

EVERGREEN CEMETERY: (aka Farr Cemetery & Owls Head Village Cemetery)
Evergreen Lane (off South Shore Drive)
Owls Head, Knox County, ME
GPS Coordinates: 44.0816990, -69.0607000

Transcribed and submitted by Mac Jackson 09/29/1999
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As of 12/2/2022 Find A Grave has **278** memorials for this cemetery (Raymond & Alice Wallace burials pending)

* Records not on 1999 transcript
V - Veteran - (**33**)
C - Cenotaph, memorial only, burial elsewhere
OHVM Owls Head Veteran Memorial
+ on more than one marker/stone

Note: There is a brief history of the cemetery on the last page.

The following transcription is organized by SECTION. There are **6 SECTIONS** (rows), from right (north) (1A) to left (5) (south) proceeding down each avenue from the entrance end (east) of the cemetery.

SECTION 1A

V William J. **Buckminster** 1922-2010 (US Navy 1943-1946)
Helen Wormwood (his wife) Buckminster 1920-1976

Percy S. **Nickles** 1895-1982

Emma B. **Nickles** 1900-1981 (metal marker)

*Linnie May **Nickles** Sept. 24, 1892 Mar. 10, 1967

Charles B. **Miller** June 27, 1960 Nov.19, 1981

Fred H. **Smith** 1882-1977

Rose A. **Smith** 1889-1975

Rita A. **Smith** 1921-1963

*Ronald **Smith** 1942 - 1973

*Lydia L. **Smith** 1917 - 1963

V+ Capt. George Alfred **Ross** BM1 US Navy World War II 1906 - 1980

*Annie Mae Rhodes **Ross** Dec. 15, 1916 - Mar 30, 2009
+Capt. George Alfred Ross Dec. 12, 1906 - Feb. 3, 1980

Walter E. **Ross** 1.11.11 4.27.98
Amanda H. 10.10.10 12.23.2000

Jon H. **Ross** 1940 - 2011
Edward F. "Ted" Ross 1943 - 2015 (BCH metal marker also)

*Clifton W. **Ross** Apr. 6, 1934 - Blank

*Peter B. **Ross** Jan. 2, 1938 Nov. 24, 1998

*Ruth Young Ross Mar. 22, 1940

*V Ed **Dodge** 1938-2022 (metal BCH marker) USCG

*Irene L. **Bray** Jan 6, 1920 May 15, 1999

*V Harold J., Sr. Nov. 3, 1921 Mar. 28, 1986

BRAY Children Monument

*Elizabeth C. Aug. 29, 1946 - Blank

*Linda I. May 7, 1948 - Blank

*James L. May 14, 1950 - Blank

*Celia E. Apr. 9, 1952 - Blank

*Harold J. May 11, 1954 - Blank

*Joseph C. Mar. 21, 1957 - Blank

*Mary St. Clair **Lord** 1893 - 1968

*Charles L. **Butler** 1885 - 1962

*Grace C. 1888 - Blank (1967)

*Silas H. **Curtis**, Sr. b. 28 Jan 1886 d. 6 Feb 1967 (OH dr #53, Book 3) - illegible Russell FH marker

*Grace **Curtis** b. 27 may 1888 d. 18 Sep 1965 (OH dr # 22, Book 3) illegible Russell FH marker

*V Robert B. **Teele** Sept. 8, 1940 Nov. 27, 1972 (metal marker also, grandson of Silas H. Curtis)

George C. **Mason** Jan. 20, 1910 - May 25, 1976

Evelyn E. Staples his wife Sept. 2, 1910 - Feb. 9, 2005

Brig. Maude M. **Staples**, Aug. 17, 1915 - Oct. 11, 2008

*William E. **Staples** 1918 - 2001 (B-S FH marker)

V George C. **Mason**, TSGT US Army, WW II, Jan. 20, 1910- May 25, 1976

Perley E. **Niles** 1907-1972

Tiny M. Niles Wotton 1907-1985 (on stone w/ Perley and a flush stone)

*Edna Mae Robbins **Parker** Apr. 12, 1933 Oct. 10, 1987 In Loving Memory of Mother and Grandmother

*V Benjamin F. **Parker**, Jr. PFC US Army World War II Mar. 15, 1919 Feb. 27, 1992

