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HARRY WATKINS (1825–1894)

A Chronology

1825  Born at 104 Harman Street (now 92 East Broadway), New York City (January 14)
1838  Enlists in the US Army for the first time (May 23)
1841  Discharged from military service (May 23)
1843  Enlists in the US Army for a second time (February 22)
1845  Discharged from military service (August 8)
1845  Begins diary (November 20)
1845  First benefit performance (December 31)
1851  Tours the southern United States with his own company
1853  Manages the first theater company in Williamsburg, NY (The Odeon)
1854  Marries Harriet Melissa Secor (February 5)
1855  George Washington Watkins (son) is born (February 18)
1857  Becomes Director of Amusements at P. T. Barnum’s American Museum (October 5)
1857  Harry Clay Watkins (son) is born (September 23)
1858  Writes and publishes The Pioneer Patriot; or, The Maid of the War Path
1859  Divorces Harriet Secor Watkins
1860  Marries Rose Howard (née Shaw)
1860  Tours the United Kingdom with Rose Watkins (through 1863)
1860  Diary concludes
1862  Amy Lee (daughter) is born (January 30)
1868  William S. Watkins (son) is born
1887  Charles Howard Watkins (stepson) dies (April 7)
1887  William S. Watkins dies (April 22)
1894  Dies at 463 W. Twenty-Third St., New York City (February 5)