Sodom

Sodom was named by Samuel Morehouse who came to this place in 1800 and lived on the corner of Sodom Cross Road and Peaceful Valley Road. He named it Sodom Corners because he had lived at a place with the same name in Fredericksburg (now known as Patterson) New York in Putnam County, where he was also born in 1764.

A school district was formed in 1819, but proof that it was the cut stone building standing today was never found. The present owner put the date on the schoolhouse. It was located at the junction of the Peaceful Valley and Sodom roads.

The Sodom Union Church, also near the crossroads, was dedicated July 11, 1895 by the Rev. Jay Somerville. Rev. Daisy Allen reopened it as the Sodom Community Church on April 15, 1951.

A postmaster could have an office in her home, so there were several locations depending on who was postmaster at the time. A rural delivery out of the North Creek Post Office was started about 1934 – 1935. There was a Post Office in Sodom, which opened March 5, 1896 with Mary Morehouse as postmaster. The year of its closing is unknown.