James F. **Willis** 1903-1980

Arietta G. 1908-blank (1983)

Harriet B. **Keenan** 1902-1993

Edgar G. 1903-1974

Leonard F. **Keenan** Aug. 24, 1929 Apr. 30, 1984

*Patricia (Keenan) **Feeney** 1931-2021 Artist, Quilter, Maine-at-heart Beloved by family and Friends

*Lorraine E. **Feeney** Apr. 25, 1963 June 7, 1990

Effie E. **Peterson** 1915-1973

John C. 1914-1996

SECTION 1

REED/GUSTIN Monument (has no names or dates)

*Carl S. **Reed** Sr. 8.5.1896 - 12.25.1991 (separate flush stone)

*Nellie B. **Reed** 10.14.1902 - 11.16.1991

V Capt. Sullivan W. **Reed**, USN May 25, 1932 - July 28, 2020

Faith Melvin Reed January 19, 1933 - blank

Anthony (Tony) **Gustin** 7.24.1929 - 1.22.2004

Ann Reed Gustin 12.6.1933 - Blank (6.21.2021)

*Avard L. **Walker**, Jr. Feb. 14, 1908 July 14, 1959

*M. Elisabeth Hayden His Wife Mar. 22, 1915 Sept. 9, 1990

Cynthia Louise (**Fowles**) Oct.25 1938 Nov. 11, 1977

*Dorothy Fowles **Stone** 1934 - 1987

*Kenneth Nelson (Stone) Lost at Sea 1970

Ernestine Lindsey **Fowles** 1909-1959

CIARAVINO Stone

Casper 1915-2004

Helen R. 1915-2003

Vincent A. 1952-1974

Capt. Edward **Ross**, 1866-1933

Clara Cotton **Goodwin** 1925-1985 (metal marker)

Capt. Fremont J. **Cotton** 1884-1961

Gertrude E. Pettee his wife 1893-1968

*Pauline E. (Cotton) **Tewksbury** 1929 - 2009 (BCH metal marker)

***V** Donald W. **Tewksbury** 1930 - 2003 (BCH metal marker, Army)

***V** Alfred Hutchins **Teel** CPL US Army US Coast Guard World War II Korea Apr. 21, 1919 Feb. 3, 1994

Herbert W. **Teel** 1922-1966

Mary L. **Teel** his wife 1927-2009

Bray Monument

*Mary Bray Nov. 8, 1919 June 11, 2012

*Flora Bray Mar. 26, 1927 Dec. 23, 2008

*Ellen (Henrietta) Bray Jan. 15, 1929 - Oct. 9, 2015 (2016 in obit)

V William Bradford **Adams** 1890-1959 (WW I, Captain in Medical Corp)

Emily Leonard Adams his wife 1900-1978

***V** William Bradford **Adams**, Jr. 1925 - 1988 (WW II, Infantry)

*Anne Hopkins Adams (his wife) 1929 - 2014

*Dorothy **Adams** May 15, 1885 September 4, 1975

*Roxana Adams **Metcalf** May 19, 1927 - July 2, 1993 Wife of John Shelby Metcalf, Jr. Resting in peace Sarasota, Florida Mar. 24 1923 - Dec. 15, 1991

*Eliza Adams **Metz** October 24, 1989 December 3, 2015

Geraldine **Brewster** 1882-1956

Helen C. **Corbet** 1873-1955

*Edward H. **Benner**, Jr. 1950 - 1950 (Hall FH marker)

V Charles Evans **Brann**, Maine Cpl TC WW II, Oct.27, 1921-July 4, 1952

William H. **Brann** (illegible) There was a corroded marker in 2021 (1890-1966)
OH dr #35 (Book 3)

*Henry H. **Brann** 1861-1941 (B-S marker)

Addie (for Adelaide Alice Fifield, not Sadie) **Brann** 1869-1958 (metal marker nearly illegible)

Nina B. **Perry** 1889-1973

Leland H. Perry 1889-1953 (husband)

ST. CLAIR Monument

C Robert Rogers St. Clair 1886 - 1939 Lost at sea

*Corabelle Young St. Clair 1896 - 1970

Robert A. St. Clair 1916 - 1987

C George W. St. Clair 1925 - 1950 Lost at sea.

