
GENERAL NOTES

1. Several sources have been consulted in an effort to provide known information concerning the veterans listed below. Most sources can be found at the Vermont Historical Society Library in Barre, VT. Other sources that can be used, however, are paid websites such as ancestry.com, newspapers.com, and fold3. Sources are given for each veteran where information is presented by an abbreviated title of the following:
 - A. *Soldiers, Sailors, and Patriots of the Revolutionary War – Vermont, 2nd Edition*, Maj. Gen. Carleton Edward Fisher & Sue Gray Fisher, Picton Press, March 1998. Shown in the text as (*Fisher and Fisher page xx*).
 - B. *Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolutionary War* Shown in the text as (*Mass Soldiers and Sailors*.)
 - C. *New Hampshire State Papers*
 - D. *Rolls of Vermont Soldiers in the Revolutionary War 1775-1783*, published under direction of Maj. Gen. Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998, two volumes
 - E. *State of Vermont, Roster of Soldiers in the War of 1812-14*, published under direction of Herbert T. Johnson, the Adjutant General, 1933. Shown in the text as (*VT War of 1812 roster, page X*.)
 - F. *Vermont Historical Gazetteer, Volume 4*, Hemenway, Abby Marie, 1884
 - G. *Roster of Vermonters who served in the Civil War 1861-1866*, published under direction of Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998. Shown in text as (*VT Civil War Roster*).
 - H. The Vermont Civil War website, shown in text as (*vermontcivilwar.org*)
 - I. *Vermonters in the Spanish American War 1898*, published under direction of Maj. Gen. Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998, shown in text as (*VT Spanish American War*).
 - J. *Roster of Vermont Men and Women in the Military and Naval Service of the United States and Allies, World War I*, published under direction of Maj. Gen. Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998, three volumes, shown in text as (*VT World War 1 roster, page xxx*).
 - K. *Roster of Vermonters in Uniformed Service of the United States During the Second World War, 1941-1945*, Assembled under the direction of MG Reginald M. Cram, The Adjutant General, et. al., 1972. Two volumes and an Additions and Changes volume. Shown in text as (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. x, page xx*)
 - L. *Roster of Vermonters who served in the Korean War 1950-1955*, published under direction of Reginald M. Cram, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1978, shown in the text as (*VT Korean roster, page xxx*)

- M. *Roster of Vermonters who served in the Vietnam War 1964-1975*, published under direction of Donald E. Edwards, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1986, shown in the text as (*VT Vietnam roster, page xxx*)
- N. *The Barre Montpelier Times Argus*, Barre, VT, various editions

Other sources, such as family histories, are listed by title and shown where used. Please note that not all the veterans had information that could be found. Perhaps the veteran's service has been credited to a state other than Vermont. The cemetery commission did not do an in - depth search, those wishing further information may be able to find it through their own search. Also, see the article concerning graveside markers on the Barre Town webpage.

Another source used is the Lavin-Rousse Graniteville Genealogy Collection, Doc 634 – 638 as found at the Vermont Historical Society Leahy Library on Washington Street in Barre. When used, a citation is included, Lavin Rousse, Box # / File #, VHS.

Some entries show a source as “fold3.” This is from a paid add-on module to the ancestry.com website. To gain further access to this site, purchase a subscription to ancestry.

Be advised that privacy issues will enter your search for family information. The more recent the data you seek, the more likely it will be protected. World War II information is getting easier to obtain, you still are likely to encounter privacy issues, data older than that era may have little to no restrictions, more recent data certainly will. Information entered within square brackets, “[]” is information added by data compiler.

Should family members and their descendants wish to contribute information about their veterans, they may do so via the Town Clerk's webpage. The cemetery commission reserves the right not to publish the information subject to their review of the contents.

Other abbreviations included:

DAR	Daughters of the American Revolution
FFV	Flags for Veterans, Barre, VT
NARA	National Archives and Records Administration
NSDAR	National Society Daughters of the American Revolution
BLW	Bounty Land Warrant

From “America at War,” The American Legion Magazine, May 2015, page 30:

- Revolutionary War: 1775 – 1783.
- War of 1812: 1812 – 1815.
- Mexican War: 1846 – 1848.
- Civil War: 1861 – 1865.

From: U.S. Periods of War and Dates of Recent Conflicts,” updated Aug 27, 2019, by the Congressional Research Service:

- Spanish-American War: April 21, 1898, through July 4, 1902, inclusive. If the veteran served with the U.S. military engaged in hostilities in Moro Province, ending date is July 15, 1903.
- Mexican Border Period: May 9, 1916, through April 5, 1917.
- World War I: April 6, 1917, through November 11, 1918, inclusive. If the veteran served with the U.S. military forces in Russia, the ending date is April 1, 1920. Service after November

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- 11, 1918, and before July 2, 1921, is considered World War I service if the veteran served in the active military, naval, or air service after April 5, 1917, and before November 12, 1918.
 - World War II: December 7, 1941, through December 31, 1946, inclusive. If the veteran was in service on December 31, 1946, continuous service before July 26, 1947, is considered World War II service.
 - Korean Conflict: June 27, 1950, through January 31, 1955, inclusive.
 - Vietnam Era: The period beginning on February 28, 1961, and ending on May 7, 1975, inclusive, in the case of a veteran who served in the Republic of Vietnam during that period. The period beginning on August 5, 1964, ending May 7, 1975, inclusive, in all other cases.
 - Persian Gulf War: August 2, 1990, through April 6, 1991. Cease-fire took effect April 11, 1991. Currently, the Code of Federal Regulations, 3.2 (i) does not list an official end date.
 - September 11, 2001: Congress passed S. J. Res. 23, "Authorization for Use of Military Force," on September 14, 2001. This bill was signed by President George W. Bush on September 18, 2001.

The commission wants to thank Lt. Col. (ret.) Michael Jarvis of the Flags for Veterans organization for his support in identifying Barre Town veterans.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR (1775 – 1783)

Adams, Job (Section OY3 – 1.03) died Oct 1, 1804 @ 39 years

Born Suffield, CT in 1765. Served in Captain Warren's Company in 1782. (*Fisher and Fisher, page 3*) An article on Findagrave.com acknowledges his service with Captain Warren at age 17, and also stated Adams served with Ethan Allen's Green Mountain Boys. He appeared on a payroll of Captain Jonathan Warren's Company of militia in Colonel John Sergeant's Regiment, State of Vermont for service done in Dec 1782, dated Sunderland, VT, three days service for the suppression of insurjeants in Windham County. (*fold3, Revolutionary service record.*)

Harrington, Nathan (Section OY3 – 3.03) died Jul 30, 1828 @ 71 years

Sergeant., Massachusetts, born 1757; resident of Holden, MA; Capt Wilson's co 1777; resident of Barre 1790; died 1828; buried Websterville; married Elizabeth; 1(W24402); 9; CL-41; OS-106, pp27-8. (*Fisher and Fisher, page 235*) Gravesite listed by the DAR. Nathan Harrington of Holden, has been listed as a member of Captain Francis Wilson's Co., Colonel Danforth Keyes' Regiment, engaged July 2, 1777, service to Dec 31, 1777, 5 mos. 28 days, at Rhode Island. (*Mass Soldiers and Sailors*) In Volume 4 of her history, Abby Hemingway referred to Harrington as a Major and the sixth settler of Barre. He came to Barre from Holden, MA about 1790.

From a declaration of Elizabeth Harrington she made to collect a widow's pension dated the 8th day of January, 1839: She is the widow of Nathan Harrington who was a private in the Revolutionary Army and had received a pension from the United States. She outlined Nathan's service saying he enlisted on 13 Dec 1776 in Capt. David Prouty's company of Colonel Nathan Sparhawk's (?) regiment of militia for a term of three months. Also, on the 1st of July 1777 he enlisted as a soldier in Capt. Francis Wilson's company for a term of six months, in Colonel Danforth Keyes in the Continental establishment; and on the 1st of July 1779 he enlisted as a soldier and joined Capt. Christopher Marshall's company for a term of nine months in Colonel Thomas Marshall's regiment called the 10th Regiment in the Massachusetts line in the Continental establishment and served until the tenth day of April 1780 when he was discharged. She and Nathan married on 29 April, 1784, he died on 30 ... (*fold3, Revolutionary pension declaration record.*) Elizabeth Davis, born 12 Sep 1761, married Nathan Harrington on 29 Apr 1784, died 19 Jun 1844 at age 83, buried at Wilson Cemetery. (*From vital records.*)

Nichols, Jonas (Section OY4 – 2.14) died Aug 26, 1841 @ 96 years

Massachusetts; born Reading, MA, 1745; resident of Worcester, MA; Captain Hubbard's Company 1775; resident of Ward, MA; Barre 1791, 1840; 1(S23824); 9; 26, p 64. (*Fisher and Fisher, page 374*) Grave listed by the DAR. On a certificate dated at Cambridge, June 18, 1775, signed by Lieutenant William Gates, in behalf of Captain Hubbard, certifying that said Nichols and others belonging to Captain Hubbard's Company, General Ward's Regiment, were in need of cartridge boxes or bullet pouches; also, Captain Johan Hubbard's Company, Colonel Jonathan Ward's Regiment; receipt for advance pay, signed by said Nichols and others, dated June, – 1775; also Private, same company and regiment; company return dated Dorchester, Oct 7, 1775. (*Mass Soldiers and Sailors*) During his service, Nichols participated in the Battle of White Plains and marched on Bennington, but his unit arrived too late to participate in the Battle of Bennington. At one time, he served in a unit under command of General George Washington. (Bureau of Pensions, Washington, DC)

Nichols, Thomas (Section OY3 – 7.02) 1756 - 1800

Sergeant. Massachusetts; born, 1756 enlisted at Worcester, MA; in service 1775; died at Barre 1800; married to Dolly; 1(W19221); CL-41. (*Fisher and Fisher page 375.*) Perhaps he is the Thomas Nichols found in the roster of Captain Jonas Hubbard's company of Colonel Jonathan Ward's Regiment. The company returned to Dorchester on October 7, 1775, he also reported "on command to Quebec." (*Mass Soldiers and Sailors*)

From a statement made by Dolly Nichols of Barre on 6 March 1845, as the widow of Thomas Nichols: he served as a private soldier in the Revolutionary War, enlisted at Worcester, where he lived. He served for eight months, in 1775 at Dorchester and near Boston. Afterwards, for about four months at Rhode Island, Dolly thought the year to be 1778. She also stated Thomas took his brother Jonas Nichols's place [as a soldier] at Dorchester as Jonas was a farmer with a family. Dolly married Thomas of Worcester about the 1st day of April, 1782, her name, Dolly Boyden. Thomas died in Barre, Dec 3rd, 1800 and she had remained his widow since then. Dolly Nichols signed the document. (*fold3, Revolutionary pension certification record.*) Dorothy Nichols, daughter of Lieut. John and Rebecca Boyden, baptized Aug 10, 1760; d. Nov 2, 1851; married Thomas Nichols, who lived in Barre, Vt., died 1800, aged 44 years. (*"Thomas Boyden and his Descendants," 1901*)

Sherman, Asaph (Section OY3 – 1.02) died 21 Jul 1810 @ 69 years [1741]

SAR Patriots Index, 47245, membership applications 1889 – 1970: born 6 Mar 1741 at Grafton, MA, died 21 Jul 1810 at Barre, VT. Served as First Lieutenant in Captain Luke Drury's Company that marched to the Lexington Alarm and served with honor during the Revolution. Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution shows an Asaph Sherman in a return of officers to be commissioned in said regiment Capt Luke Drury's company, General Artemas Ward's regiment, and dated May 24, 1775. Legislators resolved in the provincial congress at Watertown on May 25, 1775, that said officers be commissioned. In "The Sherman Genealogy," by Thomas T. Sherman, 1920, Thomas listed Asaph and Nathaniel – below – as brothers.

Additionally, in "New England Shermans," published in 1974, Roy V. Sherman wrote the following: "when about 18 year of age he volunteered to defend the northern border in the French and Indian war; was sent up into the northern border of Vermont, taken prisoner by the French who were in command of Lake Champlain; confined on a sloop all summer; in the fall was exchanged and taken with fever; found nearly dead by his father, tied to a horse and made their way through the forest to Massachusetts." Also, "he emigrated to Barre with his family of two sons and several daughters; settled upon a farm on East Hill. He was a 1st Lt in the revolution."

Sherman, Nathaniel, Captain (Section OY3 – 1.04) died 3 Jan 1812 @ 79 yrs. [1733]

Details not available, not in the VT Adjutant General's Roster for the Revolutionary War, or in Fisher. His grave is listed by the DAR and he can be found at "Abstracts of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots," Vol. 4, p. __; Serial 11304: Volume 3. One possible description of Nathaniel's service showed him to be a 1st Lieutenant in Captain Luke Drury's Company of General J. Ward's regiment in 1775. The same article shows him as a 1st Lieutenant in Captain Seth Morse's Company, in a list of officers in the Massachusetts militia. This group joined Ward's regiment as reinforcements. Nathaniel served as a Captain in the 10th Company of the 6th Worcester County Regiment of the Massachusetts Militia. His name is on a list for the regiment dated April 15, 1776, Westborough, MA. He received a commission on that dated. (*"Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution" and "The Sherman Genealogy by Thomas T. Sherman," 1920*) Even before the start of the Revolution, Nathaniel worked towards the defense of his town. In his "History of Grafton, Worcester County, Massachusetts," Frederick Pierce quoted 1774 town records showing the procurement of a six-pound field piece,

Nathaniel Sherman is listed as the person responsible for obtaining “a supply of bullets and shot to load said field-piece.”

Walker, Benjamin, Colonel (Section OY3 – 1.13) died 11 May 1823 @ 72 [1751]

Lieutenant, Continental, Massachusetts; born at Rehoboth, MA in 1751, resident of Providence, RI, 1775; Capt Warren's MA company 1777; resident of Barre 1793; died Barre 1822 or 23; married (1) Margaret (2) Eunice; she the widow of John Caryle, MA W5193; 1(S41295); CL-10, 100:215; CL-23, p 564; CL-41; OS-106, p 27. (*Fisher and Fisher, page 538*) Grave listed by the DAR.

Per documents in his pension file, Benjamin served as an Orderly Sergeant in Captain Andrew Peter's Company of Colonel Joseph Read's 20th Regiment as found in a muster roll dated August 1, 1775. He stayed with the company for three months and five days, the company returned to Roxbury, MA on September 25, 1775. There is also an officer's commission appointing Benjamin as an Ensign in Peters' company. Walker received his discharge at Valley Forge for health reasons. The pension file stated the discharge came from General George Washington. Eventually, Benjamin received a pension for his services. (fold3) In another period of service, he joined Col. John Bailey's 2nd Regiment of the Continental Army as a Lieutenant, as referenced in pay accounts for service from Jan 1, 1777 to Feb 23, 1778, he apparently resigned from the company. One other period of service places Benjamin as a Lieutenant in Captain Isaac Warren's 6th Company, Colonel Bailey's Regiment in a company return dated Camp Valley Forge, Jan 24, 1778. His residence during the period has been listed as Mendon, MA. (*Mass Soldiers and Sailors*) Abby Hemingway, Volume 4 noted Colonel Benjamin Walker had been born in Rehoboth, MA, 1751 and served as a Lieutenant in the Revolution, being present at the capture of Burgoyne. He commanded a Massachusetts line company while his captain sick, served as a Colonel in the militia, arrived in Barre in March 1793, and died at Barre, May 1823.

Waters, Timothy, Captain (Section OY3 – 5.05) died 20 Mar 1806 @ 51 years [1755]

Service not identified. (*Fisher and Fisher*) Not found in the VT Adjutant General's Roster for the Revolutionary War, Waters probably came from Hebron, Connecticut. Also, the index card showing his death record identified him as a Revolutionary War soldier.

Perhaps: Timo. Waters; Page #: 163; Regiment: Twelfth; Regiment Command: Hosford, Obadiah Col.; Company: Carpenter's Company; Command: Carpenter, Ephm. Capt.; Area of Service: (Township or State): East Chester. Remarks: List of company marching to East Chester to join General Washington's Army. (From a list of Connecticut Soldiers in the Revolutionary War.)

Watson, Captain Joseph (Section OY3 – 1.03) died 7 Jun 1862 @ 99 years [1763]

Joseph's burial index card does reference his service during the Revolution. Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution: Volume 16: Watson, Joseph: Private, Captain Thomas Whipple's Company of guards; service between April 20, 1780 and Dec 20, 1780; 4 mos. and 9 days; company raised for 8 months and stationed at Rutland, Mass. [Marriage records also place Joseph Watson in Rutland, Mass.]

WAR OF 1812 (1812 – 1815)

From Hemenway: ***Soldiers of the War of 1812 buried in Barre Town:*** Jos. Adams, Josiah Allen, Asa Boutwell, Eli Boutwell, Asa Blanchard, Joseph Dodge, Dan Howland, Eli Holden, Davis Harrington, Humphrey Holt, Amos Jones, Robert Morse, James Nichols, Peter Nichols, David Richardson, Baxter Sterling, Joe Sterling, Asaph Sherman, Jonathan Sherman, Benj. Thompson, Joseph Thompson, Marston Watters¹

From Hemenway: ***Military Roll of Barre Company of Volunteers in the War of 1812.*** In the article concerning Barre, a list of residents that volunteered to serve in the local militia has been included. Captain Warren Ellis commanded the company that included a first lieutenant, second lieutenant, an ensign, four sergeants, four corporals, and 110 privates. Many of these veterans are buried in the various Barre City and Barre Town cemeteries. The company arrived on Saturday for the Sunday battle, but lack of transportation prevented them from crossing the lake and participating in the fighting. Refer to Hemenway for complete lists of early veterans.²

Not all of the 1812 veterans below participated in Captain Ellis's company. Several also served in other units such as the detached militia in other locations; still others in the regular army in service to our nation.

