

Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Lot Number: **16** Space: G

Find A Grave # 9121454

Name: **Saulsbury, Annie Milby Ponder**

Birth date: October 19, 1825 Death date: August 15, 1912 Burial Date: August 19, 1912 Age: 86

Spouse: Hon. Willard Saulsbury Sr. (1820-1892), m. May 11, 1850 in Philadelphia, PA

Children: John Ponder Saulsbury (1853-1889); Margaret Saulsbury (1856-1875); Willard Saulsbury (1861-1927)

Parents: John Ponder (1791-1863) & Hester *Milby* Ponder (1796-1827)

Siblings: Nathaniel Milby Ponder (1818-1818); James Ponder (1819-1897) 44th Gov. of DE; John Rufus Ponder (1824-1825); Hester Milby Ponder (1826-1827)

Residence: Dover, DE

Service/occupation information:

Officiate: Rev. Benjamin F. Thompson

Lot Owner: Hon. Willard Saulsbury

Inscription:

Annie Ponder Saulsbury
Wife of Willard Saulsbury
October 9, 1825
August 15, 1912

DIMENSIONS: H 20" x W 72" x D 36"

STYLE: large sarcophagus with large cross on top and HIS in center of cross

Repairs needed: Cleaned fall 2021



Inventory date: September 5, 2019 Recorder: Ellen Richardson

The Evening Journal, Wilmington, DE, Saturday, August 17, 1912

Widow of U. S. Senator Saulsbury

Mrs. Annie Pender Saulsbury, widow of Willard Saulsbury, a former United States Senator from Delaware and chancellor of the State, died at her home in Dover, Del., yesterday, at an advanced age. Mrs. Saulsbury had been an invalid for a number of years. She was the mother of Willard Saulsbury, Democratic national committeeman from Delaware and a member of Wilson's campaign committee. He is the only surviving child. Mrs. Saulsbury was a sister of the late Governor James Ponder of Delaware.

Boston Evening Transcript, Sat., August 17, 1912

The Evening Journal, Wilmington, DE, Tuesday, August 20, 1912

MRS. SAULSBURY BURIED.

DOVER, Aug. 20.—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Pender Saulsbury, widow of Chancellor Saulsbury, and mother of the Hon. Willard Saulsbury, of Wilmington, took place here yesterday from her residence on State street, attended by the relatives and friends of the family. The Rev. Benjamin Fish Thompson, rector of Christ P. E. Church, Dover, officiated interment being made in Christ P. E. Cemetery.

The honorary pall bearers were, Chief Justice James Pennewill, Associate Judge William H. Boyce, Former Chancellor John R. Nicholson, Dr. L. A. H. Bishop, Caleb S. Pennewill, William Denney, C. C. Fulton, Eldad L. Clarke, Daniel M. Wilson, Thomas C. Roe, of Dover, and Dr. Roland G. Paynter, of Georgetown.

Evening Journal, Tuesday, August 20, 1912

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Registered No. 442

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give the name of the institution on back of certificate.)

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Kent,
Hundred _____
or Village _____
City Dover, No. _____ State Del. Ward _____

2 FULL NAME Annie Pender Saulsbury,

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 MARRIAGE widowed
(If divorced, give date of divorce)

6 DATE OF BIRTH October 19 1825. 7 DATE OF DEATH August 15 1912.
(Month) (Day) (Year) (Month) (Day) (Year)

8 AGE 87 9 I saw the body 1 day. less or more. 10 I saw the body 1 day. less or more.

11 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work lady
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) lady

12 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Delaware.

13 NAME OF FATHER Governor Ponder.

14 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Delaware.

15 MARRIAGE NAME OF MOTHER Dont know.

16 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) _____

17 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Month, Institution, Transient, or Resort) _____

18 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) Willard Saulsbury,
(Address) Wilmington, Del.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Episcopal Graveyard, DATE OF BURIAL 8/19/12.
DO UNDERTAKER W. L. Pritchett, ADDRESS Dover, Del.

20 FILED 8/19, 1912 W. L. Pritchett REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Aug 20 1912 to Aug 15 1912, and that I last saw her alive on Aug 15, 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 P.M.

12 CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
General debility due to age

13 (Signature) [Signature]
(Address) [Address]

14 (Signature) [Signature]
(Address) [Address]

15 (Signature) [Signature]
(Address) [Address]