Dora (St. Clair) Grant 1931 - 1965

*Lois St. Clair McCartney 1920 - 1986

*Rose Alice **St. Clair** Feb. 27, 1920 May 31, 2001

*Roberta Ann St. Clair Wilson Daughter Nov. 10, 1941 - Blank

Alexander B. **Smith** June 2, 1847 - Feb.10, 1907

Annie B. his wife March 13, 1859 - Jan.11, 1957

*V Anthony **Ciaravino** Sep. 8, 1922 Oct. 6, 2017 (WW II, US Army)

Myrtle Smith **Perry** 1893-1949

Margery L. **Perry** February 28, 1918 April 4, 2002 (Laite FH marker)

V Chandler **Farr** 1830-1917 (Civil War - NAVY, on FaG as John Chandler Farr)
Ann E. **Farr** 1888-blank (1926)

Eunice wife of Wm. C. **Farr** died 1853 (stone is partially buried, oldest burial in the cemetery)

SECTION 2

William W. **Merriman** 1841-1901 Father

Catherine Ellen **Merriman** 1840-1909 Mother

Ivan C. **Merriman** 1864-1946

Arline I. **Wotton** 1920-1920

There are 4 corroded metal markers next to Arline.

*Grover Cleveland **Wotton** (1888-1936) - suicide - obit mentions burial here. OH dr (1921-1947, #124, p. 119) states burial in Evergreen. Wife buried elsewhere/remarried.

*Carrie Ann Wotton **Crouse** (5/7/1884 - 1/4/1919) (sister of Grover) buried here according to her ST death certificate.

CAWC's husband Wm. J. Crouse 1862-1952 (BDN obit 5/3/52) may also be here but no documents to support that.

*V Arthur L. **Kirk**, B. 20 Jun 1900 - d. 19 Oct 1952 - 3rd husband of Jennie Lynch Wade Wotton Mash **Kirk**, the mother of Arline Wotton buried in this lot. His father and brother are also buried in this cemetery so he could be with them. Russell FH handled his burial. (WW I)

* David **Mash** b. 7 Oct 1880 (Camden) d. 27 May 1941 (RKD) Oh dr #215 states burial here. 2nd husband of Jennie Lynch Wade (d. 1986) who is buried in Camden. LHC added to FaG 11/2022

Ross Monument

Katherine **Weissbach** 1843-1918

Charles E. **Ross** 1879-1937

Christina F. Weissbach his wife 1888-1959

*Edna M. **Wotton** 1914-2002

John V. **Leighton** Born 1869 Died 1919

V John E. Leighton Born 1910 Died 1929 (USCG)

*Selma Leighton 1874-1962 (Burpee metal marker)

Peter **Pipicello** 1882-1958

Erika M. Matson his wife 1881-1954

Frank **Philbrook** 1878-1913 (metal marker)

Francis A. **Philbrook** 1896-1936 (metal marker)

Carrie M. **Philbrook** 1880-1946 (metal marker)

James **Bray** Aug.27, 1878 - Dec. 14, 1944

Carolyn (his wife) Jan.6, 1894 - Jun. 20, 1981

*V Maynard James Bray US ARMY World War II Jan 14 1918 Feb 4 2007

Capt. Calvin M. **Rogers** 1841-1927

Elizabeth his wife 1863-1936

Charles F. **Chester** 1853-1934, e Keeper of Owls Head Light 1911-1920

Mary E. Blake his wife 1856-1934

Geneva E. **Elliott** Mar. 3, 1910 - Mar. 19, 1986

Frank A. June 7, 1899 - Jan.3, 1971

Baby **Scammon** 1920

Capt. F. C. **Farr**, 1860-1904

V Biron Grover **Bray** US Army World War II, Oct. 26, 1923 May 11, 2002

*F. (Frances) Maxine Hinton Bray Wife of Biron Bray July 16, 1922 July 3, 2017

V Frank L. **Emery** 1889-1988 Veteran WW I

Bertha I. Cross (**Emery**) 1885-1973

SECTION 3

Speed Monument

John F. Speed 1828-1906

Angeline G. Speed 1836-1906

Jerry B. Speed 1858-1892

Put

Capt. Henry J. **Speed** Sept. 15, 1856 - Jan.16, 1929

Julia M. his wife July 16, 1867 - Aug.24, 1943

James J. **Philbrook** died Nov. 11, 1896 AE 65 ys, 1 mo. & 1 day

Lydia D. Wife of James **Philbrook** died Aug.10, 1909, AE 75 ys9 ms & 24 ds.