Allen, Josiah (Section OY3 – 6.09) died 1 Apr 1842 @ 62 years [1780]

Part of the listing of soldiers in Captain Warren Ellis' Company, his gravestone can be found in the Old Yard, but the top has been broken off. The stone sits next to Polly Allen's stone, she is shown as the wife of Josiah Allen. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September, 1814 and served 10 days in company commanded by Captain Warren Ellis. REF: Book 52, AGO, Page 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 18; Hemmingway's Vt. Historical Gazetteer*)

Blanchard, Amos (Section OY3 – 1.17) 1791 – 1836

Served in Capt. Walker's Company, Col. Fifield's Regiment of Detached Militia in U.S. service for 2 months and 24 days, 1812. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814 and served 7 days in Capt. Frederick Griswold's Company raised in Brookfield, Vermont. Book 52, AGO Page 52. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 56*)

Blanchard, Asa (Section OY3 – 1.17) 1769 - 1850

Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814 and served 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52, AGO Pages 218 and 256. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 56*)

Boutwell, Asa (Section OY3 – 6.02) died 14 Jun 1868 @ 88 years [1780]

Although listed in Hemenway's list, details of War of 1812 not available, nor is he in the Adjutant General's Roster, but his burial index card lists him as a soldier of the War of 1812.

Boutwell, Eli (Section OY3 – 6.03) died 10 Nov 1875 @ 81 years [1794]

Drummer, Barre. Served in Captain Enos Walker's Company, Colonel Fifield's Regiment, Detached Militia in U. S. service, 2 months and 24 days, 1812. Pension Certificate No. 5831. Pension certificate of widow, Love [Olive] No. 6790. (*VT War of 1812, page 60*) The

¹ Hemenway, Abby Maria, "Vermont Historical Gazetteer," a 5 volume set of historical information with Volume I published in 1867 and Volume V completed in 1891 after her death.

² Wood, Stillman, "Barre Company for Plattsburgh," as found in "Vermont Historical Gazetteer," edited by Abby Maria Hemenway.

pension file showed Eli served as a musician in Captain Walker's company, he enlisted on September 14, 1812 and received his discharge on December 8, 1812. The file also showed Eli and Olive lived in Barre, they married in Williamstown in 1815, Olive being Olive Churchill. Eli's enlistment record into the US infantry showed him to be 5'-9 ½" tall with grey eyes, brown hair, light complexion, 21 years of age, and a farmer born in Windsor, VT. He enlisted for the war in Barre on August 15, 1814, Captain Thompson, enlisting officer.

Dodge, Joseph (Section OY4 – 2.08) died 3 Aug 1864 @ 68 years [1796]

Barre. Served from March 15, 1813 to June 14, 1813 in Captain Phineas Williams' Company, 11th Regiment. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814, and served 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. Pension certificate of widow, Electa M., No. 16030. REF: R. & L. 1812, AGO Page 14. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 137*)

Ellis, Warren (Section OY3 – 1.08) 24 May 1777 – 10 Jun 1842

Captain, Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September, 1814 and served 10 days in command of Barre Company. REF: Book 52, AGO, Page 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 150*) In Volume 4 of her history, Abby Hemingway wrote that the "honorable Warren Ellis" came to Barre from Claremont, NH about 1803. The index card for his death record identified him as a veteran of the War of 1812.

Harrington, J. D. (Section OY3 – 4.07) Jan 24, 1793 – Dec 20, 1862

Colonel. Vital record cards show this to be Joseph Davis Harrington. Abby Maria Hemenway published a list of the War of 1812 veterans buried in Barre Town and included a Davis Harrington. Perhaps this would be Joseph Davis Harrington, he would have been 19 years old in 1812. Further information has not be recovered.

Holden, Eli (Section OY3 – 4.09) died 1 Jun 1842 @ 67 years [1775]

Although listed in Hemenway's list, details of War of 1812 not available, not in Adjutant General's Roster, War of 1812-1814.

Holt, Humphrey (Section OY3 – 4.14) died 5 Aug 1864 @ 70 y – 6 m [1794]

Although listed in Hemenway's list, details of War of 1812 not available, not in Adjutant General's Roster, War of 1812-1814.

Howland, Samuel (Section OY3 – 6.05) 1788 - died 21 Jun 1816

Details not available, not in the VT Adjutant General's Roster, War of 1812.

Johonnott, Peter (Section OY3 – 6.06) died 29 Aug 1865 @ 93 y – 2m [1772]

Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814, serving 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52, AGO pages 225 and 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 245*)

Jones, Amos (Section OY3 – 4.05) died 16 Mar 1841 @ 68 years [1773]

Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814 and served 10 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52, AGO Pages 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 245*)

Morse, Robert (Section OY3 – 5.07) died 3 Jun 1842 @ 49 years [1793]

Barre. Served in Captain Walker's Company, Colonel Fifield's Regiment Detached Militia in U.S. service 2 months and 24 days, 1812. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 305*) In a

petition to the Vermont General Assembly, Morse referred to himself as a drafted soldier in the year 1812 under Captain [Enos] Walker in Col. Fifield's regiment. He served until 17 March 1813. In another petition, a soldier that also served in under Walker at the same time stated the company served at Burlington, Plattsburgh, and Swanton.³

According to Eleanor Angell, author of Morse's genealogy, within his family others referred to him as "Captain" even though he did not hold that rank. The author also said that during that time period, it would not be unusual for a respected veteran to be referred to as captain. Morse is referred to as captain on the gravestone of his daughter, Mary Earle.⁴

Nichols, John (Section OY3 – 7.02) 1783 - 1857

Details not available. The VT Adjutant General's Roster, War of 1812, contains five individual entries for John Nichols, none stand out as this John Nichols.

Nichols, Peter (Section OY4 – 3.02) 1777 - 1868

Ensign, Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814 and served 8 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52, AGO Pages 168, 215, and 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 313*)

Richardson, David (Section OY3 – 7.14) died 26 Apr 1845 @ 78 y – 9 m [1766]

Barre. Served from Jul 1, to Aug 31, 1813 and from May 1, to July 4, 1814 in Captain Chadwick's Company, 34th Infantry. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814, and served 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: R. & L. 1812, AGO Page 30; Book 52 AGO Pages 231 and 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 356*)

Sherman, Asaph, Adjutant, (Section OY3 – 1.02) died 13 Feb 1835 @ 59 years [1776]

Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, Sept., 1814 and served 10 days in Capt. Warren Ellis' Company. Ref: Book 52, AGO page 242. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 380*)

Sherman, Jonathan, Jr. (Section OY3 – 1.01) 9 Feb 1846 @ 83 years [1763]

Corporal, Barre. Served in Captain Walker's Company, Colonel Fifield's Regiment Detached Militia in U.S. service 6 months and 3 days in 1812. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September 1814 and served 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 380*)

Smith, Calvin (Section OY4 – 2.12) 1794 – 1867

Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh. September 1814, and served 10 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52. AGO Page 242. (*VT War of 1812, page 388*)

Sterling, Joseph (Section OY3 – 5.13) died 18 Oct 1863 @ 94 years [1769]

Barre, he served in Captain E. Walker's Company, Colonel Fifield's Regiment Detached Militia in U. S. service 4 months and 1 day in 1812. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh, September, 1814, and served 9 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 405*)

³ Angell, Eleanor, *Three Early Vermont Settlers: Amos Morse, George Trow, Ephraim Ainsworth ...*, Burlington, VT, 2000, page 25

⁴ *Ibid.*, page 26

Thom(p)son, Benjamin (Section OY4 – 1.03) died 4 Apr 1861 @ 61y 8m 17d [1799]
Possible: Corporal of Barre, Served as a musician and corporal in 3 Regiment (Tyler's) Vermont Militia. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 420*)

Thomson, Eli (Section OY4 – 1.08) died 17 Jul 1826 @ 33 years [1793]
Served in Captain E. Walker's Company, Colonel Fifield's Regiment. Detached Militia in U. S. service 2 months and 24 days. 1812. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 422*)

Thom(p)son, Isaac S. (Section OY4 – 1.07) died 14 Mar 1827 @ 63 years [1764]
Barre. Volunteered to go to Plattsburgh. September 1814, and served 10 days in Captain Warren Ellis' Company. REF: Book 52. AGO Page 242. (*VT War of 1812, page 421*)

Thompson, Joseph (Section OY4 – 2.13) died 8 Dec 1836 @ 65 years [1771]
Barre, served in Captain Wright's Company, Colonel Ffield's Regiment Detached Militia in U.S. service 2 months and 21 days, 1812. (*VT War of 1812 roster, page 422*)

Thurston, Adolphus (Section OY4 – 4.13) 24 Dec 1773 – 22 Jun 1865
Thurston is listed in Hemenway's list of Revolutionary soldiers but would have been too young for that conflict. Details of War of 1812 not available, not in Adjutant General's Roster, War of 1812-1814.

MEXICAN WAR (1846 – 1848)

Bigelow, Minorice (Section OY3 – 6.13) 1814 – 22 Nov 1860

Mexican War. (1846 – 1848) Historical record: Bigelow, Minorice, 28, blue eyes, brown, fair complexion, 5-9 1/2 tall, Brookfield, VT, farmer, enlisted 28(?), 1842 at Boston, Lt. Magruder for five years, assigned to 1st Artillery, Company K, discharged 7 April 1847. Discharge record showed Bigelow, Minorice, 33, a soldier from Brookfield, under Captain Taylor, of the 1st Artillery, Company K, discharged 24 Aug 48, circular disability, perhaps discharged at Fort Columbus, NY. [The second record cited much easier to read.] The records are found on the ancestry.com website.

CIVIL WAR: (1861 – 1865)

Abbott, Lemuel Abijah (Section OY3 – 5.08) 24 Aug 1842 – 3 Feb 1911

Major, US Army, small granite marker with metal plaque in Wilson Cemetery: on a pedestal with the initials L.A.A., a plaque that reads "Maj. Abbott fought in the Civil War, commanding and leading men to preserve the Union, in about two score battles - 1862 - 1865 - in the Tenth Regiment Vermont Vol. Infantry; was four times wounded; and after, in the Sixth U.S. Cavalry, against Indians on the frontier in protection of helpless families and frontiersmen, in all about twenty years. It was on his recommendation, when in command of Camp Thomas, A.T. 1879, to the government, which it adopted, that the Indians were schooled, elevated and brought to a standard of civilization which took them from the warpath and its atrocities which had shocked the civilized world from the first settlement in America." - adjacent marker reads "Veteran 61-65"

From *Revised Roster of Vermont Volunteers and Lists of Vermonters Who Served in the Army and Navy of the United States during the War of the Rebellion, 1861 – 66*:

US Army, page 677. Abbott, Lemuel A., - 1st Sergt. Co. B., 10th Vt. July 28, '62; Prom. 2d Lieut. Co. D. Jan 26, '63; 1st Lieut. Co. C. June 17, '64; Wd. Sept. 19, '64; Capt. Co. G. Dec 19, '64; honorably must. out June 22, '64; 1st Lieut. and Adjt. 97th U.S.C. Infantry Nov. 6, '65; honorably must. out Apr 6, '66; 2d Lieut. 6th Cav. U.S.A. July 2, '67; 1st Lieut. Sept. 10, '67; Capt. June 3, '80; retired Jan 3, '85. Present in action at Warrington, Rapidan Station, Kelley's Ford, Brandy Station, Mine Run, Locust Grove, Va.; with the 6th Corps, Army of the Potomac, and engaged at the battles of the Wilderness, (slightly wounded,) Spotsylvania, North Anna, Totopotomoy, Cold Harbor, siege and battles around Petersburg, Va.' defense of Maryland, battle of Monocacy (severely wounded,) Shenandoah Campaign, actions of Snicker's Gap, Charlestown and battle of Opequan Creek, (twice severely wounded); in Richmond campaign, Army of the Potomac, Dec, '64 to Apr., '65; engaged in siege and capture of Petersburg; in action, at Sailor's Creek, and capitulation of the rebel army at Appomattox Court House, Va.

Vermonters Who Served as Officers in the United States Colored Troops, page 717: 1st Sergeant, Co. B. 10th Vt., July 18, '62; 2d Lieut. and Capt. 10th Vt.; Discharged for promotion in U.S.C.T., [US Colored Troops] July 16, '64; 1st Lieutenant and Adjutant 97th U.S.C. Infantry., Nov. 6, '65; mustered out with Regt. Apr 6, '66.

Abbott published a portion of his diary, "Personal Recollections and Civil War Diary 1864," Major Lemuel Abijah Abbott, U. S. A., Late Captain 10th Regt. Vt. Vol. Infantry, Burlington, Vt., 1908. The book covered Abbott's life during the year 1864 and a portion of 1865. Abbott wrote about his participation in General Grant's and General Sheridan's campaigns in Virginia and the surrender of General Lee at Appomattox Court House. Abbott served as a company officer during this time period. He also produced and published a family history in a two volume set, "Descendants of George Abbott, Of Rowley, Mass."

Baker, Isaac (Section OY1 – 258a) 1837 - 1928

14th N.Y. Heavy Artillery, credited to Websterville, Vt. on the Vermont in the Civil War website, vermontcivilwar.org, and buried at the Wilson Cemetery. Isaac, born in Chazy, NY, enlisted at Elmira and mustered in at Staten Island. From New York records: enlisted 28 Dec 1863 at Chateaugay, mustered in 5 Jan 1864 as a private in the 14th artillery, mustered out 26 Aug 1865 with his company at Washington, D.C. His official biography published in the membership directory of the Crandall post of the GAR showed he had participated in battles the Wilderness, Spotsylvania, Cold Harbor, Petersburg Mine, and Weldon Railroad.

Barnes, G.[eorge] W. (Section OY3 – 4.02) [No sources found for birth/death dates]

Company E, 8th Massachusetts Infantry, credited to Websterville, Vt. on the Vermont in the Civil War website, vermontcivilwar.org.

Bigelow, Charles A. (Section OY3 – 6.14) died 30 May 1864 @ 16y 8 m 21 d [1846]

17th Regiment, Company E, Barre, VT, Private. Enlisted: Mar 31, '64. Mustered in: Apr 12, '64. Died May 30, '64 of wounds received May 6, '64. [Battle of the Wilderness] Buried at Arlington, VA. (*VT Civil War Roster*) From his gravestone: "... died in Washington, D.C. May 30, 1864 AE 16 yrs. 8 ms. & 21 ds. A member of Co. E, 17th Regiment Vermont. Volunteers."

Bond, Calvin T. (Section C – 45) 22 Apr 1834 – 1 Dec 1905

15th Regiment, Company D, Topsham, VT, Private. Enlisted: Sep 15, '62, Mustered in Oct 22, '62. Promoted to Corporal May 1, '63: Mustered out Aug 5, '63. (*VT Civil War Roster*)

Dodge, Laroy (Section OY4 – 2.07) died 29 Oct 1864 @ 27 years [1837]

10th Regiment, Company B, Barre, VT, Private. Enlisted: Jul 29, '62. Mustered in: Sep 1, '62. Died Oct 28, '64 of wounds received Sep 22, '64. [Battle of Fisher's Hill, Va.] (Interred in Loudon Park, near Annapolis, MD.) (*VT Civil War Roster*)

Dodge, Wesley (Section OY4 – 2.07) died 28 Jun 1864 @ 25 years [1839]

1st Regiment Cavalry, Barre, VT, Corporal. Enlisted: Sep 14, '61. Mustered in: Nov 19, '61. Promoted to Corporal. Wounded and taken prisoner Jun 23, '64 and died Jun 24, '64 of wounds. (*VT Civil War Roster*) Dodge's wounds came at Weldon Railroad, he became a prisoner near Nottoway Court House, and died at Andersonville the next day.

Dudley, Andrew J. (Section OY4 – 2.03) 13 Sep 1835 – 9 Feb 1894

2nd Regiment, Vermont Volunteer Militia, Company B, Barre, VT, Private. Enlisted: Sep 7, '61. Mustered In: Sep 20, '61. Discharged: Jan 2, '63 for disability. (*VT Civil War Roster*) According to the Vermont in the Civil War website, Dudley also enlisted in the US Navy in November of 1864 and served aboard the Naubec, the Horace Beals, the Vermont, the North Carolina, and the Sabine, described below. Enlistment records from New Jersey, 1864 show an Andrew J. Dudley from Vermont as enlisting for two years and collecting a \$200 bounty. He would have been unmarried during this time, he married Emma Wells on 25 November 1873, and he worked as a mechanic.

- Draft registration: Washington county, May and June 1863; Barre, Dudley, Andrew J., age 27, a clerk, unmarried, born in Vermont, prior service 8th N.Y. and 2nd Vt Vol., discharged from both.

- Enlistment: New Jersey, 1864, week ending Nov 12, 1864; Dudley, Andrew J., enlisted Nov 7 for 2 years for general service, \$200 bounty, no ship given, no previous naval service, enlisted in New Jersey, 5th congressional district, Hudson County; born in Vermont, age 29, a clerk, blue eyes, sandy hair, fair complexion, 5 ft – 5 1/2 inches tall

- Soldier profile: Andrew J Dudley of Vermont; enlisted 7 Sep 1861, a Private, served Vermont, survived the War, service record: Enlisted in Company D, Vermont 2nd Infantry Regiment on 20 Sep 1861, Mustered out on 02 Jan 1863. From Roster of Vermont Volunteers during the War of the Rebellion 1861-66

- USS Naubuc, an 1175-ton Casco-class light draft monitor, later converted to a spar torpedo vessel.

- USS Horace Beals, a bark, a guard vessel or supply storage ship attached to a group of mortar schooner.

- USS Vermont (1862-1902), a store ship attached to the South Atlantic Blockading Squadron stationed at Port Royal, South Carolina.
- USS Sabine, a sailing frigate in the style of older navy ships from the time period before the Civil War.
- USS North Carolina served as a store ship in at the New York Navy Yard.
- Pension records: Dudley, Andrew J., widow, Dudley, Emma H., ordinary seaman aboard the Naubec, Horace Beals, Vermont, North Carolina, Sabine; also Company D of the 2nd Vermont Infantry, widows pension application 20632, certificate 15634

Ellenwood, Charles T. (Section D – 113) 1843 - 1917

Born 10/20/1844 at Hillsborough, NH, died 12/12/1915 and is buried in Wilson Cemetery, Barre. Service credited to Barre, 6th Massachusetts Infantry. (*vermontcivilwar.org*) Other records show him with Company I and Headquarters Company, part of the 60th Regiment. He served between 31 Aug 1862 and 3 June 1863. Charles had a pension, number 951076, the number 808522 for wife Lucy's widow's pension.

