

History of Perry County, Pennsylvania, Including Descriptions of Indian and Pioneer Life from the Time of Earliest Settlement Sketches of Its Noted Men and Women and Many Professional Men, By H. H. Hain, Harrisburg, Pa., 1922 - Hain-Moore Company, Publishers, Harrisburg, Pa.

Rev. Isaiah Potter was born in Buffalo Township, January 7, 1819, the son of **Jacob** and **Elizabeth (Buck) Potter**. He attended the subscription schools and the New Bloomfield Academy. He was one of the early ministers of the United Brethren Church and served charges at Scottdale, Mapleton, Ligonier, Liverpool, Warrior's Mark, Port Matilda and other places. Of his seven children, **Miles I. Potter**, the youngest, is now president judge of the Seventeenth Judicial District, composed of Snyder and Union Counties. **Albert W. Potter** was for years an attorney in Selinsgrove, but about fifteen years ago was injured in a railroad wreck which crippled him for life. **N. I. Potter** was an attorney, but died at Selinsgrove in his twenty-ninth year. **M. G. Potter** was a minister of the Methodist Church until a few years ago, when he died at Pittsburgh. Of his other children, **Silas M. Potter** is in the Post Office Department at Washington; **Elizabeth** is the wife of **Ira C. McCloskey**, county superintendent of the schools of Clinton County, for the past five or six terms, and **Emily I** died in her twenty-first year at Scottdale, Pa., where her father was then stationed as a minister.

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