George J. **Philbrook** son of James Jackson & Lydia Philbrook b. 2 Sep 1852 d. 18 Apr 1928 (OH dr #94, 1921-1947) NM

Fred C. Beloved son of J & Lydia D. **Philbrook** died May 31, 1899, aged 28 yrs, 9 mos & 1 day

Laura P. wife of Austin W. **Warren** and dau. Of James J & Lydia D. Philbrook died Oct. 17 1886 AE 30 y's 9 m's & 19 d's.

Lewis L. **Robinson** 1872-blank

Mary E. his wife 1873-1925

Azeldia 1892-1898

George W. **St. Clair** July 31, 1860 - Jan. 9, 1933
Mary J. Kenney his wife Aug.27, 1864 - Dec. 18, 1918

*Gloria E. **Dyer** Mar. 13, 1924 July 16, 2000
*V George G. Nov. 1, 1915 Dec. 11, 1993 (WW II, Navy)

*Elmer I. **Dyer** Born 1870 Died 1925
*Florence Dyer 1887 - 1950

Lyford H. **Young** 1876-1925
Edith R. Young 1890-1972

Capt. Sydney N. **Sprague** Aug.24, 1903 - May 10, 1981
Lena A. Post his wife Nov.3, 1897 - Mar. 27, 1998

Elizabeth Post **Manns** Jan. 30, 1896- Jan. 1,1971

Isaac A. **Post** 1860-1921
May S. Whitcomb his wife 1872-1971

Sylvia F. **Whitcomb** Born 1828 - Died 1910 (mother of May S. Post)

Jonas A. **Brown** Born 1858 - Died 1912

C Capt. Thomas J. **Ginn** 1861-1915 Died and buried at sea.
Edith F. Ginn his wife 1866-1935

V Henry Hammond **Watts**, Maine PTR1 USNRF World War I, April 22, 1891- Jan 21, 1959
Jessie wife of Henry H. Watts died Feb.8, 1919, AE 35/6/8

Alma L. wife of Grover C. **Young**, Jan. 20, 1894-Sept.9, 1924
*George T. Young 1924-2002 (on back of her stone)

Etta C. (Chester, dau. Of Charles & Mary) **Tribou** 1876-1957
Albert P. N. Tribou 1880-1941

David G. **Speed** 1850-1919
Flora E. (Clifford) his wife 1862-blank

Hettie (Henrietta Remick) R. **Holt** 1867-1926

Allen C. **Holt** 1865-1935, Keeper at Owls Head Light 1920-1928

SECTION 4

Maddocks Monument

John **Maddocks** 1868-1906
Martha A. His Wife 1875-1961 (Martha A. Speed Maddocks Dolliver, m. 2x)
Fred E. Maddocks 1898-1919 (Eugene, their son)

Capt. Bion B. **Strout**, Sept.20, 1858-Feb.15, 1909
Addie F. his wife Nov.5, 1864-Oct.27, 1941

Maddocks Monument

*Fred E. **Maddocks** 1874 - 1966 (Son of Francis & Mary)
Sada Wooster Maddocks 1884 - 1937 (wife of Fred)
Albert Ginn Maddocks 1913 - 1913

MADDOCKS Monument

M. (Manford Dyer) Maddocks 1872-1951
Grace his wife 1872-1927
Manford their son 1902-1938

MADDOCKS Monument

Francis R. 1843-1925
Mary E. 1847-1927
Daisy M. 1870-1955

KIRK Monument

John W. **Kirk**, 1893-1949
Grace L. Kirk his wife 1888-1982
George E. Kirk 1865-1942
Albert Gove 1860-1935
Barbara H. Gove, 1856-192p7
Jennie Pierce, 1829-1915

V John W. **Kirk** Massachusetts PFC Base Hosp 117 World War I February 14, 1893.
April 20, 1949 (he is also on family monument)

Grace L. **Kirk** his wife 1888 - 1982 (separate flush stone)