Estabrook, Cyrus J. (Section OY3 – 1.15) 18 Aug 1841 – 2 Feb 1915

10th Regiment, Company I, Chelsea, VT. Private: Enlisted: Aug 1, '62. Mustered in: Sep 1, '62. Wounded Jun 1, '64; mustered out: Jun 22, '65. (*VT Civil War Roster*) Estabrook received a pension, probably as a result of his wounds suffered at Cold Harbor, certificate 99,643, dated 7 May 1869. His wife also received a pension after Cyrus passed away, her certificate number 793,111, dated 19 Feb 1915. His official biography prepared for the Crandall Post of the GAR stated he had participated in battles at Orange Grove, Spotsylvania, Petersburg, Gettysburg, Fisher's Hill, and Cedar Creek. While fighting at Cold Harbor, Estabrook was wounded.

Estabrook, George A. (Section OY3 – 1.15) 17 Mar 1844 – 18 Mar 1865

Listed as an unassigned recruit from Chelsea, VT, enlisted and mustered in on Feb 8, '65, died at New Haven, Conn., Mar 18, '65. Buried at the National Cemetery in New Haven. (*VT Civil War Roster*) According to the Vermont in the Civil War website, George has been re-interred at Wilson Cemetery. He originally enlisted to join Company G of the 10th Regiment.

Harrington, Nathan (Section OY3 – 3.04) 1838 – 15 Feb 1931, burial in Wilson verified, in "family plot," but actual grave location not determined.

Age 22, service credited to Barre; enlisted 9/7/1861, mustered in 9/20/1861, served as a private in Company D of the 2nd Vermont Infantry; wounded at the Battle of the Wilderness on 5/5/1864; mustered out 9/20/1864. (*VT Civil War Roster*)

Pension: Harrington, Nathan, Co. D, 2nd Regiment, Vermont Infantry. Dated 1879, Aug 19 and again on 1907, Mar 1. Invalid, application 305585; Law 'J' and again for age; certificate number 183832. Died Feb 15, 1931 at South Barre, VT. Pension card 183832: Invalid: Harrington, Nathan; Co. D, 2nd Vermont Infantry.

A special schedule, Surviving Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines, and Widows, Etc., taken in Barre, listed Nathan Harrington on line 26 of page 2. The schedule referred to Nathan's service as a private in Company D of the 2nd Vermont Volunteers, serving from September 20, 1861 until September 19, 1864. Information also showed Nathan had been shot in the right arm and suffered from rheumatism as a result.

Active in the GAR, he had an official biography on file at the Crandall post. It referenced battles at Lee's Mills, Savage's Station, White Oak Swamp, Antietam, Cranston's Gap, Gettysburg, Rappahannock Station, the Wilderness – where he was wounded, Charleston, and Opiquam.

Holt, Calvin (Section OY3 – 4.15) died 26 May 1897 @ 72 years [1825]

10th Regiment, Company B, Barre, Private. Enlisted: Jul 29, '62, Mustered In: Sep 1, '62, Mustered Out: Jun 22, '65. (*VT Civil War Roster*) His GAR biography showed he spent his time in the service among the camps scattered around Washington, DC.

Hunt, Morris F. (Section D – 114) 1835 - 1909

4th Regiment, Vermont Volunteer Infantry, Company H, Danville, Private. Enlisted: Aug 12, '62, Mustered in: Sep 22, '62. Transferred to V.R.C. Jul 20, '64; Mustered out Jul 3, '65. (*VT Civil War Roster*) Hunt and his wife, Lydia each had a pension, his number 271214, and hers 683936.

Jenkins, Mason B. (Section C – 49) 24 Jan 1835 – 25 Nov 1910

8th Regiment, Company D, Fairlee, Private. Enlisted: Dec 26, '61. Mustered in: Feb 18, '62. Discharged for wounds received May 27, '63 [at Port Hudson, La.] (*VT Civil War Roster*) Jenkins collected a pension, number 109513, his wife Mary had a survivor's pension, number 715929.

O'Neal, Daniel (Section OY3 – 2.01) died 4 Jun 1872

5th Vermont Volunteer Infantry, Company B., Private. E. Montpelier. Enlisted: Nov 24, '63. Mustered in: Dec 3, '63. Transferred to Veterans Reserve Corps, Apr 17, '64. Discharged Mar 19, '65. (*VT Civil War Roster*)

Taisey, Robert (Section B – 18) 1823 – 1931

Taisey has a 61 -65 marker on grave, but he is not listed in the Vermont Civil War Roster. Further research showed he applied for a pension as an invalid, application number 673 280, and certificate number 464 021. On the index card, he is shown to have been a member of Company B of the 6th Vermont Infantry, his name does not show in the roster. The original pension request carried the name Robert Tancy. The military supplement to the 1890 Census showed him as a surviving soldier living in Topsham, Vermont.

Wilber, W[allace] (Section East – 167ee) 1830 – 1921

Age 23, credited to unknown. Enlisted, Bronson, MO, 8/24/61, m/i, Private, Company D, 11th MI Infantry, m/o 9/30/64, Sturgis, MI. Born: 12/27/1830, Michigan; died 03/22/1921; died/buried in East Barre, VT. (*vermontcivilwar.org*)

SPANISH AMERICAN WAR (April 21, 1898, through July 4, 1902, inclusive)

Cochran, Charles M. U.S.W.V. (Section OY5 – A8) 1877 – 1963

Resided: E. Barre, born at Calais. Enlisted: May 7, 1898 at age 21. Remarks: Absent sick in line of duty in Division Hospital, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, Aug 16 to Aug 19, 1898. (*VT Spanish American War*) (USWV = United Spanish War Veterans) He had a pension certificate 1203030, dated 6 Oct 1915, for his service. The record showed he served in the Vermont Infantry, Company D, 26th US Volunteer Infantry.

A Barre Daily Times article published on 23 August 1898, three more soldiers from Company E arrived back home to Barre, two of them, Charles Cochran and William Burroughs arrived safely but “can hardly be recognized they are so poor. The third, James Barron arrived suffering from thypoid fever and had a temperature of 103. (Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.)

The Barre Daily Times published a short article on 19 march 1900 that placed Cochran in the Philippines. The article presented two items, three members of his unit had been wounded and several other had gotten married. Cochran had managed to stay single.

Mitchell, James Edward (Section C – 6) Jan 7, 1875 – Mar 12, 1963

1st Sergeant, Company M, 3rd Regiment. (*Connecticut Servicemen data base.*) His death certificate showed he served between 20 Jun 1898 and 20 Mar 1899. Mitchell also belonged to the SUWV as noted in the Cochran entry.

Ward, George A. (Section E – 140) Jun 8, 1869 – Jun 4, 1951

Corporal, Rhode Island Light Artillery. (From his gravestone) The application for the stone can be found on line. The data shows that Ward enlisted on June 6, 1898 and received his discharge on October 6, 1898. During the verification process, hand written entries his rank and “Battery A, 1st Regiment, Rhode Island Light Artillery.” The flat, granite stone is listed for placement in Wilson Cemetery.

NOTE: electronic copies of *Vermonters in the Spanish American War 1898*, published under direction of Maj. Gen. Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998, can be found on the internet in pdf format.

WORLD WAR I: (VA dates = April 6, 1917, through November 11, 1918, inclusive)

NOTE: electronic copies of *Roster of Vermont Men and Women in the Military and Naval Service of the United States and Allies, World War I*, published under direction of Maj. Gen. Martha T. Rainville, the Adjutant General Vermont, Camp Johnson, Colchester, Vermont, 1998, can be found on the internet in pdf format.

Anderson, Ernest Wellington (Section OY5 – 192b) 1888 - 1935

2711882, 30 1/12 years. Resided: Websterville, born at Newfoundland. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, Mass. to Jun 15, 1918; Headquarters. Company 303rd Infantry to Aug 5, 1918; Headquarters. Company 162nd Infantry to Sep 1, 1918; Headquarters. Company 359th Infantry to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Apr 1, 1919. Overseas Jul 5, 1918 to Jun 6, 1919. Discharge: Jun 18, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 24.*)

A letter published in the Barre Daily Times on 14 December 1917, came to the Anderson family from Ernest, "somewhere in France." He reported a safe trip across the Atlantic and had settled into camp. He praised the weather, a place to sleep, and good food. All that and \$33 per, assume per month pay. Another letter published 7 Mar 1918 reported Anderson served with the 29th Engineers and still very satisfied with his circumstances. (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*)

Bassett, Earl Drown (Section F – 13) 1894 - 1967

967505, 23 1/12 years. Resided: Barre. Official Record: Ludlow, Mass. Enlisted: Nov 25, 1917, Springfield, Mass. Organization: 170th Aero Squadron to Aug 29, 1918; 1108th Aero Squadron to Sep 11, 1918; 270th Aero Squadron to discharge. Overseas: Mar 5, 1918 to Jul 10, 1919. Discharge: July 21, 1919 at Camp Mills, N.Y. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 72.*)

Bennett, Henry A. (Section East – 44) 28 Jun 1893 – 15 Nov 1948

108706, 23 years. Born at Lincoln. Enlisted: Jul 1, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company F 1st Vermont Infantry to Aug 23, 1917; Company B 101st Machine Gun Battalion to Oct 4, 1917; Headquarters. Company 101st Machine Gun Battalion to Apr 1, 1918; Company B 101st Machine Gun Battalion, to Feb 1, 1919; Headquarters. Company 101st Machine Gun Battalion to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Aug 20, 1917; Wagoneer Oct 4, 1917; 1/c Private Aug 1, 1918; Private Feb 1, 1919. Overseas: Oct 10, 1917 to Apr 7, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 94.*) The application for his cemetery marker also referenced the 101st belonged to the 26th Division. [Killed in 1948 in a mill accident by immersion in boiling water.]

Blake, Harry R. (Section G – 17) 1888 - 1973

1672742, 29 1/2 years. Official Record: Barre, born at Corinth. Inducted: 21 Nov 1917 at Chelsea. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade, Camp Devens to 17 Jan 1918; 1st Veterans Hospital, Medical Department to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private, 7 August 1918. Overseas: 28 April 1918 to 9 June, 1919. Discharge: 13 June 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 119.*) The Barre Daily Times reported the Grange flew a flag in honor of Blake as well as members Ernest Eastman, Frank Clark, all in France, and Herbert Clark.

Brigham, Edwin L. (Section OY2 – 342a) 1895 - 1964

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War I. Perhaps he served in a unit from Massachusetts, his draft registration showed his hometown as Waltham.

Brown, Elmer E. (Section N – 46) 1895 - 1991

69146, 22 4/12 years. Resided: Montpelier, born at Chelsea, Mass. Enlisted: May 31, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company H 1st Vermont Infantry to Aug 23, 1917. 6th Company 101st Ammunition Train to Sept 7, 1917; Company H 1st VT Infantry to Sep 14, 1917; Company K, 103d Infantry to discharge. Overseas: Sep 27, 1917 to Dec 31, 1918. Severely wounded in action: Jul 20, 1918. Discharge: Jan 15, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 167.*)

Cameron, John A. (Section G – 1000) 1896 – 1986

2798230, 21 9/12 years. Resided: E. Barre, born in Websterville. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Company B 304th Battalion Tank Corps to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Oct 16, 1918. Overseas: Oct 20, 1918 to May 30, 1919. Discharge: Jul 17, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 205.*)

Campbell, John K. (Section N – 23e) 22 Mar 1891 - 22 Jun 1946

384975, 27 2/12 years. Resided: Graniteville. Official Record: Springfield, Mass. Born at Milan, Que., Canada. Inducted: May 31, 1918 at Springfield, Mass. Organization: Company D, 2d C. A. [Coastal Artillery] Park, Camp Jackson, S.C. to discharge. Grades: Wagoner Jun 7, 1918. Overseas: July 10, 1918 to July 5, 1919. Discharge: July 15, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 206.*)

Clark, Frank James (Section N – 61e) 16 Oct 1896 – 1 Dec 1975

108709, 20 7/12 years. Resided: Orange, born at Orange. Enlisted: Jun 28, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company C, 1st Vermont Infantry to Aug 23, 1917; Headquarters, Company 101st Machine Gun Battalion to discharge. Grades: Wagoneer Apr 1, 1918. Overseas: Oct 10, 1917 to Apr 7, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 251.*)

According to the Barre Daily Times published on 14 January 1919, Clark's mom, Mrs. H. S. Clark of Orange, received a pair of vases from him, made out of French "75" artillery shells. The article referenced his service with Company C, 101st Machine Gun Battalion of the 26th Division. (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*)

Coleman, Edgar Leroy (Main section – 16s) 22 Apr 1888 – 29 Jun 1965

2,722,802, 30 1/12 yrs. Resided: E. Barre, born at Orange. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organizations: Co. "A," 301st Ammunition Train to Dec. 2, 1918; 1st Replacement Depot to discharge. Overseas: July 12, 1918 to Apr. 17, 1919. Discharged: Apr. 29, 1919, Cp. Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 268.*) Other records show Coleman traveling to Europe aboard the troopship "Ajana" and returning from France aboard the "Patricia."

Coutts, Alexander (Section B – 6) 3 Mar 1888 – 3 Oct 1938

2722870, 30 2/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born in Scotland. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Battery C 301st Field Artillery to discharge. Overseas Jul 16, 1918 to Jan 5, 1919. Discharge: Jan 18, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 294.*) Coutts, born in Scotland, received his naturalization citizenship on 26 Jun 1918, his occupation; soldier.

Donald, Fred Clark (Section OY1 – 212) 1895 - 1980

2462344, 22 7/12 years. Resided: Websterville, official record: Graniteville. Born at Annisquam, Mass. Inducted: Mechanized Detachment, University of Vermont, Burlington to Jul 13, 1918; Company E 57th Engineers to Aug 6, 1918; Company D 57th Engineers; 125th Company Transportation Corps to discharge. Overseas: Aug 29, 1918 to Jul 9, 1919. Discharge: Jul 18, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 366.*)

Eastman, Ernest Fred (Section N – 29w) 27 Mar 1895 – 19 Aug 1954

68410, 22 3/12 years. Resided: Washington. Official Record: Orange, born at Orange. Enlisted: Jul 1, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company H 1st Vermont Infantry (Company G 103d Infantry) to discharge. Grades: Corporal Oct 13, 1918. Overseas: Sep 25, 1917 to Apr 5, 1919. Disch: Apr 28, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, pg 397.*)

In a letter published in the Barre Daily Times dated 21 February, Private Ernest Eastman wrote to his sister from his posting with Company G of the 103rd US Infantry. Eastman reported a day of sickness while on the ocean, but since gaining the land again, had probably put on weight given the Thanksgiving and Christmas Day meals. Eastman reported he lived in a barracks with 65 or 70 other men and they had four inches of snow on the ground. (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*)

Ebert, George (Section Main – 24) 20 Sep 1896 – 13 Dec 1979

Not much detail can be found about Ebert's service as he was born and died in Chicago. He is buried in Wilson with his wife Mildred and his wife's sister and her husband. A veterans' affairs document showed his service to be between 18 January 1918 and 20 November 1919.

Ewen, Robert (Section OY2 – 318c) 1893 - 1931

2462364, 25 years. Resided: Graniteville. Born: at Aberdeenshire, Scotland. Inducted: May 16, 1918 at Burlington. Organization: Mechanized Detachment, University of Vermont Burlington to Jul 13, 1918; 151 Depot Brigade to discharge on May 28, 1919, Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 416.*)

Farrar, Arthur B. (Section OY3 – 5.03) 1897 - 1957

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. His obituary appeared in the 9 Dec 1957 edition of the Burlington Free Press. His birth is given as 7 Mar 1897 in Salem, MA. He also became a member of the American Legion and Yankee Division Veterans Association. Other news notes found in the Fitchburg Sentinel, Fitchburg, MA mentioned his service from Camp Devens to the state of Georgia. He left the states in May of 1918 for France and returned in May of 1919.

Ferrin, John J. (Section G – 131) 19 Feb 1891 – 24 Jan 1977

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. John had dual citizenship, his father from Maine, his mother from Canada, England. He listed his address as Monmouth, New Jersey when he registered for the World War I draft. The British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Cards, 1914 – 1920 shows John as a member of the Royal Garrison Artillery, Regimental No. 38394. (*ancestry.com*)

Ferris, Allie [Alfred] Ricker (Section B – 31) 15 Mar 1895 – 6 Feb 1975

2797124, 23-4/12 years. Resided: Adamant. Born: Williamstown. Inducted: July 15, 1918 at Burlington, VT at age Organizations: Mechanical Detachment, University of Vermont, to Sep 12, 1918; C. A. C. Fort Williams, Maine to Sep 13, 1918; 3d Company Portland C.A.C. to Nov 1, 1919; Company A, 58th Ammunition Train to discharge. Discharge: Dec 17, 1918, Ft. Adams, RI. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 429.*)

Ferris, Edward Darling (Section B – 31) 25 Apr 1893 – 3 Aug 1928

2796915, 25 3/12 years. Resided: Adamant, born at Barre. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 (?) at Montpelier. Organization: Mechanized Detachment University of Vermont Burlington to Sep 13, 1917; Tank Corps. Op. Colt Penn to ____; Student Army Training Corps, University of Vermont

Burlington to discharge. Discharge: Dec 9, 1918, Burlington. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 430.*) Ferris died instantly in a 1928 quarry accident.

