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Biographical Note

Peter Logan was a resident of Chesterfield, Virginia. He may have been a freedman prior to the American Civil War.

There is a Peter Logan (ca. 1811-1880), who was a shoemaker in Chesterfield County, Virginia. He was married to Betsey Coy Logan (b. ca. 1820), and the couple had several children. He later married Sarah (b. ca. 1835), and they had several children.

Logan died September 2, 1880, in Manchester, Chesterfield County, Virginia.

Sources:

U.S. Federal Censuses, 1850-1880

"Peter Logan" entry, the Virginia, U.S., Deaths and Burials Index, 1853-1917, <https://www.ancestrylibrary.com/discoveryui-content/view/209968:62152>

Scope and Content

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