Ruth L. **Cookson** 1896-1984 (Laite FH metal marker)

Albert **Gove** 1860-1935 (metal marker)

B. Helen **Gove** 1856-1927 (separate flush stone)

Jane **Pierce** 1829-1907 (separate flush stone)

Riley F. **Strout** 1890-1982
Sterling Strout his son 1926-1926

*E. (Edith) Burrell **Strout** 1892 - 1988

Benjamin W. **Lindsey**, 1912-1977
Lillian M. Lindsey (his wife 1914-1989
Benjamin W. Lindsey, Jr. (Blank birth year) -1931

William A. **Young** 1857-1935 (metal marker)

Mary G. **Young** 1862-1939 (Davis FH metal marker)

V Frank E. **Ross** II, 1929 - 1959 (Korea, OHVM)

*Ida C. **Ross** 1922 - 2003

KALER monument

Sanford A. **Kaler**, Jr. 1902-1956

Helen M. his wife 1906-1991
*Douglas R. **Bowley** Her second husband 1915-2000

WOODMAN monument

Rose S. **White** 1878-1967
Russell W. (**Woodman**) 1915-2003
Alice W. his wife 1917-1989

*Oscar B. **Foster** Oct. 4, 1874 Oct. 27, 1953
*Lucy Moffett Foster Mar. 25, 1884 Aug, 1943

Marcellus T. **Jameson** 1839-1912

Harriet **Graves** 1842-1915

Peter Kenney **Reed**, Dec. 31, 1876 - Dec. 3, 1962
Phoebe Webster Reed (his wife) Aug. 14, 1881 - Feb. 24, 1961
*V Peter Kenney **Reed**, Jr. Dec. 12, 1920 - July 16, 2011 (Also Long FH marker)
UN NAVY WW II

William Paul **Seavey** 1901-1983
Elizabeth Reed Seavey (his wife) 1908-1998

V Alvin L. **Perry**, Maine MOMM2 USNR World War II, Jan. 19, 1922 - April 6, 1954

*+V(IMO)Robert A. **Perry** ADJAN US NAVY VIETNAM Apr 27 1943 Mar 11 1996

+Robert A. **Perry** Apr, 27, 1943 Mar. 11, 1996
*Cheryl A. Feb. 18, 1948 - Blank

*Bertha I. Perry **Sullivan** Feb. 26, 1926 Oct. 16., 2003
*Foster W. Sullivan Nov. 5, 1919 - Blank

SECTION 5

Winfield H. **Maddocks** Nov. 18, 1876 - May 24, 1961
Bernice S. his wife Feb. 23, 1878 - Oct. 1, 1963

Frank E. **Moorlan** 1881-1962
Lura Wife of Frank Moorlan 1891-blank

*V Robert L. **Carver** US Navy Korea Sep. 24, 1929 Apr. 1, 2012
*Helen L. Pinkerton Wife of Robert L. Carver Aug. 20, 1935 Feb. 21, 2019

Betty R. (Dolliver) **Economy** 1927-1978
James husband 1923-1998

Hiram S. **Dolliver** father of Betty Ruth Economy 1879-1966

*Virginia (Gina) **Morang** Dec. 31, 1927 Mar. 5, 2006 Wife of Capt. Donald Morang who is interred in Togus.

*Annie Hickey **Farrell** 1897 - 1986 Wife of Neal L. Farrell Lost at Sea 1933

*V Foster E. **Farrell** June 9, 1926 Aug. 24, 2011 (WW II Army Air Corp, OHVM)
*C Ruth C. (Call, his wife) Jan. 3, 1927 June 12, 2015 (Ruth is buried with her parents in Milo, Maine)

*Kirton Eugene **Farrell** (their son) June 27 (1952) - July 1, 1952

*George Alton **Cole** Apr. 19, 1902 Aug. 17 1985

*Florence Mary Maddocks Cole His Wife Dec. 21, 1908 Aug. 16, 2000

*V E. Kent **Glover** US Coast Guard World War II Aug 24, 1921 October 28, 2001

*Eleanor B. 1920 - 1993

Hugh E. **Knowlton** September 1, 1918 - April 8, 1988

*Barbara A., January 6, 1922 - September 9, 2016

*Phillip L. Knowlton, Sr. Oct. 7, 1946 - Mar. 25, 2005 (their son)