Ferris, Maurice H., Jr. (Section OY1 – 237b) 24 Aug 1888 – 2 Oct 1918

2796917, 29 11/12 years. Resided: Woodbury, born at Groton. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 at Burlington. Organization: Mechanized Detachment University of Vermont to Sep 13, 1918; Casualty Company, Tank Corps Camp Colt, Penn. to Sep 17, 1918; Company A 336th Battalion, Tank Corps to Oct 2, 1918. Died of disease: Oct 2, 1918. Place of burial: Wilson Cemetery, Barre. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 430.*) The Ferris grass marker indicated he served with Company A, 336th Battalion, Tank Corps, and died at Camp Colt, PA. An index for Pennsylvania deaths showed Ferris died from pneumonia. Per his obituary published in the Barre Daily Times, 29 October 1918, Maurice enlisted in a school for mechanics in Burlington in June of 1918, he transferred to Camp Colt on Sept 12. (Served with John Geake, Jr., below)

The Barre Daily Times published a news note from Woodbury on 20 August 1918, shortly after Maurice's induction. Rather than pursue a well-paying and draft exempt job in the war industry, he wanted to be ready to serve if called upon. Once the call came, he provided for his wife and visited his family, and went off to perform his service. The article judged him a good quarryman and he would become a good soldier. (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*)

Fraser, John A. (Section OY5 – 159) 1893 - 1955

2726167, 25 5/12 years. Resided: Websterville, VT, born at Websterville. Inducted: Jun 24, 1918 at Springfield, Mass. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade to discharge. Discharge: Dec 12, 1918. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 463.*) Based on the date of induction and John's age at that time, the birth date would be circa January, 1893. Other records further defined his service as a member of the 11th Company, 3rd Battalion of the 151st.

Gandy, Joseph (Section G – 244) 17 Sep 1894 – 10 Nov 1976

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. According to the US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850 – 2010, Joseph served in the US Army from 28 May 1918 to 19 Aug 1919. New York state records showed Gandy, born in Italy, as inducted at LB 135 in New York, New York on 28 May 1918 as a private in the army, assigned to Company H, 2nd Pioneer Infantry to his discharge, he served overseas 30 Jun 1918 to 23 July 1919, and discharged 29 July 1919. (*ancestry.com*)

Gay, Douglas M. (Section E – 139) Dec 27, 1895 – Oct 18, 1991

According to his Connecticut military service record, he had been a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology before entering the service on 14 Dec 1917 as a private in the Medical Department of the regular army, enlisting at Camp Devens in Massachusetts. Gay received his promotion to sergeant on 1 Nov 1918. Records show his discharge date of 9 Oct 1919 as a sergeant at Camp Devens, Gay would go into medical research after discharge. He apparently had no overseas service but spent his enlistment assigned to the base hospital at Camp Devens. (*ancestry.com*)

Geake, John A. (Section OY2 – 313b) 1892 - 1918

2796925, 25 7/12 years. Resided: Williamstown. Born at Black Lake, Que., Canada. Inducted: July 15, 1918 at Burlington. Organization: Mechanized Detachment University of Vermont Burlington to Sep 13, 1918; 1st Casualty Company Tank Corps, Camp Dix, N.J. to Oct 10, 1918. Died of disease: Oct 10, 1918. Place of burial: Wilson Cemetery, Barre Town. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 487.*) An index for Pennsylvania deaths showed Ferris died from

pneumonia, just 8 days after Maurice Ferris, Jr. Geake's obituary published in the Barre Daily Times, Oct 18, 1918 included his induction in the 2nd mechanical contingent at Burlington. He went to Camp Colt for tank service in September. (Served with Maurice Ferris, above)

Greenlay, Walter Donaldson (Section G – 15, Greenley on stone) 1896 - 1970

5152424, 20 11/12 years. Resided: Websterville, born at Websterville. Inducted: Oct 15, 1917, Potsdam, N.Y. Organizations: Student Army Training Corps, Clarkson College, Potsdam, N.Y. to discharge. Discharge: Dec 5, 1918, Potsdam, N.Y. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 533.*)

Griffin, John C. (Section OY3 – 5.02) 14 May 1896 – 4 Aug 1966

Seaman, 6th Battle Squadron, U.S.S. New York, World War I, of Massachusetts. [An armored cruiser.] (*ancestry.com*)

Hayden, William E. (Section G – 8) 1894 - 1980

3119857, 24 3/12 years. Resided: Montpelier, born at Waterbury. Inducted 22 Jun 1918 at Hartford, CT. Organization: 154th Depot Brigade to Feb 26, 1919; 49th Ambulance Company to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Aug 15, 1918, Corporal Sep 9, 1918. Discharge: May 17, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 581.*)

Holden, Wilman E. (Section G – 65) 7 Nov 1900 – 2 Jan 1980

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for WWI, born in New Hampshire. According to the US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850 – 2010, served in the US Navy from 26 Jul 1919 to 22 Jul 1921. (*ancestry.com*)

Hutchinson, Ernest L. (Section OY1 – 274) 9 Feb 1895 – 12 Jan 1961

109105, 22 6/12 years. Resided: E. Barre, born at S. Barre. Enlisted: Jul 3, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company C, 1st Vermont Infantry (Company C 101st M. G. Battalion) to discharge. Grades: Ck Dec 3, 1918. Overseas: Oct 10, 1917 to Apr 7, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 642.*) His stone indicated he served as a cook for Company C.)

Johnson, Carl O. (Section East – B11) 10 Nov 1897 – 2 Jul 1953

4194635, 21 10/12 years. Resided: Websterville, born at Barre. Inducted: Sep 3, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Nov 2, 1918; Company A 212th Engineers to discharge. Discharge: Jan 28, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 660.*)

Ladrie, Frank Joseph (Section D – 8) 1891 - 1967

2392628, 26 9/12 years. Resided: St. Johnsbury, born at St. Johnsbury. Enlisted: Nov 12, 1917, Westfield, MA. Organization: Company D 1st Vermont Infantry to Jan 14, 1918; Company H 1st Army Headquarters Regiment to Feb 26, 1919; 60th Gd. Company to discharge. Grades: Ck. Aug 10, 1919. Overseas: Mar 21, 1918 to Sep 11, 1919. Discharge: Sep 23, 1919 at Camp Merritt, N.J. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 719.*)

The Barre Daily Times ran an article about Ladrie on 17 May 1952. He enlisted at age 26 in the 1st Vermont Regiment in November of 1917. During his five years with the unit, he served in France and reached the rank of sergeant, but when he got back to the US, he became a private again. The article listed the battles he participated in including St. Mihiel, Defensive Sector, Champagne-Marne, Meuse-Argonne, and Aisne-Marne. Ladrie sustained wounds on 14 July 1918 in a Bastille Day riot in Bordeaux. He returned to the US after the war but reenlisted and served with the Army of Occupation at Coblenz. During his second enlistment,

Ladrie took a war bride in France and brought her to Vermont. The couple later divorced and Ladrie married a second time, to Gratia Barnes Dudley.

Lafayette, Ernest Elmer (Section Main – 78n) 1892 - 1968

109906, 25 4/12 years. Resided: Barre, VT. Born at Barre, VT. Enlisted: May 28, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company C 1st Vermont Infantry (Company D 102d M. G. Battalion) to discharge. Overseas: Oct 10, 1917 to Apr 17, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 721.*)

Several of Lafayette's letters made it from his parents' home into the Barre Daily Times. The first letter printed came from France in December of 1917 just after Lafayette's arrival, the last from the front in January of 1919 when he described reactions to the signing of the Armistice. The letters do not have much detail concerning operations, he did participate in trench warfare and the Battle of Chateau Thierry. Some letters described living conditions, others a bit of home sickness. The surprising part of the letters came with open discussions in several of them concerning Lafayette sending money home including when and how much.

LaPierre, Almansor (Section D – 98) 12 Dec 1893 – 5 Mar 1960

New Hampshire, Private Headquarters Co. 148 Infantry, World War I. The application for his gravestone gave his serial number as 1749020. He served as a private in the 3rd Company and Headquarters Company of the 148th Infantry of the 37th Division and served from 27 Apr 1918 to 10 Apr 1919. LaPierre had a pension, number XC1412182. His Times Argus obituary showed he fought in five battles and received the Purple Heart. (*ancestry.com*)

Leonard, William W. (Section D – 66) 1892 – 31 Jul 1918

557702; 26 11/12 years. Resided: Graniteville. Born at Graniteville. Enlisted: Feb 13, 1918, Camp Greene, N.C. Organization: Company A, 47th Infantry to July 31, 1918. Overseas: May 10, 1918 to July 31, 1918. Killed in Action, July 31, 1918. Place of burial: Wilson Cemetery, Barre Town. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 765.*) Barre Daily Times obituary, 23 Aug 1918: Leonard served in Company A, 47th US Infantry, killed in action, 31 July 1918.

Another article from the Barre Daily Times, dated 11 Aug 1921 described his burial at Wilson Cemetery. In the article, Leonard is referred to as a "hero of Chateau-Thierry." His services and burial took place on 10 August and drew a large number of veterans, many wearing their uniforms. Leonard initially answered the call to fill up the Vermont National Guard and he enlisted on 9 Feb 1918. When the Vermont Regiment broke up, Leonard received orders for Company A, 47th Infantry, of the 4th Division. At the time of his death, Leonard was buried in the American Cemetery at Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France. He came home in early August 1921 and arrived in Barre on 9 August.

LeRoy, Glendon (Section Main – 86n) 1899 - 1970

U.S.N.R.F. 180-75-58; 19 11/12 years. Resided: Alburg. ENR: Jun 17, 1918 at Burlington. STA: Nav. Training Company Pelham Bay Park, NY to Oct 24, 1918; Rec. Sh. New York, NY to Nov 5, 1918; USS Kanawha [an oiler] to Nov 11, 1918. Grades: 2/c Seaman, 147 days. Inactive Duty: Jan 10, 1919, USS Kanawha. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1527.*)

Lewis, Adam M. (Section Main – 78s) 97 –51

2,798,328, 31 10/12 years. Resided: East Barre, Vt., born at Aberdeen, Scotland. Inducted: July 15, 1918, Montpelier. Organizations: Mechanical Detachment, Technical High School, Springfield, Mass., to September 10, 1918; 333d Battalion, Tank Corps, to discharge. Grades: Sergeant, November 9, 1918. Discharge: December 1, 1918. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 769.*)

Longchamp, Albert J. (Section Main – 29s) 1896 - 1957

592028, 21 8/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Graniteville. Inducted: Aug 14, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Coast Defense of Boston, Fort Warren, Mass to Oct 13, 1918; Coast Artillery Corps, Fort Monroe, Va. to discharge. Discharge: Jan 16, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 782.*)

Lovie, Wilfred Dewey (Section Main – 10s) 1 Jan 1898 – 30 July 1989

1231047, Resided: Barre. Born at S. Barre. Enlisted: May 7, 1917 at Ft. Ethan Allen. Age: 19 4/12 yrs. Organizations: Headquarters Co., 1st VT Infantry (Headquarters Co., 57th Pioneer Infantry) to Oct. 31, 1918; 2nd Battalion, 329th Infantry to Dec. 6, 1918; Co. "K," 310th Infantry to discharge. Grades: Corporal, June 17, 1918; Sergeant, July 3, 1918; Stable. Sergeant, Oct. 24, 1918. Overseas: Sept. 29, 1918 to May 23, 1919. Discharged: May 29, 1919, Camp Dix, N. J. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 788.*) Additional information showed SGT Lovie departing with the 57th Pioneer Infantry aboard the "Leviathan" on 29 Sept 1918 and returning aboard the "Pamaman" from Bordeaux, France on 12 May 1919.

Lowery, Robert Francis (Section OY1 – 241) 2 Apr 1897 – 20 Dec 1951

2798334, 21 3/12 years. Resided: E. Barre, born at Calais. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization; Mechanized Detachment Tech. High School, Springfield, Mass. to Sep 10, 1918; Casualty Company B, Tank Corps to Jan 20, 1919; 684th Motor Transport Company to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private May 24, 1919. Overseas: Oct 20, 1918 to Jun 29, 1919. Discharge: Jul 5, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 789.*)

MacAulay, Peter (Section N – 7w) 14 Mar 1889 - 30 Dec 1940

Although Peter's birth is recorded in Barre, Vermont, he served with the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force during the 1st World War. In his attestation paper, No. 54, 434 of 852, MacAulay listed his next of kin as his step mother living in Alberta, Canada. He listed his occupation as carpenter and stated he had no military experience. He signed on for a period of one year or six months beyond the end of the war between Britain and Germany. The paper carried a date of Nov 3, 1915. (*ancestry.com*)

MacDonald, Clifton M. (Section OY2 – 334) 1898 - 1951

Resided: Barre. Enlisted: Feb 7, 1918 at Manchester, N.H. Organization: Canadian Army. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 800.*) MacDonald's birthplace is listed a Barre, VT, his parents both Canadian. The death certificate card references his World War 1 service in the Canadian Army. On 8 Feb 1918. MacDonald signed an oath of allegiance to King George the 5th and to serve in the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force. He signed for one year or the duration of the "existing war between Great Britain and Germany," or for the duration plus six months. He gave his address as 41 Branch St., Barre, Vt.

MacIver, Clarence Roscoe (Section OY2 – 318b) 1892 - 1951

1089045, 21 years. Resided: Barre, born at Canada. Enlisted: Mar 1, 1916 at Barre. Entered Federal Service: Apr 3, 1917. Organization: Headquarters. Company 1st Vermont Infantry to discharge. Discharge: Oct. 19, 1917. Reenlisted: Oct 24, 1917 at Boston, Mass. Organization: 4th Squadron, Cadet Detachment to discharge to accept commission. Commissioned: 2d Lieutenant Aviation Section Signal Corps, May 14, 1918. Organization: Training Department to Mar 5, 1919; Engineering Department to Sep 20, 1919; 1st Day Bomb Group to Jan 15, 1920; 96th Aero Squadron. Principal Station: Ellington Field, Tex.; Kelly Field, Tex. Remarks: Emergency commission vacated Sep 8, 1920 by reason of appointment as 1st Lieutenant, R[egular] A[rmy]. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 802.*) His Barre Daily Times

obituary also stated MacIver worked in Wichita, Kansas building B-26 bombers, a fact verified on his World War 2 draft registration card.

MacLean, Angus L. (Section D – 3) 1892 – 1927 [spelling from grass marker]

1664054, 23 6/12 years. Resided: Williamstown, born at Canada. Inducted: Oct 2, 1917 at South Royalton. Organization: Battery F 302nd Field Arty to discharge. Grades: Hs. Feb 11, 1918; 1/c Private Apr 11, 1918; Wag. Aug 1, 1918; Corporal Oct 1, 1918. Overseas: Jul 16, 1918 to May 3, 1919. Discharge. May 7, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 804.*) MacLean died in a quarry accident in 1927. In the Barre Daily Times obituary, MacLean's service included the offensives at Toul, Marcheville, Pintheville, Butgneville, and Bois de Harville in France. (Lavin Rousse, 635/65, VHS)

A letter from McLean [spelling from the article] appeared in the 26 August 1918 edition of the Barre Daily Times, Page 5 (Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.) The letter, written to his mother, Mrs. M. A. McLean of Williamstown, gave his unit as the 76th Division in France. He had just completed the shipboard trip into France from his previous base in England. McLean did not like England as well as France and would be sending a book to his mother so she could see the country. He enjoyed the French children, they often acted as tour guides for a penny. McLean indicated he spoke French.

MacLeod, David (Section N – 39w) 1894 - 1963

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. David probably served in the Canadian Army during the First World War as found in the Soldiers of the First World War (1914 – 1918) at the Library and Archives, Canada, Ottawa. (*ancestry.com*)

Matott, Amos Joseph (Section OY1-266) 9 Sep 1890 – 15 Feb 1961

2722820, 26 8/12 years. Resided Barre, VT, born in Champlain, NY. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade to Jun 15, 1918; Co. G, 303d Infantry to Sep 10, 1918; Co. G, 125th Infantry to discharge. Overseas: July 7, 1918 to Dec 17, 1918. Slightly wounded in action: Oct 7, 1918. Discharged Jan 24, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 838.*) From death certificate: World War 1 veteran, served 5/24/1918 to 1/24/1919. In an article from the Barre Daily Times, the February 24, 1919 edition as found on the Chronicling America site hosted by UVM, Matott received a wound to his right leg and spent about three months in the hospital. He finished his recovery at his home in Barre. His brother, Amsey Matott also served and reported missing in action.

Matott, Amsey Joseph (unknown grave) 26 May 1895 – 17 Feb 1950

Serial No. 2,722,819. Resided: Barre. Born at Champlain, N. Y. Inducted: May 24, 1918, Montpelier at age 22 yrs. Organizations: 151st Dep. Brig., to June 15, 1918; Co. "G," 303d Inf., to Aug. 5, 1918; Co. "A," 162d Inf., to Aug. 15, 1918; Co. "I," 18th Inf., to discharge. Overseas: July 7, 1918 to Mar. 19, 1919. Severely wounded in action: Oct. 2, 1918. Discharge: Apr. 3, 1919. Remarks: Cited in G. O. 1, 1st Div., dated Jan. 1, 1920. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 838.*) [Note: Amsey stood in line next to his older brother, Amos J. Matott when the two enlisted. Amos had the serial number 2722820, the next number up from Amsey's serial number 2722819.] Amsey's mother did receive a telegram informing her he had been declared missing, the Barre Daily Times article reporting it carried a date of 2 Dec 1918. On 8 Jan 1919 another article stated Amsey had been located in a hospital with slight wounds.

Amsey Matott is included on this list despite the fact the location of his grave is unknown. There is a burial permit on file in the Barre Town Office that stated Amsey was buried in Wilson Cemetery, but the permits do not give section and lot information. The index card for his

father's lot has an open space, and given the relationship with his brother Amos, chances are he is buried there. Amsey died eleven years before Amos.

