

BEAN CEMETERY

MAGALLOWAY - OXFORD CO – MAINE WENTWORTH LOCATION – COOS CO – NH

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This cemetery is technically in Wentworth Location NH, but “you can’t get there from here”. It is on the Maine side of the Magalloway River, but NH grabs a portion of that land. Thank you to local residents who told me how to find it.

Directions: Coming into Magalloway Maine on Rt 16 from Wentworth Location NH, as soon as you cross the bridge, take a right on Pond Brook Road, south along the river. The first 1.3 miles is paved, then it bears right as a dirt road for another 1 mile until you come to a gate. Walk about 100 feet beyond the gate and look up the hill to your left and you’ll see some wire fencing. Climb up the hill and you’ll find the cemetery. It is in fairly good condition, though stones are getting difficult to read. Some small shrubbery and blueberry bushes.
GPS N44.83833, W 071.04974 +/- 60'

Earliest stone: 1861

5 small marble stones with footstones (left to right):

Cara Victoria, dau of Ephraim P and Belinda H BEAN
Died Oct 20, 1862 ae 2 mos

Ephraim Vernum, son of Ephraim and Belinda BEAN
Died Sept 30, 1861 ae 6 yrs 7 mos 24 days

Jacob Melvin, son of Ephraim and Belinda BEAN
Died Sept 24, 1861 ae 1 yr

Nella D, dau of Ephraim and Belinda BEAN
Died Aug 30, 1861 ae 2 yrs 7 mos 4 days

Eoline Viola, dau of George W and Dorothy LEWIS
Died August 11, 1861 ae 3 yrs 5 mos 7 days

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Directions: Coming into Magalloway Maine on Rt 16 from Wentworth Location NH, as soon as you cross the bridge, take a right on Pond Brook Road, south along the river. The cemetery is .3 miles down, on the left next to the church. GPS N44.86239, W071.04106 +/- 96'

Earliest stone: 1849; still in use. Marble and granite stones. Good condition.

Lewis LEAVITT July 24, 1860 – Aug 3, 1946
Delia LEAVITT Aug 15, 1861 – Aug 10, 1946

Elihu LEAVITT 1821-1907
His wife Maria SARGENT 1822-1901
Reverse side:
William H F STAPLES 1830-1870
His wife Janthe P LEAVITT 1853-1868

[“Descendants of Thomas Leavitt, the Immigrant 1616-1696” by the National Assn of Leavitt Families identifies Elihu as b 1821 in Gilead, d 1 Dec 1907 Magalloway, son of Jonathan Leavitt and Maria Bennett.]

Nahum W BENNETT Mar 28, 1827 – Dec 27, 1908
Ann M LEAVITT his wife June 10, 1847 – Oct 13, 1918
Freeman J their son July 30, 1875 – May 28, 1891
(also a separate stone Freeman J son of N W and A M BENNETT, died May 28, 1891 ae 16 ys 9 ms 28 ds)

W N FERRIS - no date – homemade metal plaque

BENNETT Monument
Peter BENNETT Jan 17, 1816 – Dec 27, 1893
Betsey J his wife Aug 1, 1825 – Aug 1, 1866
Ch of Peter & Betsey J BENNETT
John L Jan 25, 1859 – Sept 16, 1889
R Clifton Feb 11, 1865 – Apr 17, 1895
Betsey A May 22, 1855 – June 27, 1855
Sarah J Aug 21, 1853 – May 31, 1861
The latter 4 also have separate stones:
R Clifton – no dates
John L BENNETT died Sept 15, 1889 ae 31 yrs 8 ms
Betsey A died June 27, 1855 age 1 mo 5 ds; Sarah J died May 31, 1861 ae 7y 9 m 10 d daus of Peter & Betsey J BENNETT

STURTEVANT Monument (granite)

David M STURTEVANT Aug 9 1818 – Apr 25 1906

Phila A his wife Oct 31 1832 – July 31 1861

Next side:

Parthenia E June 26 1850 – June 3 1861

Vesta S Oct 24 1852 – June 19 1861

Mary E June 14 1854 – June 21 1861

David F May 24 1856 – July 4 1861

Samuel D Apr 27 1858 – July 19 1861

Children of DM & PA Sturtevant

Next side:

Joseph STURTEVANT died Apr 10 1860 aged 72 yrs

Parthenia his wife died Apr 7 1849 aged 55 yrs

Elious BENNETT Feb 17 1834 – Dec 10 1904

Lucy A June 4 1862 – Oct 27 1895

Fred J Feb 14 1880 – Mar 16 1961

Sadie J Jan 31 1884 – Sept 29 1955

PFC Frederick L BENNETT St Laurent, France US Military Cemetery Sept 9 1915 – June 6 1944

Sarah A STURTEVANT Nov 3 1814 – Dec 17 1865

Arthur Lee LITTLEHALE b Mar 31 1874 d Jan 27 1952

Little Brother Carl R LITTLEHALE died July 6 1888 ae 3ys 9ds

Baby Dec 5 1898 – Feb 1 1899

Freddie Lee July 11 1900 – Sept 25 1900

Children of Lee G & Glenn G WILSON

Randall Robert ABBOTT Sgt US Air Force Feb 19 1949 – July 4 1973

Maurice B PARSONS 1922 – 1996

Phyllis PARSONS 1927 –

Donald A CAMERON 1930 – 1999

Eric CAMERON 1926 – 1986 PFC US ARMY WWII

Lee A WEST March 6 1924 – May 7 1978

Fay Nelson VAUGHN Jan 5 1916 – Nov 8 1997

Elizabeth Menchin CAMERON, his wife, Oct 17 1919 – Feb 5 2000

Bernard Fred Hibbard CPL US Marine Corps Korea 1933 – 1983

Vincent A DELLOLIO Jr. L13 US NAVY Aug 1 1938 – Nov 29 1983

Alice M HARVEY 1919 – 1986

Mark E HARVEY 1924 – 1992

Arthur K JORDAN Tec4 US Army WWII 1906 – 1985

Elva M JORDAN May 13 1917 – Aug 10 1996

Thomas H WILLIAMS Jr., Tec US Army WWII Purple Heart Dec 19 1924 – Oct 20 1992

His wife Edna B LINNELL June 21 1925 –

Their son Thomas H WILLIAMS III EM1 US Navy Vietnam March 14 1954 – Feb 14 1991

Eleanor M MACDONALD May 3 1913 – Dec 21 1971

Claude C LINNELL 1890 – 1978

Mildred E, his wife, 1894 – 1992

Robert Winslow LINNELL 1921 – 1921

Scott A HIBBARD, “Our Darling”, Oct 20 – Dec 11 1963

W W LINNELL Feb 8 1854 – Nov 8 1915

M E HALL, his wife Sept 6 1868 – March 7 1943

Their children:

Roy Albert Jan 16 1887 – Feb 10 1887 age 25 dys

Clinton W Jan 30 1898 – Nov 4 1899

Robert A Aug 4 1903 – Oct 2 1904

Jeffrey Scott LINNELL Sept 13 – 21, 1960