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While this specific page cannot be used as actual proof of any War service, it can be very helpful as a guide. The reference section for each Patriot contains all of the sources used to validate the information presented on this webpage and would be invaluable on a membership application for the Sons or Daughters of the American Revolution or other such organizations

The cemetery is located in Archer Township. Travel east from Cadiz toward Steubenville on US Route 22, for 1 ½ miles. Then turn left onto Bakers Ridge Road and continue for ½ mile. Turn Left onto Mattern Road and continue for one tenth mile. Cemetery is on the Left.



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SHADRACK TIPTON (lived in and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: 1754 (a) Maryland

SON OF: Edward and Jemima (Murray) Tipton (b)

DIED: 16 September 1822, Harrison County (b)

AGE: 68 years (c)

BURIED: Mattern Cemetery, Archer Township, Harrison County, Ohio

MARKER: Yes (c) but dirt piled across the road entrance prevented our check.

MARRIED: Yes, twice. Details unknown (b)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private Pennsylvania

Specific: He served under Capt. Paxton in Raxton's Ranger Company at Bedford, Pennsylvania, from 12 September 1776 to November 1776, a total of 58 days. (d).

RESIDED: Shadrack was born in Pennsylvania. He served in the army at Bedford, Pa. After the war he bought land in Warrior Mark Township in Pa. In 1815 he sold his Pennsylvania property and moved to Archer Township, Harrison County, Ohio, bought a farm, and lived there until he died. (e)

WIVES: #1 Drucilla (maiden name unknown) #2 Elizabeth (maiden name unknown) (b)
No information known at this time about their birth, death, or burial.

KNOWN CHILDREN:

- 1) Edmond Tipton (ca 1780-1864) married Elizabeth McCabe (b)
- 2) Nancy (1784-1865) married John Mattern (1777-1861) (f)
- 3) William (1791-1866) Smithfield, Oh. married Catherine Weston (1789-1842) (g)
- 4) Susanna married (1825) Jesse Smith (h)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: Shadrack Tipton was a Methodist minister. He helped build the Warrior Mark Township, Huntingdon, Pennsylvania. He was involved with the Methodist Church after he came to Ohio.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Calculated using death date and age.
- (b) Edwin Charles Tipton, "W. E. Tipton and Our Kin," 1996, page 490.
- (c) "Archer & German Townships Cemeteries," Harrison County, Ohio, Genealogical Society, (Cadiz: Privately Printed, 1998) page 31.
- (d) Thomas L. Montgomery, Ed., *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Fifth Series, Volume V. (Harrisburg, Pa.: 1906), pages 53-55.
- (e) Tipton, *op cit.*, page 490.
- (f) "Archer," *op. cit.*, page 118.
- (g) Tipton, *op. cit.*; page 491.
- (h) Charles A. Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in The State of Ohio*. (New York, NY: Printed Privately, 1900), page 330.

Edmund Tipton (lived in and buried in Harrison County, Ohio)

Son of: Shadrach Tipton (1754-1822) and Drusella ____ (1759-1800)

Born: 20 Oct 1780, Baltimore, Baltimore Co., Maryland, USA

Died: 25 Oct 1861, Cadiz, Harrison Co., Ohio, USA

Age: 81

Buried: Mattern Cemetery, Archer Township, Harrison County, Ohio, USA

Marker: yes, broken, lying on ground, unreadable

Married: 26 Mar 1804, Harrison County, Ohio

Mary Elizabeth McCabe - 26 Jun 1786 - 22 July 1871, Harrison, Ohio

Service in the War of 1812

Captain Edmund's military service was with PA Infantry. He served as a Captain under Commodore Perry.

Service: 8 May 1813 – 5 Nov 1813

Captain Edmund Tipton's company of Pennsylvania Infantry was organized during May, 1813, and marched to Erie where it became part of the Fourteenth Regiment, commanded by Colonel C. Rees Hill, of the Second Brigade, Eleventh Division.

Captain Tipton's Company, upon arriving at Erie, was engaged for sometime in guarding the property and operations in connection with the building of vessels for Commodore Perry's fleet, during which time they were cannonaded by the British fleet on Lake Erie. At least part of the company was with the expedition to Sandusky, where it engaged and captured part of the British forces at Fort Stevens. The company reassembled at Erie and guarded the prisoners and shipping on Barr's Island, that had been captured by Commodore Perry in his famous victory on Lake Erie, the 10th of October, 1813.

Among the crew selected to man the vessels and guns during the battle of Lake Erie were a number of men from the central part of Pennsylvania. Captain Tipton's Company was discharged at Erie on the 26th of October, 1813, and returned home a few days later. (Ref. PA-Roots)

Captain Edmund Tipton commanded the draftees from the western party of the county. In 1813, the PA Volunteers was organized in May. They marched to Erie where it became part of the Fourteenth Regiment, commanded by Colonel L. Rees. (Ref. Soldiers of Blair Co., Pa. 1940 by Floyd G. Hoenstine. pp64-65)

A return of Capt. Edmund Tipton's Co., 2nd Brigade, 11th Divis. Pa. Militia, War of 1812-14. "Tipton's Marching Company" belong to the regiment commanded by Col. Reece Hill from the date of organization, May 5, 1813, to the 5th day of November, 1813 inclusive. (Ref. Appendix in Ancestry)

Residences:

Edmund Tipton was born in 1780 in Baltimore, Baltimore County, Maryland. He moved with his father to Pennsylvania.

He joined the Pa infantry and fought in the War of 1812 at Lake Erie

At the conclusion of the War, he returned to Pa. only to soon move on to Harrison Co., Ohio to join his father and live out the rest of his life on a farm there just outside of Cadiz.

Wife: Mary Elizabeth McCabe

Born – 26 June 1786, Pennsylvania

Died – 22 July 1871, Harrison County, Ohio

Children:

William 1810 – 1892

Elizabeth (Eliza) 1812 - ____

Mary 1813 - ____

Drusella 1815 – 1900

James Richard 1821 – 1894

John M. 1823 - ____

Albert R. 1826 – 1891

And possibly – Julia Ann and Richard

More History:

Edmund was one of the first Methodist Episcopal Church ministers in this area, following in the footsteps of his father. There were more family members that were also ministers, including Edmund's brother, William.

The Tipton family appears to go back to the Vikings in the North Seas in the ninth and tenth centuries. They settled in Scotland, then England, then Ireland, and on to Jamaica. They came to America's Maryland around 1655 after the English takeover of Jamaica. While in England in the thirteenth century, Anthony Tipton, a soldier for King Edward 1st, killed the Welsh Prince Llewellyn, allowing English takeover. This resulted in the knighting of Anthony in 1282. He became Sir Anthony de Tipton. Meanwhile, through the years, the Tipton's 'traveled the seas, roamed the ranges, climbed the mountains, harnessed the rivers, fought the wars, won freedom, and stood up to be counted in Washington'. 'They were ministers, farmers, politicians and fighters'. In the mid 1700's they were on the move from Maryland. Some went south to Virginia and some went north to Pennsylvania and forged on from there. Wherever they went over the years, they seem to have been fighters and leaders in the good of the cause. The Tipton's are a family heritage of which to be proud. The father and son buried here were soldiers in two different wars but both fought for the same freedom, - our America.

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The Tipton Family Association of America, Newsletter

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