McIver, Merrial N. (Maclver on grave marker) (Section Main – 89) 1896 - 1966
4194653, 21 9/12 years. Resided: Barre, born in Barre. Inducted Sep 3, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade to discharge. Discharge: Dec 11, 1920. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 860.*)

McLeod, Daniel C. (Section OY1 – 214a) 1895 - 1918
2797176, 23 3/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Landaff, N.H. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 at Burlington. Organization: Mechanized Detachment University of Vermont Burlington to Sep 12, 1918; 380th Company, T.C. to Oct 4, 1918. Died of disease: Oct 4, 1918. Place of burial: Wilson Cemetery, Graniteville. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 865.*) [Possibly died at the Camp Colt Hospital at Gettysburg of Broncho Pneumonia and appendicitis.]

McPherson, Frank (Section N – 32e) 4 Aug 1895 – 18 Mar 1966
From his government stone: New Jersey, PFC Company A, 104 Engineers, Aug 4, 1895 – Mar 18, 1966. Other details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. His Times Argus obituary from 19 March 1966 stated he saw duty in the Argonne and Meuse River campaigns in Europe.

MacRitchie, William (Section N – 13) 11 Jun 1896 – 8 Jul 1944
4167670, 32 3/12. Resided: Graniteville, born at Stornoway, Scotland. Inducted: Sep 4, 1918, Montpelier. Organization: 152d Dep. Brigade to Oct 11, 1918; Company F 138th Engineers to discharge. Discharge: Dec 16, 1918 at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Inducted. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 871.*)

Miller, Arthur M. (Section OY2 – 341) 1895 – 1 Aug 1918
557794, 22 4/12. Resided: Websterville, born at Thetford, Que., Canada. Enlisted: Feb 14, 1918, Camp Greene, N.C. Organization: Company B 47th Infantry to Aug 1, 1918. Grades: 1/c Private Jun 17, 1918. Overseas: May 10, 1918 to Aug 1, 1918. Killed in action: Aug 1, 1918. Place of burial: Wilson Cemetery, Barre Town. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 885.*) Distinguished Service Cross, Company B, 47th Infantry Division, Allied Expeditionary Force. General Order 37 (1919): Distinguished Service Cross presented posthumously to Army Private First Class Arthur M. Miller, 557794, for extraordinary heroism in action near Sergy, France, 1 August 1918. Private Miller was killed while returning with an answer to a very important message which he had voluntarily delivered at a very critical stage of the attack. His mission was one of extreme danger, taking him to the most advanced position through a sweeping fire of artillery and machine guns. Emergency address: Mrs. Mary Miller, mother, Websterville. Residence at enlistment: Websterville. (*Vermont in the World War 1917-1919, Cushing, John T., Stone, Arthur F., 1928*) An article in the Barre Daily Times published 9 Sep 1918 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com stated he served in Company B of the 47th Infantry.

From the 14 Jul 1921 Barre Daily Times, "Hero's Body Coming"

The body of Private Arthur M. Miller of Websterville is expected to arrive in New York on Friday, July 15 and will be brought home for burial.

From the 19 Jul 1921 Barre Daily Times, "Hero of Sergy Given Honor"

On the 18th of July, services took place at the Baptist Church in Websterville and at the Wilson Cemetery for Private Arthur M. Miller, killed in action at the Battle of Sergy. He won recognition from General Pershing and was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for

volunteering to act as a messenger through artillery, driving rain, and machine gun fire. The article describes the incident that cost Miller his life and describes the funeral services held in his honor.

Milne, George Cromar (Section Main – 13s) 1888 - 1951

2797178, 29 9/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Scotland. Inducted: Jul 15, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Mechanized Detachment University of Vermont Burlington to Sep 12, 1918; C.A.C. to discharge. Discharge: Dec 21, 1918 at Fort McKinley, Me. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 892.*)

Modano, J.[oseph] (Section Main – 53.1) 1892 – 1953

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War I, According to the Flags for Veterans list, Modano served in the military of Italy. He left his job at the granite quarries in 1914 and returned to Italy where he served in their military until his return to Vermont in 1918.

Murray, John (Section Main – 69n) 18 Feb 1895 – 28 Jun 1958

66274, 22 4/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Scotland. Enlisted: Jun 5, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company C, 1st VT Infantry to Aug 29, 1917. Sup. Company 102d Infantry to Dec 9, 1917, Company M 102d Infantry to discharge. Grades: Corporal Feb 10, 1918, Sgt. Nov 1, 1918. Overseas: Sep 16, 1917 to Apr 7, 1919. Wounded in action: Severely Apr 20, 1918 and degree undetermined Jun 23, 1918. Discharged: Apr 29, 1918 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 931.*) The letters PH appeared on his gravestone, probably he received the Purple Heart. In his Barre Daily Times obituary, further described his unit as part of the 26th Division at New Haven, Connecticut. It also listed several campaigns in France including the Champagne-Marne, Aisne-Marne, St. Mihiel, and Meuse-Argonne. In another article, this one from the Burlington Free Press, 1 May 1918 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com, Murray began his service with Company C of the 1st Vermont Regiment, a unit that later merged with the 102nd Division of the American Expeditionary Force. He served with Company M of the 102nd.

Murray, William (Section N – 33e) 1891 - 1970

1688898, 26 10/12 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Spring Hill, Que., Canada. Inducted: Apr 1, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Apr 24, 1918; Company F, 2d Engineers Training. Regiment, Camp Humphreys, Va. to Jul 26, 1918. Company C, 604th Engineers to discharge. Discharge: Jul 2, 1919, Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 932.*)

Nadeau, Alexander (Section OY5 – 180.5) 1894 - 1959

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. Listed as a World War I Era veteran in the Vermont Death Records, 1909 – 2003, on his death certificate, Vermont State Archives. According to the Barre Daily Times, Nadeau enlisted in 1918 and received his discharge in 1919.

Norris, Howard W. (Section D – 95) 4 Jul 1886 – 23 Nov 1963

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War I. Born in Vermont and registered for World War I and World War II draft, no indication he served, nor any notation on his death certificate that he did. His obituary from the Burlington Free Press, 25 Nov 1963 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com stated he had been with the Ordnance Department of the US Army during World War 1.

North, Wesley William (Section C – 12) 1892 - 1937

557796, 22 6/12 years. Company M, 311 Infantry, World War. Resided: Shelburne. Official record: Barre. Born at Barre. Inducted: Feb 14, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Company B 47th Infantry to Apr 18, 1918; Company H 57th Pioneer Infantry to Oct 31, 1918; Company E 329th Infantry to Dec 5, 1918; Company M, 311th [Infantry] to discharge. Overseas Sep 29, 1918 to May 24, 1919. Discharge Jun 11, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 952.*)

Nutbrown, Kenneth J. (Section OY1 – 231) 11 Jul 1894 – 4 Mar 1972

3152670, 24 years. Resided: Graniteville, born at Barre. Inducted: Jul 23, 1918 at Springfield, Mass. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Aug 10, 1918; Headquarters. Company 42d Infantry to discharge. Discharge: Jan 31, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 957.*) On his gravestone, he served as a private in the Headquarters Company of the 42nd Infantry.

Nutbrown, Stanley H. (Section OY1 – 231) 20 May 1896 – 12 Aug 1973

2722936, 22 years. Resided: Websterville, born at Websterville. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Battery D, 301st Field Artillery to discharge. Overseas: Jul 16, 1918 to Jan 5, 1919. Discharge: Jan 18, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 957.*)

Perojo, Antonio R. (Section G – 16) 22 May 1895 – Feb 1975

2722906, 23 years. Resided: Barre, born at Lierganes, Spain. Inducted: May 24, 1918, Montpelier. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Jun 15, 1918; Company A 303d Infantry to discharge. Discharge: July 12, 1918 as an alien. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1013.*)

Peterson, Axel S. (Section F – 3) 5 Nov 1898 – 18 Sep 1970

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War I.

Pletzer, Edgar M. (Section G – 32) 21 Oct 1898 – 18 Oct 1975

SEA2, US Navy, World War I. The US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850 – 2010, Edgar enlisted 8 Apr 1917 to 3 Apr 1919. He received his social security number in Washington, DC, probably not from Vermont. (*ancestry.com*)

Poirier, Philodor (Section G – 45) 21 Dec 1896 – 21 Dec 1967

205037, 20 7/12 years. Resided: Randolph, VT. Born in Canada. Enlisted: July 5, 1917, Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company F, 1st Vermont Infantry to Aug 20, 1917; Company C 101st Ammunition Train to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Apr 1, 1918. Overseas: Oct 3, 1917 to Apr 23, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1034.*)

Profio, Benjamin D. (OY1 – 256) 10 Dec 1895 – 17 Apr 1982

According to his obituary, Profio was born in Italy, graduated from divinity school in New York, and served as a pastor in Newport, NY. He is also identified as a veteran of the US Army with service during World War I. There is also a Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File for Benjamin Profio, born 10 Dec 1895, died 17 Apr 1982, as serving in the army between 29 Aug 1918 and 8 Feb 1919. (*ancestry.com*)

Quimby, John H. (Section Main – 55s) 15 Feb 1890 – 23 May 1971

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War I.

Riddel, Alexander George (Section Main – 94) 25 Mar 1891 - 1965

2722770, 27 2/12 years. Resided: Williamstown. Official Record: Graniteville. Born at Scotland. Inducted: May 24, 1918, Chelsea. Organization: Headquarters. Detachment 301st Engineers to Mar 21, 1919; 303d Field Hospital, 301st Sn. Tn., 4th Army Corps to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Aug 11, 1918. Overseas: Jul 14, 1918 to Jun 18, 1919. Discharge: Jun 20, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1086.*)

27 Mar 1919, Page 3, Image 3, (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*) The Barre Daily Times featured a letter from Private First Class Alexander G. Riddel, 901st Engineers Headquarters, Confant Brohl, Germany. Riddel wrote to his brother Charles, who had been out hunting. Alexander had been out hunting over in Germany and killed a deer. He had made the shot from a tree and could only see the deer's head when he fired. Riddel and his friends had a dinner party featuring the venison. He said they also hunted for other game like rabbits or boar, the local German people could no longer hunt on their own. In other news, Riddel discussed how he and 500 of his friends used a ship earlier captured from the Germans, operated and flagged by the Americans to tour around the Rhine.

Rogers, John M. (Section OY5 – A06) 11 May 1897 – 24 Sep 1983

4194637, 21 3/12 years. Resided: Barre, born at Barre. Inducted: 2 Sep 3, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Nov 1, 1918; Company D 212th Engineers to discharge. Discharge: Jan 21, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1105.*)

Sanderson, Harry Marvin (Section Main – 24s) 1893 - 1965

205362, 24 years. Resided: S. Ryegate, born at Boston, MA. Enlisted: Jun 5, 1917 at Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company H, 1st VT Infantry to Sep 7, 1917, Company F, 101st Ammunition Train to discharge. Overseas: Oct 3, 1917 to Apr 23, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1136.*)

October 26, 1918, Page 6, Image 6 (*Chronicling America website, hosted by UVM.*) The Barre Daily Times reported from South Ryegate that Sanderson sent a German helmet to his father, George Sanderson. The helmet wound up on display at the post office for a time.

Scott, William Alexander (Section E – 132) 1896 - 1924

2722902, 22 years. Resided: Graniteville. Born in Canada. Inducted: May 24, 1918 at Montpelier. Organization: Company G, 303d Infantry to Aug 5, 1918; Company A, 5th Machine Gun Battalion to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Sep 19, 1918. Overseas: Jul 5, 1918 to Aug 3, 1919. Discharge: Aug 13, 1919 at Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1147.*) In 1924, someone found Scott's body in the road, he had apparently been struck by a car and killed. An article from the Barre Daily Times dated 26 Sep 1924 stated he had been overseas for 19 months and participated in five battles with Company A, 5th Machine Gun Battalion, 2nd Division.

Smith, Herbert Stewart (Section E – 130) 17 Dec 1889 – 19 Sep 1971

Maine, BMKR1, (Boilermaker, 1st Class) US Navy; not in the Vermont roster. He enrolled in the USNRF at Portland, Maine on 14 May 1918 and served in the 2nd Naval District, Newport, Rhode Island. (*ancestry.com*)

Smith, Levi Isaac (Section A – 6be) 23 Jan 1897 – 25 Dec 1961

4190882, 21 7/12 years. Resided: Island Pond, born at Wheelock. Inducted: Aug 28, 1918, Island Pond. Organization: Vet Corps, Newport News, VA to discharge. Overseas: Nov 16 1918 to Jan 1919. Discharge: Jan 10, 1919, Camp Hill, VA. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1192.*) [Also on death certificate.]

Smith, Ralph N. (Section A – 6) 1897 - 1959

4913134, 21 years. Resided: Barre, born at Graniteville. Inducted: Oct 23, 1918 in Montpelier. Organization: Student Army Training Corps, University of VT, Burlington, to discharge. Discharge: Dec 11, 1918 in Burlington. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1193.*)

St. John, Ervin C. (Section OY1 – 235) 1 Apr 1894 – 4 Mar 1972

4,190,940, 28 4/12 yrs. Resided: Barre. Born at Barre. Inducted: Aug. 28, 1918, Montpelier. Organizations: 151st Depot Brigade to discharge. Discharged: Dec. 4, 1918, Camp Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1130.*)

Taylor, Clinton Fird, (Section Main – 9s) 6 Nov 1894 – 18 Oct 1975

U.S.N.R.F., SEA 2, US Navy 103-54-52, 23 2/12 years. Resided: East Barre. Enlisted: Mar 29, 1918. Stations: Navy Training Station Pelham Bay Park, NY to Jun 14, 1918; Navy Training Station Hampton Rds., Va. to Aug 31, 1918; USS Georgia [battleship] to Nov 11, 1918. Grades: 2/c Seaman, 227 days. Inactive Duty: May 26, 1919, USS Georgia. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1602.*)

Town, George P. (Section East – B10.2) 1895 - 1953

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for WWI. Born in Danvers, Mass., the US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, George enlisted on 3 Nov 1917 and served to 14 Aug 1919. (*ancestry.com*)

Wark, Oren (Section Main – 2s) 6 Apr 1893 – 10 Jan 1961

3146886, 25 2/12 years. Resided: Springfield, born at Newport. Inducted: Jun 27, 1918 at Newport, N.H. Organization: 151st Dep. Brigade to Aug 1, 1918; Company B, 42nd Infantry to discharge. Discharge: Jun 17, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1323.*)

Watson, John (Section G – 262) 3 Dec 1898 – 27 Mar 1995

205228, 18 6/12 years. Resided: S. Barre. Born at Quincy, Mass. Enlisted: Jun 5, 1917, Fort Ethan Allen. Organization: Company C, 1st Vermont Infantry to Aug 23, 1917; 5th Company 101st Ammunition Train to Jan 30, 1918; Company G 101st Ammunition Train to Mar 30, 1918; Company E 101st Ammunition Train to discharge. Overseas Oct 3 1917 to Apr 23, 1919. Discharge: Apr 29, 1919 at Cp. Devens. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1328.*) His 29 Mar 1995 Burlington Free Press obituary stated he left school prior to graduation to enlist in Company C of the 1st Vermont Infantry and he had served overseas for 19 months. Watson received his discharge at the rank of corporal. When he returned to Barre, the city and the Village of South Barre both honored him with a gold pocket watch and a bronze service medal.

Note: on 11 November 1993, Watson received his Spaulding High School diploma (Class of 1917) at a ceremony dedicating the school's memorial wall. He had shipped out with his unit seven days prior to his scheduled graduation. [Times Argus, 12 November 1993]

Weir, Walter J. (Section G – 143) 31 Mar 1896 – 17 Feb 1984

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for WWI. Cpl (Corporal,) US Army, World War I on gravestone. In his Times Argus obituary, further details on his service could be found. Weir enlisted on 31 July 1917 and served with Company A of the 23rd Infantry. He participated in battles at Verdun, Chateau-Thierry, and the Argonne. The article stated he had been wounded and gassed in 1918. Weir received his discharge on 28 March 1919.

West, Edward J. (Section C – 10.5) 8 Mar 1889 – 22 Mar 1944

557728, 28 11/12 years. Resided: Barre. Born at Williamstown. Inducted: Feb 13, 1918 at Chelsea. Organization: Company A 47th Infantry to Apr 19, 1918; 8th Company 1st Casualty Camp to Jul 9, 1918; 28th Battalion, U.S. Guards to discharge. Discharge: Jan 4, 1919 at Camp Dix, N.J. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1338.*) According to the West grass marker, the 47th Infantry belonged to the 4th Division.

Wilfore, Warren Erwin (Section N – 43e) 1889 - 1948

Age: 27 10/12 years. Resided: Barre, VT. Born at Northfield, VT. Inducted: Aug 4, 1918 at Montpelier, VT. Discharged from the draft: Aug 22, 1918, S.C.D. (Surgeon's Certificate of Disability.) (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1361.*)

Wilkie, James E. (Section OY1 – 271a) 30 Jan 1892 – May 1979

700536, 26 3/12 years. Resided: Websterville, born at Websterville. Enlisted: May 9, 1918 at Camp Holabird, Md. Organization: 306th Repair Shop Unit, M.T.C. [Motor Transport Corps] to Oct 30, 1918; 416th Company, M.T.C. to discharge. Overseas: Nov 12, 1918 to Jul 13, 1919. Discharge: Jul 23, 1919. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1362.*)

Williams, Samuel C. (Section East – 13b) 10 Nov 1888 – 23 Apr 1954

4194094, 30 10/12 years. Resided: Bethel, born at Bethel. Inducted: Sep 3, 1918 at White River Jct. Organization: 151st Depot Brigade to Oct 21, 1918; Veteran Corps to discharge. Grades: 1/c Private Mar 12, 1919. Discharge: Jun 16, 1919 at Newport News, Va. (*VT World War 1 roster, page 1371.*) Williams' grass marker indicated he had served in the Quartermaster Corps.

