## State Historical Markers Town of Dryden, NY

**UNDERGROUND RAILROAD** HOME OF WILLIAM HANFORD AND WIFE ALTHA C. TODD, WHO SHELTERED FUGITIVE SLAVES ON WAY TO CANADA AND FREEDOM 23 (TR, ½ m. west of Etna)

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**MALLORYVILLE** SETTLED BY SAMUEL MALLORY IN 1826 WHO OPERATED HERE CHAIR AND CLOTH FACTORIES. ONCE SITE OF HOWE AND WATSON AND WADE COOPERAGES 26 (Co. Rd. at Malloryville)

**MALLORYVILLE ABOUT 1845 WILLIAM TRAPP** HERE INVENTED THE FIRST SUCCESSFUL BARREL-MAKING MACHINE. HAMLET LATER **BECAME COOPERAGE CENTER** 27 (Co. Rd. at Malloryville)

ONE MILE EAST ON HILL LOG CABIN SITE OF BIRTHPLACE JOHN MC GRAW,

1815-1877. DONOR MC GRAW HALL, **CORNELL UNIVERSITY** FATHER OF JENNIE MC GRAW FISKE, **CORNELL BENEFACTRESS** 

> 28 (CR 4 m. S. Willow Glen)

**JOHN MILLER** FIRST GOVERNOR OF **NORTH DAKOTA BORN HERE IN** TOWN OF DRYDEN **INAUGERATED 1889** 

31 (CR 3 m. South of Willow Glen)

**BIRTHPLACE OF** WILLIAM R. "DADDY" GEORGE 1866-1936 **FOUNDER OF GEORGE JUNIOR REPUBLIC** 

29 (CR 1 ½ m. W. of W. Dryden)

**INDIAN CAMP HUNTING AND FISHING** GROUNDS ON DRYDEN LAKE. ARROWS, SINKERS, AND **FLINTS AROUND IN GREAT NUMBERS** 32

(CR 2 m. SE of Dryden)

**WAGONSHEAD WILLIAM R. GEORGE CONCEIVED** OF THE JUNIOR REPUBLIC HERE. THE YOUTHFUL VILLAGE WHOSE MOTTO IS "NOTHING WITHOUT LABOR" WAS FOUNDED JULY 10, 1895 30

(CR 3/4 m. W. of W. Dryden)

- 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH DRYDEN, 1830. ORGANIZED 1804 1ST CHURCH BUILT, 1807 **REV. JOHN LASURE, FIRST PASTOR** 

> 33 (County Road at Etna)

**UNDERGROUND RAILROAD HOME OF HANANIAH WILCOX** AND WIFE NANCY ANN PRICE WHO SHELTERED AND ASSISTED **FUGITIVE SLAVES ON WAY TO CANADA** 

> 34 (On town Road at Etna)

**CHARLES W. SANDERS** 1805-1889 **AUTHOR OF SCHOOLBOOKS RESIDED IN WEST DRYDEN** AND COMPLETED HIS "FIRST SPELLER" HERE 35

(On town Road at Peruville)

**BRIDLE ROAD VIRGIL TO ITHACA 1795 BUILT BY JOSEPH CHAPLIN DRYDEN CENTER HOUSE** BUILT BY BENJ. ALDRICH TOWN MEETINGS HELD HERE 36

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