Anita **Knowlton** Lindsey 1941-1967

Lucie Marie **Lindsey** 1933-1982

*Wendell E. **Leadbetter** May 28, 1906 March 25, 1996

*Dorothy M. Aug. 1, 1923 Apr. 4, 2005

*V Paul Learned **Ross** Shipmaster US Merchant Marines 1935 - 2006

Frank E. **Ross**, Sr., 1904-1975

E. Evelyn Learned his wife 1906-2003

V Herbert A. **Hill** New Jersey Pvt Medical Dept. WW I, April 21, 1895 - June 7, 1968

*Charlotte King **Hill** Dec. 22, 1906 July 13, 1995 (his wife)

RIPLEY monument

Ruth P. Buckminster, 1889-1978

Fred O. Ripley 1906-1969

Margery P. His Wife 1916-1997

*Everett J. **Mason** 1914 - 1994

*Doris G. 1914 - Blank (1999)

Kenneth A. **Ives** 1915-1975

Adella A. Ames his wife 1914-1994

Steven Allan **Ives** Son 1948 - 2012

*Linda Greiner **Sprague** Born in Barre, Vt. 1938 - 2013

*Christopher Reed (Sprague) Born in Rockland, ME 1938 - 2005

*George F. **Sprague** Dec. 4, 1908 Dec. 7, 1993

*Lillias Reed Sprague Feb. 15, 1914 Dec. 1, 1991

*Frank J. **McDonald** Apr. 19, 1901 Nov. 6, 1997

*Leona R. Dec. 13, 1903 Apr. 27, 1997

Sidney D. **Upham**, 1913-blank
Edith R. his wife 1917-1967

Raymond **Wallace**, pending (son of Leland)
Alice Wallace, pending

V Leland G. **Wallace** Maine Pvt. Co. D. 3 ENGR TNG BN World War II, June 18,
1906 - Dec. 24, 1964

John **Fernandes** 1901-1980
Emma W. 1922-1993 (first married to Leland Wallace)

Burial with unknown location:

Wilbur **Abbott**, b. 14 Apr 1911 d. 20 Apr 1965 - Russell FH. His death certificate at the Owls Head town office (#11A, Book 3) states burial on 4/23/65 at Evergreen Cemetery in Owls Head. In November of 2022 LHC added FaG record.

Miscellaneous Information

People supposedly buried here as stated in their obituaries (see FaG memorials for obits):

Ada (Philbrook) **Martin**, b. 8 Jun 1869 d. 11 Dec 1957. Davis FH (Her mother and husband are both buried at MacPhail. No headstone found for her in either location) In April 2022 LHC added FaG record with burial "details unknown."

Annie Rebecca Whitcomb Brown **Merriman** b. 15 Mar 1854 d. 16 Aug 1920. She died in Owls Head and is buried in town per her ST death record. Both of her husbands, Jonas A. Brown and Ivan C. Merriman, are buried here, as is her mother Sylvia Whitcomb. In August of 2022 LHC added FaG record with burial "details unknown."

History: Plans for the cemetery were submitted in 1906 which list Chandler Farr as the owner. There were 4 (central) sections at that time, each with 19 lots for a total of 76. In 1961 plans were submitted to the town adding 2 more (side) sections, each with 19 lots. The total number of lots is 114.

Evergreen Cemetery was established on land behind Chandler and Ann E. Farr's home circa 1897. Henry Speed evidently bought the first lot in that year. Chandler died in 1917 leaving all his worldly goods to his wife Ann. She continued selling lots until 1923. She passed away in 1926. Both Chandler and Ann are buried at the far end of the cemetery (Section 1, lot 18).

In 1923 Edith R. Young purchased the unsold lots (33) from AEF. Edith sold those lots until 1960 when she sold the remaining open lots to (20) to Carolyn Bray. Carolyn Bray sold cemetery lots until 1976. She died in 1981 and is buried with her husband at Evergreen (Section 2, 9A).

The following plans/maps below for "Evergreen Cemetery" have very limited information. Farr Cemetery records need to be researched.

Plan Date	Book	Page
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(To access online plans & deeds: Maine Registry of Deeds - Knox County - Guest - search "Evergreen Cemetery" (Owls Head))