Woodard, Ralph E. (Section OY1 – 273) 1895 - 1980

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War I. The US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850 – 2010 showed Woodard serving in the armed forces from 21 Apr 1915 to 19 Oct 1917. (*ancestry.com*)

WORLD WAR II: (VA dates = December 7, 1941, through December 31, 1946, inclusive)

Abare, Raymond Leonard (Section OY1 – 255) Aug 9, 1906 – 4 Jun 1953

31115826 USA E-2. Born Champlain, NY. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Jul 42. Separated: Medical 04 Nov 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 2.*) Abare's death certificate verified he had served during World War II. According to the Wilson Cemetery records, he is buried in the lot formerly owned by Joseph Rabideau, adjacent to the Abare family lot, apparently in an unmarked grave, probably next to Harriet Rabideau. An article that appeared in the Jun 6, 1953 edition of the Burlington Free Press and found on ancestry.com showed he had served in the service battery of the 338th Field Artillery Battalion. He enlisted in July 1942 and received his discharge in November of 1943.

Abare, Rutherford John (Section OY1 – 254) 24 Oct 1919 – 27 Jun 1973

269139 USMC E-5. Born: 24 Oct 19 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 07 Dec 38. Separated: 22 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 2.*)

Acebo, Victor P. (Section G, Lot 5) 24 Aug 1924 – 9 Aug 2020

Acebo, Victor P. 31254814 USAAF E-2. Born: 24 Aug 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Active Duty: 01 Apr 43. Separated: 7 Dec 46. Foreign Service: Western Pacific Theater of Operation. Comments: Reenlisted 10 Dec 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 4*) His 14 Aug 2020 Times Argus obituary mentioned his service with the Army Air Force during World War II in New Guinea as a glider pilot and his further service in Okinawa during the Korean Conflict. His wars over, Acebo continued to serve in the Vermont Army National Guard.

At least a dozen articles can be found in the old Barre Daily Times during the war years about the service of Victor Acebo. The articles trace his training and his duty stations as he served with the Army Air Force. His service took him overseas to New Guinea and in late 1944, he returned to the US after contracting a debilitating illness. He continued on with his service in the Vermont National Guard and can be found in a July, 1957 article as a sergeant first class with the headquarters of the 2nd Battalion, 172nd Infantry.

His story came out in a feature article published on the 7th of July in 2013 in the Barre Montpelier Times Argus. Acebo told his story of flying in gliders in New Guinea. He said the army used the aircraft to deliver supplies and troops into areas too dangerous for regular aircraft. He said he flew gliders in three specific combat missions including one mission where the glider came down right next to a Japanese battery and had to destroy the enemy gun crew. Once on the ground, the crew usually took on secondary jobs, Acebo hunted for mines and grenades and blew them up. His brief experiences with a civilian glider before the war earned him the assignment to the Army Air Force. Once the glider program ended, Acebo became a military policeman and served in Okinawa during the Korean Conflict.⁵

Adams, Clayton S. (Section G – 216) 25 Mar 1920 – 15 Jul 1993

31059079 USA E-5. Born: 25 Mar 20 at Moretown, VT. Resided: Calais, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 16 Oct 41. Separated: 20 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 5.*)

⁵ Blaisdell, Eric, "Stealthy Survivor, East Barre Man recalls World War II Missions as Glider Pilot," Rutland Daily Herald, Rutland, VT, Sun, Jul 7, 2013, page A7, downloaded from newspapers.com, 4 Dec 2021

Aldrich, Maurice L. (Section Main – 9n) 7 Jun 1913 – 12 Oct 1997

11056157 USAAF E-5. Born 7 Jun 13, Lyndonville, VT. Resided: Montpelier, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 14 May 42, Separated: 4 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation, Asiatic Pacific Theater, and China-India-Burma. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 16.*) An article appeared in the Aug 3, 1945 Burlington Free Press as found on ancestry.com that outlined his service at the time of his discharge. He had served overseas for 30 months in two theaters of war and five continents. For awards, Sgt. Aldrich had the air medal and four oak leaf clusters, the Presidential Unit Citation, and also seven campaign stars.

Alexander, Wendall K. (Section N – 58e) 17 Feb 1908 - 1961

31463710 USA E-4. Born: 17 Feb 08 at Morrisville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 15 Apr 44. Separated: 25 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 17.*) From his government stone: SGT TRP C, 89 CAV RECON SQ, WORLD WAR II, BSM (Bronze Star Medal) His Times Argus obituary further stated he had served in the Rhineland, Ardennes, Central Europe, and European – African campaigns.

Atherton, Alfa Samuel (Section C – 5b) 1918 - 1999

8259767 USN E-3. Born 29 Apr 18 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 14 Mar 45. Active Duty: 14 Mar 45. Separated: 12 Oct 45. Foreign Service: No noted. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 42.*) According to US Navy Muster Rolls for the cargo ship USS Cassiopeia AK-75, Alfa arrived aboard the ship on 8-1-45 from the training center in Shoemaker, California and departed on 10-1-45. The documents show his service number as 8259767 and date of enlistment as 3-14-45 at Springfield.

Baker, Emerson F. (Section Main – 82n [Martin]) 29 Mar 1917 – 7 Mar 2011

According to his obituary, published 9 Mar 2011 in the Barre-Montpelier Times Argus, Mr. Baker spent several years in the Vermont National Guard and in 1941 joined the US Army Corps of Engineers. (Not found in Adjutant General's roster)

Baldor, Fred (Section N – 14e) 1915 - 2003

31339789 USA E-4. Born: Jun 2, 15 at Montpelier, VT. Resided: E. Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: May 26, 43. Separated: Mar 30, 46. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 2.*) His Times Argus obituary showed him as a sergeant in the military police and serving in the European, African, and middle Eastern Theaters of Operation.

Beatty, Clarence Albert (Section G – 171) 19 Oct 1920 – 28 May 1990

323527 USMC E-1. Born 19 Oct 20 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Oct 41. Separated: Medical 16 Oct 44. Foreign Service: Southwest Pacific Theater of Operation, New Zealand. Comments: Wounded. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 97.*)

An unreferenced newspaper article, hand dated June 19, 1943, told Beatty's story as he arrived home on furlough. The article featured a portrait of Beatty dressed in his Class 'A' Marine Corps uniform. He had recently served in the South Pacific and participated in the battle for Guadalcanal, the article indicated Beatty and one other member of his company survived the battle. Corporal Beatty related his feelings of fear and how he overcame them as his fellow Marines fell in combat. He carried a .45 caliber sub-machine gun and had previously received awards for his marksmanship ability. Moving from Guadalcanal, Beatty continued on to serve in the Solomon Islands, Florida Islands, Tulagi, and New Hebrides. He related a scene that

continued to bother him, as his unit killed the enemy and their bodies lay in the swamps, crocodiles would surface and feast on the remains. Beatty also talked about the intense heat, flying insects, and the constant odors of death. After his time at home, Beatty moved on to North Carolina and aerial gunnery school. He had no plans to leave the Marines until after the war ended. His obituary clipping also included his receiving the Purple Heart and other medals. [Perhaps the Barre Daily Times is the source of these articles.] (*Lavin Rouse, 634/11, VHS*)

Belville, Sheldon William (Section OY1 – 247a) 19 Jul 1910 – 26 Oct 1950

6843736 USAAF E-5. Born: 19 Jun 10 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Dec 41. Separated: 07 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and Atlantic Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 113.*)

Belville's grass marker indicated he served with the 78th Army Air Force Service Squadron, his rank given as staff sergeant on the gravestone application. A newspaper clipping dated Oct 26, 1950 had a paragraph concerning his service. Belville served a total of seven years beginning in 1932, he served three years in the Philippines. He enlisted a second time the day after the attacks at Pearl Harbor and served in the Air Corps over Africa and the Pacific Theater. Belville left the service as a Master Sergeant after World War II ended. (*Lavin-Rousse, 634/14, VHS*)

The 1940 census for Barre showed Sheldon as a lodger in the home of Fred Rowell on North Main Street and his residence in 1935 as "somewhere in China" and gave his occupation as plumber. (*ancestry.com*)

Special Orders Number 8, Fort Slocum, New York: January 12, 1933, Paragraph 3, i.e., the enlisted men on the roster would proceed from Slocum on January 18, 1933 aboard the "Chateau Thierry" to the Commanding Officer of Troops for transportation to Manila, Philippine Islands. Signed H. D. Furey, Captain, 18th Infantry, Adjutant. Among those listed: 83. Belville, Sheldon W, 6843736, PVT, 1, CAC. (CAC is perhaps the Coast Artillery Corps.) The transport would make the journey via Fort McDowell, California. The same special order had Paragraph 2 for troops to travel to Tientsin, China.

Special Orders Number 58, Overseas Discharge and Replacement Depot, Fort McDowell, California, March 13, 1933: the enlisted men on the list have been assigned to the Philippine Department and leave on the US Army Troopship "Meigs" scheduled to sail from San Francisco, California on March 14, 1933. Signed L. S. S. Berry, Major, Cavalry, D.O.L., Adjutant. From the list: 19. Bellville (sic) Sheldon W., 6843736, Private, Coast Artillery.

Bishop, Edwin Joseph (Section N – 45) 29 Mar 1924 – 16 Nov 1988

8024995 USN E-3. Born: 29 Mar 24 at Barre Town, VT. Resided: Orange, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Jul 43. Active Duty: 3 Aug 43. Separated: 01 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 141.*) One Navy record showed Bishop a Seaman 1st Class with LCT (A) and LCT (A)(S) Flotilla, Gunfire Support Craft on 19 April 1944. [LCT (A) is a Landing Craft Tank (Armored)] Mrs. Gloria Bishop added Edwin to the database of the World War II memorial in Washington. She wrote he had landed at Normandy and had the European African Middle Eastern and American Campaign Ribbons.

Bisson, Roland L. (Section A – 3) 1919 - 2007

31481893 USA E-2. Born 05 Sep 19 at Orange, VT. Resided: Orange, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 12 Mar 45. Separated: 22 Aug 46. Foreign Service: Western Pacific Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 143.*) Bisson enlisted at Fort Devens for the duration of the war plus six months. The enlistment records showed him as having a grammar school education and to be a skilled crane man. (*ancestry.com*)

Bixby, Victor L. (Section Main – 33n) 31 Jul 1901 – 4 May 1976

32463839, USA E-6. Born 30 Jul 01, East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Sep 42. Active Duty: 09 Sep 42. Separated: 05 Jun 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 145.*) The Nov 25, 1944 newspaper article describing his wedding to Marjorie Bailey Carroll stated Bixby to be an Army Air Corps sergeant stationed at the Army Airfield, McCook, Nebraska as an instructor. (*Lavin-Rousse, 634/8, VHS*)

Blair, Raymond J. (Section N – 85) 18 Sep 1918 – 26 Aug 1990

31062430 USA E-2. Born in West Chazy, NY. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 06 Feb 42. Separated: 02 Dec 44. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 147.*)

Blakeney, Raymond Alexander (Section G – 55) 25 Apr 1917 – 24 Jul 1994

31115478 USA E-3. Born: 25 Apr 17 at Brockton, MA. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Jun 42. Active Duty: 13 Jul 42. Separated: 09 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater and EAT. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, pg. 150.*) [Note: the World War 2 roster spelled his last name as "Blakeny."]

Blanchet, Russell A. (Section G – 3) 29 Feb 1920 – 1 Nov 1969

11015831 USAAF O-1. Born 29 Feb 20 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Sep 41. Commissioned: 26 Jun 43. Separated: 19 Dec 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater and Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 152.*) An article appeared in the 15 May 1945 Burlington Free Press as found on ancestry.com, Lieutenant Blanchet received the air medal for his service over Germany and Europe. He flew with the 91st Bombardment Group, their targets included communications, oil, and industrial facilities. Blanchet's Times Argus obituary from 6 Nov 1969 showed he had served as a pilot and 2nd lieutenant in both the European Theater and the China-Burma-India Theater. He served with the military for 12 years.

Booe, William Anderson (Section Main – 62) 1926 - 2005

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, obituary not recovered. Born in Connecticut, he may not have been a resident of Vermont during the war. An additional document did show his enlistment at Fort Devens, Massachusetts on 3 November 1944, another document showed his discharge of 17 July 1946.

Boyce, Syderick C. (Section New – 463s) 17 Apr 1926 – 1 Jan 2011

31468440 USA E-3. Born: 17 Apr 26 at Websterville. Resided: Graniteville. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 May 44. Separated: 23 Apr 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 186.*) Boyce's grass marker showed he had been awarded the Bronze Star medal. From the World War 2 memorial website: Company G, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, served in France, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Germany.

Brigham, George T., Jr. (Section G – 19s) 1914 - 1984

987678 USMC. Born: 21 Apr 14 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 20 Jun 44. Separated: Medical 23 Nov 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 199.*)

Brown, George G. (Section OY2 – 338) 19 Jul 1919 – 30 Mar 1984

31403191 USA E-1. Born: 19 Jul 19 at Barre, VT. Resided: Burlington, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Nov 43. Active Duty: 08 Dec 43. Separated: 08 Nov 45. Foreign Service:

European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 213.*) An entry in the World War II memorial database stated Brown served with Headquarters Company of the 23rd Tank Battalion, 12th Armored Division in Europe.

Brown, Myron C. (Section N – 70) 14 Oct 1913 – 2 Mar 1986
31404755 USA E-4. Born: 14 Oct 13 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Feb 45. Active Duty: 27 Feb 45. Separated: 29 Oct 46. Foreign Service: Western Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 216.*)

Burke, Stanton L. (Section Main – 52n) 1922 - 1998
31200040 USA E-4. Born: 04 Apr 22 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Nov 42. Active Duty: 24 Nov 42. Separated: 12 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. Comments: Wounded, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater 23 Jun 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 234.*) In a Burlington Free Press article from the 7 Dec 1944 edition, Corporal Burke received the Bronze Star for his firefighting efforts on August 15 against a fire in a truckload of ammunition. Some shrapnel hit him as he fought the fire. The article also referenced Burke being wounded in action in France on June 23. (Lavin Rousse, 634/52, VHS) In his obituary, more details of his service emerged. Stanton served as a member of the 113th Field Artillery Battalion, 30th Infantry Division in the European and the African and Middle Eastern Theaters. He had the Bronze Star with oak leaf cluster as well as the Purple Heart.

Button, Charles Victor (Section Main – 47s) 1915 - 1987
8254618 USN E-3. Born 04 Feb 15, Corinth, VT. Resided: Topsham, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 11 Jan 44. Active Duty: 18 Jan 44. Separated: 17 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, pg 249.*)

Carbonneau, Adrian Joseph (Section Main – 87n) 25 Mar 1925 – 3 Aug 2010
31340163 USA E-4. Born: 25 Mar 1925 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Jun 43. Active Duty: 08 Jul 43. Separated: Medical 25 May 46. Foreign Service: American Theater, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. Comments: Wounded 03 Apr 45, in Germany. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 266.*) According to his obituary as it appeared in the Barre Montpelier Times Argus, August 5, 2010, Sergeant Carbonneau served as a medic. As he worked to retrieve wounded from the battlefield, he became a casualty and the enemy captured him. He spent the remainder of the war as a prisoner. An article in the Burlington Free Press of 4 May 1945 and found on ancestry.com, Carbonneau served with Patton's 3rd Army and served overseas beginning in January of 1945. The article stated he had been wounded in April of 1945.

Carbonneau, Lionel J. (Section New – 452) 25 May 1920 - died 24 Jul 2006
31115404 USA E-4. Born: 25 May 1920 at Barre Town, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Jun 42. Active Duty: 11 Jul 42. Separated: 09 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater, European Theater of Operation, and American Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 266.*) His wife Marilyn Carbonneau wrote on the World War II memorial site that Lionel served in campaigns at Rome-Arno, the North Apennines, and the Po Valley. An article in the Burlington Free Press from the 13 Mar 1945 edition as found on ancestry.com stated Corporal Carbonneau received the bronze star while serving with the 350th "Battle Mountain" regiment of the 88th "Blue Devil" division. He received the award for his service between 4 March and 30 December of 1944 while in charge of the rations section of the regiment.

Carminati, William A. (Section Main – 81n) 16 May 1922 – 3 Aug 1998

31253090 USAAF E-2. Born: 16 May 22 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Dec 42. Active Duty: 07 Jan 43. Separated: 05 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 270.*) His obituary stated he served in the Army Air Corps in the Philippines and the South Pacific Theater. (*Lavin-Rousse, 634/34, VHS*)

Carpenter, Herbert Jackson (Section N – 87) 1917 - 1980

31114418 USAAF E-4. Born: 11 Oct 17 at Groton, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 16 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 273.*)

Carpenter, Leon Amos (Section G – 135) 20 Feb 1916 – 26 May 1977

11015540 USA E-5. Born: 20 Feb 16 at Groton, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 15 Aug 40. Separated: 23 Jul 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater and European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 273.*) Enlistment records showed he enlisted in the Coast Artillery Corps or Army Mine Planter Service. An article appearing in the 31 July 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found on ancestry.com outlined his service. He served as a truck driver in the anti-aircraft battery of the searchlight battalion. His service took him to Sicily, Naples, Rome, the North Apennines, and into the Po Valley.

Carpenter, Richard Taylor (Section OY2 – 319) 1924 - 1977

31254821 USA E-4. Born: 06 Jul 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Active Duty: 01 Apr 43. Separated: 06 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 274.*)

Chase, Henry A. (Section N – 5w) 1916 - 2011

31403516 USA E-5. Born: 28 Jun 16 at East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Dec 43. Active Duty: 12 Jan 44. Separated: 11 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 300.*) In his obituary as printed in the Times Argus, he served from 1944 to 1946 in the US Army. He became a heavy equipment operator in the Asiatic Pacific Theater. His unit served in Manila in the Philippines and also in Japan. On Chase's enlistment record, he is listed as a high school graduate and a skilled mechanic and repairman. He enlisted for the duration of the war plus six months.

Cheever, John Edward, Sr. (Section G – 141c) 29 Mar 1926 – 17 Sep 1988

31467691 USA E-5. Born: 29 Mar 26 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 May 44. Separated: 06 Feb 47. Foreign Service: Okinawa. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 302.*)

Christie, Alexander B. (Section G – 81) 10 May 1920 – 20 Jun 2004

31115473 USA E-4. Born: 10 May 20, Williamstown, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Jun 42. Active Duty: 13 Jul 42. Separated: 30 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 309.*) His Times Argus obituary referenced his service in the US Army Transportation Corps in the European, African, and Eastern Theaters of Operation.

