakery at **Ramsay's Wharf, 1785**
Quasi-War, 1798–1800: Alexandria's bakers sent 40,000+ lbs of bread to the Navy
Trustee of the Meeting House;
signed the 1809 deed for this cemetery
Burial: *41:28, tablet*

Married

Mary Jamieson
His wife
(d. July 12, 1824)
Burial: *41:28*

Catharine Porter Sanford
(c. 1805 – Apr 9, 1843)
Daughter of Thomas and Esther Leavens Sanford (see the Sanford tree)
First wife
Burial: *44:131*

Robert B. Jamieson
(Apr 29, 1796 – Apr 10, 1862)
With his father, founded the **Jamieson Steam Bakery**,
Lee & Oronoco Sts.: crackers for **Queen Victoria's table**
Elder, Second Presbyterian, from 1830
Temperance Society 1830; Alexandria Colonization Society
Treasurer, Lodge No. 22; President, Exchange Bank
Founding incorporator, Widow's Home and Boys' Orphan Asylum
Chaired the 1855 yellow fever relief committee
In business with Cassius F. Lee Jr.
Burial: *44:131, with Catharine and their children*

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Elizabeth Jane Smith
(Jan 5, 1809 – Sept 29, 1890)
Second wife
Burial: *41:30*

Thomas Sanford Jamieson
(Nov 11, 1827 – Nov 21, 1862)
Burial: *44:131*

Mary Jamieson
(1831 – Apr 7, 1898)
Burial: *44:131*

Catharine S. "Kate" Jamieson
(c. 1843 – June 1863)
Buried June 4, 1863
Burial: *44:131*

The bakery after the Jamiesons
By 1836: a three-story brick building · 1850: twelve employees and steam machinery · After the Civil War: damaged by fire, but kept running · 1873: George R. Hill buys it and resumes crackers · 1888: torn down for wholesale warehouses · Archaeology later found its stone footings, a well and a cistern

On the map today: Jamieson Avenue, just north of the Wilkes Street Cemetery Complex, carries the family name.

Two Mary Jamiesons: Andrew's wife (d. 1824) lies with him in 41:28; her granddaughter Mary (1831–1898) lies with her mother and siblings in 44:131.