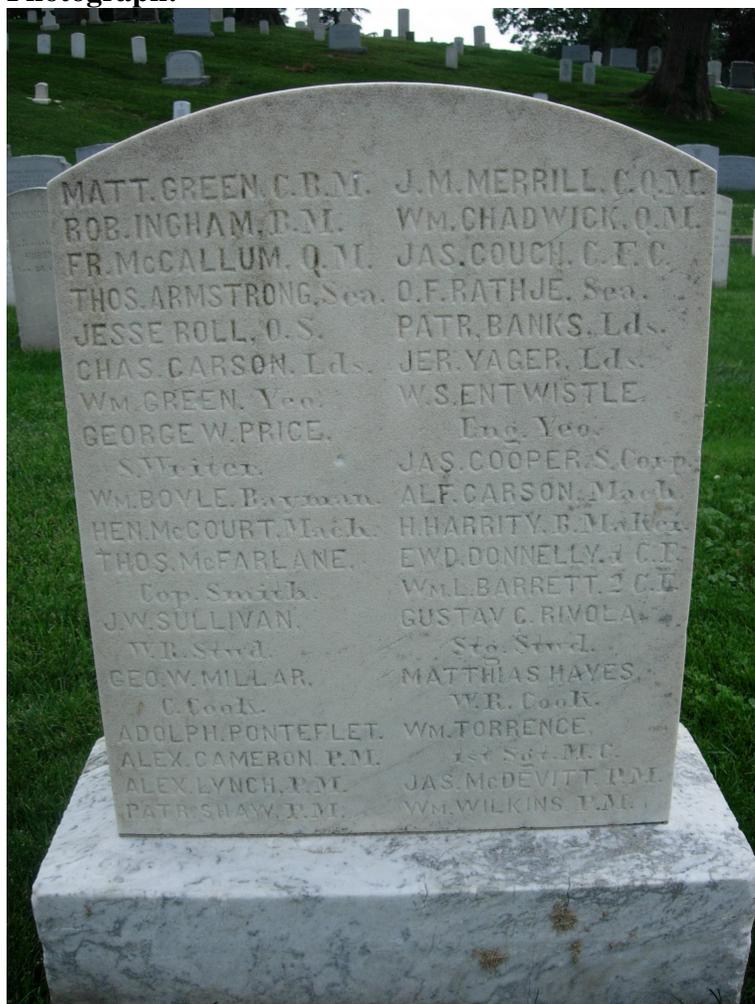


## USNA Cemetery Documentation Project Cemetery Inventory Form Summer 2005

<b>Name:</b> Huron Monument	<b>Material:</b> Marble	<b>Shape:</b> Basket Tablet with Plinth	<b>Features:</b> - faces East - larger than other Huron stones
<b>Section/ Lot Number:</b> 05-1019			
<b>Type:</b> Government	<b>Ornamentation:</b> N/A	<b>Category:</b>	

**Photograph:**



**Condition Assessment:**

- bio growth
- broken
- chipped
- detached from plinth
- fallen
- listing
- offset
- other: erosion

**Comments:**

- Difficult to read due to erosion and bio growth.

**Inscription (face):**

(east side)

MATT. GREEN, CBM	J.M. MERRIL, CQM
BOB. INGHAM, TM	WM CHADWICK, QM
FR. MCCALLUM, QM	JAS. COUCH, CFC
THOS ARMSTRONG, SEA.	O.F. RATHJE, SEA.
JESSE ROLL, OS	PATR. BANKS, LD
CHAS. CARSON, LDS	JER. YAGER, LDS
WM GREEN, YEO	WS ENTWISTLE,
GEORGE PRICE	ENG YEO
S. WRITER	JAS COOPER, S CORP.
WM BOYLE, BAYMAN	ALF CARSON, MACH
HEN. MCCOURT, MACH	H HARRITY, G MAKER
THOS. MCFARLANE,	EWD DONELLEY, 2 CF
COP SMITH	WM BARRETT, 2 CF
JW SULLIVAN,	GUSTAV C. RIVOLA
W. R. STWD	SGT STWD
GEO. W. MILLAR,	MATTHIAS HAYES,
C. COOK.	W. R. COOK.
ADOLF. PONTEFLET,	WM. TORRENCE,
ALEX. CAMERON, PM	1 <sup>ST</sup> SGT MC
ALEX. LYNCH, PM	JAS. MCDEVITT, PM
PATR. SHAW, PM	WM. WILKINS, PM

**Inscription (back):**

(west side)

HURON

The bodies of these men  
were not identified or  
not recovered.

Other Information: The Steamer (with auxiliary sails) USS Huron was the last iron ship made in the Navy and sank off the coast of Cape Hatteras, Nags Head, NC in a storm on November 24<sup>th</sup>, 1877. 98 Officers and men perished and were buried along the beach, 63 bodies were later disinterred and relocated in the spring of 1878, 3 of which were delivered to family/friends along the way and 60 are now interred at the US Naval Academy cemetery.

Those transported and buried in Annapolis (according to a letter to R. W. Thompson, SECNAV, March 29, 1878, from J. Green, CDR USN) :

John Mahone  
 Alex M. Childs  
 Alma Davis  
 A.W. Carey  
 Monroe  
 Green Jackson  
 John Turnay (sp?)  
 Joseph Hanlon  
 Geg. Pyno  
 John Curry  
 Wm. Buden  
 Thos. M. Brown  
 Alex Murray  
 Geg. Malcolm  
 Conrad Hahn  
 James Brophy  
 John J. Toomey  
 Herman Fenesse  
 John Rohrick  
 Wm. Hodge  
 Thos. Laughran  
 S. J. Coffey  
 David Stringer  
 Acman Overbaugh

Chas. McSance  
Joseph N. Clank  
Geo. Jones  
Chas. Pooler  
Patrick Collins  
Frank Burns  
Wm. Carroe  
Elias Harris  
John Hayes  
Albert Sailor  
Chas. Schneider  
Wm. Stanton  
Henry Waters  
Adam Oliver  
R. J. Cooper  
Bernard Rogers  
J. Martin  
Geg. Roberts  
Henry Emerson  
D. M. Clayton  
Geg. Hamilton

(15 bodies that were not identified are marked “unknown”)

Marines aboard USS Huron:

William Terrance – drowned

Adam Oliver – drowned

Joseph J. Burke – drowned

Edward Aaronburg – saved

James Brophy – drowned

Alexander Cameron – drowned (buried at \_\_\_\_)

William Carroll – drowned

Stephen Coffey – drowned

Joseph Haulon – drowned

Alexander Liuch – drowned

Alexander Warram – drowned

Information gathered by John J. McDonough, M.D. and from Jim Cheevers, Curator, US Naval Academy Museum, and compiled by ENS J. R. Langhenry.