Churchill, A. Ray (Section C – 60) 1912 -1979

Alton R. Churchill, 31199137, USAAF E-7. Born 18 Nov 12 Barre, Vt. Resided: Barre, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Oct 42. Active Duty: 23 Oct 42. Separated: 22 Dec 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 310.*) His death certificate indicated his World War 2 service, he enlisted at Rutland, listed as a manager.

Coburn, Lawrence Edward (Section Main – 68n) 21 May 1909 – 27 Dec 1965

31403180 USA E-2. Born: 5 July 09 in Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 16 Nov 43. Active Duty: 07 Dec 43. Separated: 01 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 329.*) Other records indicated he enlisted in Rutland, VT for the duration of the war plus six months. Personal notation showed Coburn had a grammar school education, worked as a stonecutter, and enlisted before he became a US citizen. His place of birth has been listed as Marlinton, Province of Quebec. His daughter, Patricia Price wrote in the World War II memorial database that Coburn served with Company A of the 3rd Battalion and as a member of the Corps of Engineers. He built bridges in France and Germany during the war.

Colby, Ernest (OY5 – 176d) 21 May 1916 – 27 Dec 1965

20150564 USA E-2. Born: 21 May 16, Holyoke, Mass. Resided in Northfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 7 Oct 40. Active Duty: 24 Feb 41. Separated: 23 Jun 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: died 27 Dec 65 in Barre, Vt. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 334.*) His enlistment records showed he enlisted in Northfield as an infantry private and came from the National Guard. Ernest had a grammar school education and worked as a stonecutter.

Comstock, Gerald Francis (Section OY5 – 178) 7 Feb 1922 – 21 Sep 2004

6669554 USN E-5. Born 07 Feb 22, Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 05 Nov 42. Active Duty: 28 Dec 42. Separated: 20 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 345.*) Comstock's marker indicated he served as a Carpenter's Mate. Other records showed he traveled as a passenger aboard the USS Besboro, AG 66, as shown on a roster dated 19 March 1944, traveling between Kodiak and Adak, Alaska. The ship began in the Burns Steamship Company, the navy bought her and converted her to a miscellaneous auxiliary ship used to haul cargo. In an article published in the Barre Daily Times on 5 October 1944 when Gerald came home for his father's funeral, he served with the Seabees and had been ordered to Davisville, RI after his father's services. Comstock went to boot camp at Camp Bradford in Virginia, and had recently returned from a 16 month tour in the Aleutians.

Connell, James J. (Section New – 116) 19 Feb 1921 – 30 Oct 2004

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. In his obituary as printed in the Times Argus, Connell served during World War II as a member of the US Army Air Corps. His duty stations included the China-India-Burma Theater with the Flying Tigers of the 14th Air Force. He served as an aerial gunner and navigator. The World War II memorial database further identified his unit as the 491st Bomb Squadron, 341st Bomb Group.

Conti, Joseph (Section N – 62e) 1914 - 1962

31155858 USA E-1. Born: 13 Aug 14 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Aug 42. Active Duty: 04 Sep 42. Separated: 08 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Alaska. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 351.*)

Cordick, Robert Chester (Section E – 127) 1 Oct 1904 – 4 Mar 1976

31199661 USA E-2. Resided: Northfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Oct 42. Separated: 20 Oct 44. Comments: Trans ERC [Reserve Corps] 21 May 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 359.*) A 19 Dec 1942 Burlington Free Press article placed Cordick at Camp Pickett in Virginia serving with the medical corps. Another article, dated 5 Jun 1943 reported he had been transferred to the reserves due to his being “over-age” and he returned home to Northfield to work at Norwich.

Corrigan, Eugene (Section OY1 – 253) (Photo TEC4) 1918 - 1980

31115823 USA E-4. Born: 25 Feb 18 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Jul 42. Active Duty: 10 Jul 42. Separated: 20 Nov 46. Foreign Service: Mediterranean Theater of Operations. Comments: Wounded in Action 17 Jul 44, Mediterranean Theater of Operations. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 363.*) In an article that appeared in the 3 Aug 1944 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found on ancestry.com, it was reported that Corrigan had been seriously wounded while serving on the Italian front. Another article dated 24 Jul 1945 reported his unit, the 349th Infantry Regiment of the 88th Division, had received an award. At the time, Corrigan had been transferred to the 337th quartermaster depot supply company. His awards included the good conduct ribbon, Purple Heart, Combat Infantry Badge, and the Mediterranean Theater ribbon with one battle star.

Craig, Lester Allen (Section G – 176) 1913 - 2007

31459310 USA E-4. Born: 01 Aug 13 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Mar 44. Separated: 01 Apr 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 375.*) Craig's obituary, from the Times Argus, added additional duty stations during the war as Hawaii and Korea.

Craige, Edmon Nelson (Section G – 78n) 14 Dec 1922 – 1 Feb 2001

31254089 USAAF. O-1 Second serial number: 02083229. Born: 14 Jul 22, Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Feb 43. Active Duty: 01 Mar 43. Separated: 19 Oct 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 376.*) Additional information from the obituary published in the Times Argus showed Craige to be a B-24 and B-25 bomber pilot. In addition to World War II, he served in the Air Force Reserve until May of 1960. A separate article in the Burlington Free Press, 7 Feb 1945 edition as found on the ancestry.com website carried news of his graduation as a second lieutenant and his receiving his pilot's wings from a school in Frederick, Oklahoma. Craige trained on a modified B-25 Mitchel bomber and would be reassigned to a medium or heavy bombardment unit for further training. He originally enlisted in the army in 1943 and received orders for a field artillery unit but transferred to the air corps.

Craige, Fred Imlah (Section G – 19n) 5 Dec 1910 – 27 Mar 1992

31339802 USA E-4. Born: 05 Dec 10 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 43. Active Duty: 09 Jun 43. Separated: 11 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 376.*) His Times Argus obituary mentioned his service in the Signal Corps.

Craige, Raymond A. (Section OY2 – 319) 22 Dec 1908 – 9 Feb 1995

31460140 USA E-2. Born: 22 Dec 08 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 30 Mar 44. Separated: 05 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 376.*) In the Times Argus obituary, further details showed he served in the Headquarters Company of the 9th Armored Engineer Battalion.

Crawford, Charles Reid (Section Main – 66) 20 Aug 1922 – 21 Nov 1995

31253082 USA E-2. Born: 20 Aug 22 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Dec 42. Active Duty: 07 Jan 43. Separated: 28 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. Comments: Wounded, European Theater of Operation France 03 Sep 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 379.*) Crawford's memorial showed an Army Combat Infantry Badge. An article from the 22 Sep 1944 edition as found on the ancestry.com website stated he had been wounded in the arm while serving in France.

Cumming, Robert D. (Section OY2 – 320) 11 Jan 1921 – 5 Jul 1977

31155982 USA E-5. Born: 11 Jan 21 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Sep 42. Active Duty: 17 Sep 42. Separated: 16 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 388.*) In his Burlington Free Press obituary of 7 Jul 1977 as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com, his war assignments took him to the South Pacific at New Guinea and Luzon in the Philippines. He served in Headquarters Company on the base at Luzon.

Davis, Lawrence T. (Section F – 6) 28 Aug 1921 – 14 May 1985

US Navy, details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. Vital records show his birth to be in Colorado, his death certificate showed he served in World War II.

Dickinson, Harold Dan (Section G – 163s) 5 Jun 1924 – 23 Dec 2010

8249637 USN E-4. Born: 05 Jun 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Feb 43. Separated: 04 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater, Philippine Liberation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 448.*) According to his obituary as it appeared in the Times Argus, Dickinson served aboard the fleet oiler, USS Marias AO-57.

Donald, John Andrew (Section G – 211n) 28 Sep 1925 – 16 Sep 2003

31467582 USA E-2. Born: 28 Sep 25 at E. Topsham, VT. Resided: Berlin, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 18 May 45. Separated: 14 Apr 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 458.*) From his Times Argus obituary, Donald served with the 10th Mountain Division in Italy.

Dubie, Robert Richard (Section N – 36e) 1924 - 1957

8249734 USN E-4. Born: 13 Feb 23 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Active Duty: 16 Apr 43. Separated: 21 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Cuba. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 472.*)

Dunn, Raymond (Section G – 199) 1918 - 1999

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. (Born in New Hampshire.) Perhaps Raymond L. Dunn, 7827288, seaman 1st Class aboard the USS Perkins (DD-3) as shown in muster roll 1 Apr 46; served on board beginning 5 Apr 1945. 1 Oct 45; 1 Jan 46. His Times Argus obituary referenced his service with the US Navy from 1943 – 1945 in the Pacific Theater.

Edson, John W. (Section G – 256) 19 Sep 1924 – 1 Jul 1989

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II.

Edson, Julius R. (Section G – 180) 25 Aug 1916 – 6 Feb 2010

30146085 USA E-5. Born 25 Aug 16, Burlington, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Separated: 11 Oct 45. Foreign

Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 501.*) Edson's obituary, published in the Times Argus, additional details showed him working as a mechanic's helper and a cook. While overseas, he landed at Normandy on June 6, 1944 and participated in four additional campaigns, the Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Europe, and Northern France.

Edwards, James W. (Section OY1 – 210) 1928 - 1953

11143493 USA E-4. Born: 02 Jul 28 at Topsham, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 20 Jun 46. Active Duty: 20 Jun 46. Separated: 24 May 49. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 503.*) During his time in the army, Edwards served as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne.

Ellenwood, Charles W. (Section Main – 22) 18 Feb 1913 – 3 May 1973

31114980 USA E-5. Born: Ilson, PA. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 May 42, Separated: Medical 29 Sep 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 505.*)

Ellenwood, Paul V. (Section G – 27) 15 Sep 1919 – 6 Jul 2009

31156024 USAAF E-4. Born: 15 Sep 19 in South Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Sep 42. Active Duty: 18 Sep 42. Separated: 18 Feb 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 505.*) Further details in his obituary as printed in the Times Argus, he became a mechanic and an instructor. His service included the 16th Armored Division and later as a mechanic on refueling tankers.

Emery, Stanley (Section G – 12) 21 May 1915 – 25 Sep 1973

31114483 USA E-2. Born: 21 May 15 at Groton, VT. Resided: Ryegate, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 15 Aug 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 511.*)

Emrick, Charles Melvin (Section N – 53e) 1916 - 1998

6669105 USN E-6. Born: 22 Aug 16 at Stow, Mass. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 02 Nov 42. Separated: 01 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 512.*)

Fair, Stanley John (Section G – 212) 15 Feb 1920 – 1 Jan 1999

31113995 USA E-2. Born: 16 Feb 20 at Calais, VT. Resided: Woodbury, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Mar 42. Separated: 18 Mar 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 519.*)

Fassett, Kenneth V. (Section C – 1) 15 Mar 1912 – 1 Jul 1992

31459311 USA E-2. Born 15 Mar 12 Rochester, Mass. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Mar 44. Active Duty: 29 Mar 44. Separated: 17 Sep 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 527.*) A news note in the 1 Oct 1945 Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com said he had served in a rifle company and participated in battles in Northern France, Central Europe, and the Ardennes. He held the sharpshooter's badge and the Combat Infantry Badge.

Ferris, Fred R. (Section A – 16) 1899 - 1967

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. Enlistment records show he enlisted in the army on 26 Oct 42 in Hartford, CT and showed him to be a semi-skilled machinist.

Ferris, Maurice Gavin (Section B – 31) 28 Sep 1924 – 14 Oct 2013

8249799 USN E-4. Born: 28 Sep 24, East Montpelier, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Apr 43. Active Duty: 21 Apr 43. Separated: 7 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. In the Times Argus obituary, further details included his service as a radio technician aboard the USS Ashtabula, a re-fueling ship, in the South Pacific. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 533.*)

Finck, Kenneth S. (COL 4-Side B-Niche Day2) 22 Oct 1922 – 11 Mar 2015

Mr. Finck came to Vermont in 1971 from his native state of New York. The Times Argus obituary references his Marine Corps service during World War II, December 1942 – July 1945.

Fitts, Homer Robert (Section G – 115a) 13 Oct 1926 – 30 Aug 2021

6676221 USN E-3. Born: 13 Oct 26 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 Sep 44. Active Duty: 8 Nov 44. Separated: 21 Dec 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 542.*) Graduating from high school in 1944, he enlisted in the Navy and served in the last two weeks of the war. In July of 1945, Seaman 2nd Class Fitts was stationed at Camp McAlester in Oklahoma.

Flemings, Glenn Frank (Section N – 15e) 6 Aug 1910 – 15 Oct 1978

31155099 USA E-2. Born: 06 Aug 10 at Hyde Park, VT. Resided: Hardwick, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 30 Jul 42. Active Duty: 13 Aug 42. Separated: 19 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 547.*)

Fletcher, Fred Brewster, Jr. (Section G – 264) 4 Oct 1923 – 24 Mar 1984

8249011 USN E-6. Born: 04 Oct 23 at Hardwick, VT. Resided: Montpelier, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Jan 43. Separated: 02 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 548.*) On his grass marker, Fletcher reached the Navy rank of HM1. (Hospital Corpsman 1st Class) Also, Korean War veteran.

French, Cyril, Jr. (Section G – 260s) 1922 - 1998

6665503 USN E-4. Born: 20 Aug 22 at Plainfield, VT. Resided: Plainfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Sep 42. Separated: 20 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater, Philippine Liberation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 577.*) An article published in the 29 November 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com, Gunners Mate 3rd Class French served for 38 months aboard the USS Denver in the South Pacific. He became a plank owner of the ship as he served on the ship at her commissioning. French earned nine battle stars while aboard ship, the Denver entered Manila Bay as the first American ship to do so since the Pacific war began. [*Note: the World War 2 roster showed his name as "French, Junior Cyril."*]

Gamble, Gerald W. (Section OY2 – 331) 8 Sep 1913 – 24 Apr 1994

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II [Military death index showed he served between 28 Mar 1945 and 21 Mar 1946.]

Geake, Wendell D. (Section Main – 41s) 1915 - 1995

USA E-1. Born 16 Oct 15, Barre Town, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Aug 42. Active Duty: 04 Sep 42. Separated: Med 01 Sep 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 606.*) His Times Argus obituary, he served in the Pacific Theater. The VA's BIRL death index file showed the same dates of service.

Gomez, David Wallace (Section N – 50) 22 Mar 1926 – 1 Mar 1983

6674280 USN E-4. Born 22 Mar 26 at Northfield, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Feb 44. Separated: 12 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: Enlisted: 30 Apr 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 632.*) Korean War as well. Navy records show Gomez as a Motor Machinist Mate 3rd Class. His service included time aboard the LST 825, he sailed with the ship on 9 Jan 1944. He can also be found aboard the USS Caloosahatchee, AO-98, an oiler, on 22 Jun 1946, and aboard the LST 1144 on 5 Sep 1946. [LST = Landing Ship, Tank.]

Guy, Milford F. (Section Main – 58n) 1915 - 1969

31046086 USA E-5. Born: 26 Nov 15 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Separated: 11 Nov 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 676.*)

Guy, Vera V. (Section G – 24) 1924 - 2004

N802053 USA O-1. Born; 29 Mar 24 at Woodbury, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 18 Jun 45. Active Duty: 18 Jun 45. Separated: 08 Oct 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 676.*)

Guy, William George, Sr. (Section G – 24) 24 Jan 1918 – 9 Aug 2003

2125293 USN E-3. Born 24 Jun 18. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Oct 39. Separated: 27 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Yes. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 676.*) From his obituary as seen in the Times Argus, Guy began his military years with a three year enlistment with the Army's mounted cavalry. He then joined the US Navy for six years and finished that enlistment as a Petty Officer First Class.

Guyette, Henry E. (Section G – 20) 15 Feb 1916 – 20 Aug 1981

31156886 USA E-5. Born: 15 Feb 16 at West Bolton, VT. Resided: Hardwick, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 01 Oct 42. Active Duty: 15 Oct 42. Separated: 17 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater, Philippine Liberation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 678.*) His 23 Aug 1981 obituary showed he served with Company C, 101st Signal Battalion.

Guyette, Wesley H., Sr. (Section G – 20) 24 Mar 1913 – 4 Oct 1974

31199141 USA E-1. Born: 24 Mar 13 at West Bolton, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Oct 42. Active Duty: 23 Oct 43 (?). Separated: 30 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 678.*)

Harvey, Irwin H. (Section N – 81e) 18 Sep 1913 – 18 Apr 1992

31403170 USA E-2. Born 18 Sep 13 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 16 Nov 43. Active Duty: 07 Dec 43. Separated: 12 Dec 43. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 708.*) Records on the internet set Harvey's separation date as 12 Dec 1945. His Times Argus obituary also referenced his service in the army during World War II.

Hebert, Henry (Section Main – 77n) 1926 – 19 Aug 2012

8258482 USN E-5. Born: 25 Apr 26 at Barre, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 30 Aug 44. Separated: 12 Jun 46. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation and Asiatic Pacific Theater. Re-enlisted 13 Jun 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 725.*) His obituary, published in the Times Argus, further defined his service saying he served as a Seabee.

Hill, Duane Orbert (Section G – 58) 24 Oct 1915 – 4 Apr 1984

31020309 USA E-2. Born 24 Oct 15 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Mar 41. Separated: 22 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 740.*)

Hill, Ray I. (Section G – 103) 25 Dec 1917 – 17 Apr 1989

31113993 USA E-4. Born: 25 Dec 17 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Mar 42. Separated: 14 Jan 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 742.*)

Holden, Willard E. (Section G – 65) 18 Feb 1924 – 15 Mar 1975

31253424 USA E-3. Born: 18 Feb 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Plainfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Jan 43. Active Duty: 27 Jan 43. Separated: 06 Mar 47. Foreign Service: Pacific Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 755.*) The government stone for Holden stated his service to be with the Army Air Forces.

Houle, Charles Eugene (Section N – M5) 10 Feb 1923 – 24 Aug 2005

31254062 USA E-1. Born: Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Feb 43. Separated: 25 Oct 44. Comments: Released from active duty 20 Aug 43 and recalled 1 Dec 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 764.*) His Times Argus obituary references a term in the army from 1938 until 1942, but does not reference the enlistment from the Adjutant General's roster. World War 2 service also appears on his death certificate.

Howlett, Linwood R. (Section Main – 49) 4 Apr 1905 – 29 Nov 1982

31199151 USA. Born: Mars Hill, ME. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Oct 42. Separated: 12 Dec 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 770.*)

Hoyt, Arthur Erwin (Section G – 245c) 3 Dec 1925 – 22 Apr 2022

6674073 USN E-4. Born: 03 Dec 25 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Sep 43. Separated: 07 Apr 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 771.*) His Times Argus obituary from 26 Apr 2022 stated Hoyt enlisted in the US Navy in 1943 and served aboard the carrier USS Nassau (CVE-16) of the US 7th Fleet as well as the destroyer, USS Purdy, DD-734. His service aboard ship brought him to Okinawa, New Guinea, Hawaii, the Philippines, and the Solomon and Maris Islands. Hoyt worked in communications as a third class petty officer and as a 20 mm gunner. He received his discharge in 1946 and has among his decorations, the World War 2 Victory Medal and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon.

In other research, Hoyt is shown on the May 31st, 1945 roster of the USS Dixie (AD-14) as a Seaman 1st Class Radioman. On 29 March 1946, a report of changers for the Purdy showed Radioman Third Class Hoyt as transferred on the 28th of March to Terminal Island, California and bound for Boston and his discharge.

Hudson, Robert H. (Section G – 51) 1924 - 1983

31254784 USA E-2. Born: 14 Jan 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Separated: 25 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. Comments: Wounded, Germany 09 Apr 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 774.*) An article in the 29 May edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper section of the ancestry.com website further outlined his service. Hudson became a member of the 10th Armored Division in Germany. While there, his jeep crashed into a burnt out tank and effectively blocked the road for an upcoming convoy of allied vehicles. Despite enemy machine gun fire, Hudson left the cover of a ditch and hooked a winch cable onto the disabled jeep allowing it to be removed from the road and opening the way for the convoy.

Hutchins, Kenneth Leon (Section G – 259) 1920 - 1973

6073809 USN E-6. Born: 16 Dec 20 at E. Barre, VT. Resided: Montpelier, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Aug 42. Separated: 20 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater, and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 786.*) A Report of Changes document dated 6 Nov 1944 placed him aboard the USS Merak as a gunner's mate second class, another document dated 17 Nov 1944 showed he transferred off the ship. The Merak began as a passenger liner before the war and the navy acquired the ship in 1942 and converted it to a stores ship. Kenneth is listed on a ship's roster dated 18 Jun 1945 for the USS Turandot AKA 47 as a gunner's mate. Kenneth was part of the crew present on the day the Turandot was commissioned. The ship took Kenneth to the Pacific Theater on its mission as an attack class cargo ship.

Hutchins, Kermit S. (Section G – 259) 2 May 1927 – 9 Aug 2002

6676409 USN E-3. Born: 02 May 27 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Jan 45. Active Duty: 03 Jan 45. Separated: 06 Jul 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: Re-enlisted 07 Jul 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 786.*) Records show he served aboard the USS Mississippi, AG-128, BB41 52C. The vessel was a battleship from the First World War, and the ship remained active until after the Korean War. During WW2, the ship had an island hopping mission. A report of changes from the Mississippi dated 1 Nov 1945 showed Seaman 2nd Class Kermit Hutchins reporting aboard coming from the recruit training center in New Orleans. His name can be found on several other of the Mississippi's roster documents.

Hutchinson, Francis L. (Section C – 10.5) 15 Nov 1921 – 11 Jul 1944

31200039 USA E-1. Born 15 Nov 21. Resided: Barre, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 24 Nov 42. Separated: Killed in Action, 11 Jul 44. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. Comments: Killed in Action, 11 Jul 44 France. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 787.*) His grass marked indicated he served as a Private in the 119th Infantry. From his government headstone application: 30th Cavalry Recon Troop, 119th Infantry Regiment.

The Barre Daily Times ran an obituary for Hutchinson on 7 Aug 1944. The article said he had been killed in action in France but offered no other details. Hutchinson began his military service at Fort Devens, then at Camp Blanding, and next he transferred to the 30th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop in Nashville, Tenn. He transferred again, this time to Co. I of the 119th Infantry and from there he went overseas.

Hutchinson did not make it home until 1949. He arrived at Montpelier Junction on Monday, the 18th of April and his funeral held on Wednesday. The 15 April 1949 Barre Daily Times article repeated his military service and the units he belonged to, but it also added he died during the invasion of St. Lo on 11 July 1944.

Jackman, Rudolph E. (Section G – 105) 7 Jan 1911 – 19 Jun 2002

31439780 USA E-5. Born: 07 Jan 11 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 43. Active Duty: 09 Jun 43. Separated: 07 Feb 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 795.*) In the obituary published in the Times Argus, the article stated Jackman served as a military police officer.

Jenkins, Gerald G., Sr. (Section G – 196) 1915 - 1988

31482002 USA E-5. Born: 01 Aug 15 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Mar 45. Active Duty: 13 Mar 45. Separated: 25 Oct 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 805.*) The World War II memorial database contained an entry by Ms. Debra Jenkins. She stated Jenkins served during the Occupation of Japan as a member of the 738th Base Depot Company and supervised Japanese workers in a lumber yard.

Jerry, Gorman (Section G – 215) 4 Feb 1919 – 13 Oct 1993

31020018 USA E-4. Born: 04 Feb 19 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 11 Mar 41. Active Duty: 11 Mar 41. Separated: 21 Jun 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 808.*)

Johnson, David John (Section B – 7) 22 Mar 1898 – 29 Nov 1971

31155742 USA E-3. Born: 22 Mar 98 at Barre, VT. Resided: Orange, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Aug 42. Active Duty: 02 Sep 42. Separated: Medical 20 Jul 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 812.*) Johnson enlisted in Rutland and is listed as a stone worker, his death certificate shows him as a World War 2 veteran.

Johnson, Karl Siegfried (Section New – 459) 29 Jul 1927 – 21 Oct 2014)

6679191 USN E-2. Born 29 Jul 1926 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Mar 1945. Active Duty: 30 May 45. Separated: 16 Jul 46. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation. Comments: reenlisted 17 Jul 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 815.*) More details from his Times Argus obituary: During the Second World War, Karl served aboard the USS Leyte, an aircraft carrier, for 14 months. Ship's logs showed him as a Seaman 2nd Class. During his second enlistment, he served aboard the USS Conway, a destroyer escort. (See Korean War entry for Johnson.)

Johnson, Kenneth C. (Section B – 7b) 6 May 1917 – 22 May 1991

31020015 USA E-6. Born 06 May 17 Corinth, VT, Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 11 Mar 41. Active Duty: 11 Mar 41. Separated: 08 Aug 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 816.*) Enlisted at Rutland, a sales clerk. (*ancestry.com*)

Jones Loren Calef (Main-43n) 25 Dec 1918 – 27 Aug 1999

31020038 USA E-7. Born: 25 Dec 18 at Hillsboro, Oregon. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 11 Mar 41. Separated: Medical, 13 Feb 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater of Operations. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 824.*) His Times Argus obituary stated he served as a technical sergeant with the 43rd Division and participated in the campaigns at Guadalcanal and in the Solomon Islands. The Burlington Free Press also noted he served for almost four years and entered active service on 11 March 1941 with the 172nd Infantry of the 43rd Division. He left the US in October 1942 and returned October 1944.

Jones, Maurice Taylor (Section New – 99a) (25 May 1922 – 19 Jan 2016)

11073622 USAAF E-4. Born 25 May 22, Washington, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Aug 42. Active Duty: 6 Mar 43. Separated: 22 Feb 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 824.*) His obituary appearing in the Times Argus further defined Jones's service. He served as radio and advanced radar technician. His Army Air Force service took him to Boca Raton, Florida, Wisconsin, and Illinois. He had become a sergeant at the time of his discharge.

Katilainen, Toivo (Section N – 31w) 1911 - 1990

31199116 USA E-5. Born: 31 Jan 11, Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 08 Oct 42. Active Duty: 22 Oct 42. Separated: 03 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 835.*)

- Certificate: death: Toivo Katilainen, died Jan 30, 1990, age 78, born Jan 31, 1911 in Barre, died at the Vermont Veterans Home in Bennington, veteran of WWII, son of Kallie Katilainen and Johanna Hirmsaki, buried at Wilson Cemetery, Websterville, VT. In his Times Argus obituary, the article further outlined his service stating he had been in the Army infantry.

King, George Arthur (Section D – 2) 1913 - 1986

6664408 USN E-6. Born: 26 Nov 13, Graniteville, VT. Resided: Morristown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Aug 42. Active Duty: 14 Sep 42. Separated: 28 Sep 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 858.*)

King, George Russell (Section Main – 87n) 27 Feb 1902 – 24 Mar 1967

O229755 USA O-3. Resided: Danville, VT. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 858.*) His stone listed his rank as Major.

Lafond, Edmond W. (Section Main – 67s) 28 Nov 1922 – 23 Feb 2014

31254067 USA E-5. Born 28 Nov 22 in Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Feb 43. Separated: 16 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 892.*)

LaFountain, Nelson R. (Section New – 461s) 10 Oct 1922 – 22 Dec 2003

6669465 USN E-2. Born: 10 Oct 22 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Nov 42. Separated: Medical 28 Jan 43. (*World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, pg 893.*)

Lawson, George Willard (Section OY2 – 336) 2 Feb 1912 – 6 Apr 1991

8249871 USA E-6. Born: 02 Feb 12 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Apr 43. Active Duty: 05 May 43. Separated: 30 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 936.*) His government provided flat grave marker: George W Lawson; GM1 US Navy; World War II; Feb 2 1912 – Apr 6 1991.

Lawson, James Max (Section G – 238) 1927 – 1996

686487 USCG E-2. Born: 14 Apr 27 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Apr 45. Separated: 15 May 46. Foreign Service: AMA and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 936.*)

Leszko, Barbara Dickinson (Section G – 217) 1923 – 1997

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. According to her death certificate, she served as an army nurse during World War II. The Burlington Free Press, 19 Nov 1948 edition as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com, carried an article about

the wedding of Barbara and Stanley in Maine. She had grown up in Williamstown, Vermont and graduated high school in 1940. Barbara graduated from the Barre City School of Nursing in 1944. Her World War II service lasted 19 months, 12 of them in the Pacific Theater. She does not appear in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War II under either Dickinson or Leszko.

Leszko, Stanley F. (Section G – 217) 1922 – 1984

31253421 USA E-5. Born: 13 Oct 22 at Winooski, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Jan 43. Active Duty: 29 Jan 43. Separated: 19 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 958.*) Enlisted at Rutland, VT. In the wedding article referenced above for Barbara, the article had a reference stating Stanley served for three years with the 10th Mountain Division. In another Free Press article, this one dated 5 April 1945, Sergeant Leszko received the Bronze Star for heroic achievement while serving with the 87th Mountain Infantry Regiment of the 10th Mountain Division. He climbed a steep slope while under enemy fire and took out several emplacements with hand grenades. The medal also came with a promotion to Staff Sergeant.

Lewis, Charles W. (Section G – 179) 1927 – 1982

Lewis served with the Royal Canadian Navy in the North Atlantic during World War II. (Burlington Free Press, 10 Oct 1982, as found on Newspapers.com, a section of Ancestry.com)

Locarno, Leo S. (Section Main – 34n) 28 Mar 1913 – 10 Feb 1970

31200032 USA E-2. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Nov 42. Separated: 20 Aug 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 973.*) According to his Times Argus obituary, Locarno served with the Headquarters Detachment, 708th M.P. Battalion.

Lombard, Emmons S. (Section G – 239) 6 May 1902 – 18 Apr 1976

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II or for the Korean War. His government grass marker indicated Major Lombard served in the Army in both World War II and Korea. Other records showed his retirement from the military on 6 January 1962 as a major, at age 60 and with at least 20 years of service in the reserves. A short biography appeared in the 2 Sep 1944 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com. The article stated Lombard served in the ordnance department in Washington, DC at the time of his promotion to major. He also had substantial service with the Vermont National Guard, beginning as a private at the Windsor armory, he worked his way up to captain at that location.

Loquercio, Joseph N. (Section G – 102) 1916 – 1994

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. According to his death certificate, he did serve during World War II. (*ancestry.com*)

Lord, Harold Fred (Section G – 37) 13 Jul 1913 – 18 Sep 2000

20152240 USA O-1. Born: 13 Jul 13 at East Barre, VT. Resided: Montpelier, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Jul 39. Active Duty: 24 Feb 41. Commissioned: 19 Sep 42. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 979.*) Korean War roster as well. According to Lord's obituary, published in the Times Argus, he joined the Vermont National Guard in 1939. The government called his unit to active duty in February 1941, at the time he held the rank of Staff Sergeant. Later, he received his commission. He made a career of the Adjutant General's Corps and retired in 1961 as a Lieutenant Colonel. Another record showed his second serial number to be O-1000405, his retirement date as 28 Feb 1961 with more than 20 years of service.

Loverin, Kenneth W. (Section G – 225) 15 Sep 1924 – May 1986

31254266 USA E-2. Born: 15 Sep 24 at Eden, VT. Resided: Eden, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 02 Mar 43. Active Duty: 02 Mar 43. Separated: 16 Dec 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. PW Germany. Wounded, released 04 Apr 45. Liberated Prisoner of War, wounded, released 18 Jun 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 983.*) Loverin reenlisted again on 23 September 1950 and served until 27 September 1951. He appears in the Adjutant General's Roster for the Korean War, Loverin, Kenneth Wayne, CPL, Army, 31 254 266, from Graniteville. A news note in the 20 Jun edition of the Burlington Free Press, as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com, Loverin had been a cannoneer with the anti-aircraft artillery but volunteered for transfer into an infantry unit.

Lyttle, Abraham (Section New – 457) 9 Sep 1915 – 28 Feb 2011

8254888 USN E-4. Born: 09 Sep 15 at Ware, Mass. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 28 Mar 44. Separated: 11 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 1, page 995.*) In his obituary, published in the Times Argus, the description of his service included a statement he had been a Radioman 3rd Class aboard the destroyer USS Frank Knox, DD742, while on picket duty. He also served aboard the USS Prairie, for a very short time period.

MacAskill, Donald R. (Section C – 0) 1917 - 1999

31200026 USA E-5. Born: 05 Jul 17 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Nov 42. Active Duty: 24 Nov 42. Separated: 21 Feb 46. Foreign Service: American Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 1.*) His service is further documented on his death certificate and he enlisted at Rutland, listed as a farmer. An obituary showed he served in Brazil with the US Army Signal Corps.

MacDonald, Arthur S. (Section Main – 92) 2 Jul 1906 – 26 Jun 1956

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. In his brother Hugh's obituary published in the Barre Daily Times on 22 Oct 1918, Arthur is identified as "with the Canadian expeditionary forces in France ..."

MacDonald, Arthur W. (Section Main – 11s) 12 Sep 1912 – 29 Sep 1943

31020287 USA O-2. 2nd Service Number: 01104976. Born: 21 Sep 12. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Mar 41. Commissioned: 14 Oct 42. Separated: Killed in Action 29 Sep 43. Foreign Service: Southwest Pacific Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 1.*) Arthur's enlistment record showed him as having one year of college, an office machine operator, and single, without dependents. It also shows his height at 67 inches, he weighed 125 pounds. Arthur married Vivian Elizabeth Stott, another World War II veteran, see her entry below. In the Barre Daily Times obituary, the article listed his unit as the 872nd airborne engineer aviation battalion, a part of the 43rd Division. During his training, MacDonald had been stationed at Camps Wheeler, Blanding, and Shelby, and received his commission as a 2nd Lieutenant at Westover Field on February 25, 1943. Records and letters traced his movements through Australia and into New Guinea.

It wasn't until 20 July 1948 that Lt. MacDonald came home. An article in the 19 July edition of the Barre Daily Times stated he had begun his military service as a member of the 172nd Infantry, but went to officer candidate school followed by another school, this one in heavy equipment. Once overseas and after the capture of the Nadzab airfield, [*New Guinea*] MacDonald and two other officers worked to clear areas for additional airstrips. While working, the trio attempted to detonate captured Japanese hand grenades, one went off prematurely

killing MacDonald instantly. The article had a military photo of MacDonald, his corps of engineers collar device clearly visible.

They buried MacDonald in Wilson Cemetery on 21 July 1948, almost five years after his death. Many veterans attended and some members of the Vermont National Guard from Barre formed a casket guard according to the 22 July 1948 edition of the Barre Daily Times.

MacDonald, Graham R. (Section Main – 32s) 1919 – 1 Aug 2014

Mr. MacDonald does not appear in the Adjutant General's Roster of Vermonters for World War II, but his Times Argus obituary showed him as a member of the 121st Combat Engineer Battalion during D-Day, and he had earned the Purple Heart. A news note in the 6 Dec 1944 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found on Ancestry.com stated he had been wounded by shrapnel in his legs. An internet source did show him as enlisting on 17 Aug 42 at Rutland, VT as a private in the US Army for the duration of the war plus six months. Graham had four years of high school and is listed as semi-skilled in the manufacture of electrical machinery and accessories. His physical description stated 72 inches in height and 138 pounds.

MacDonald, James Allen (Section Main – 56s) 22 Sep 1922 – 10 Jun 1993

106106 USA. Born 22 Sep 22 in Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 May 43. Separated: 17 Jun 46. Comments: All service with Canadian Army in European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 3.*)

MacDonald, Jessie Leone Perrin (Section Main – 56s) 18 Jun 1918 – 25 Apr 1990

N-802 127 USA O-1. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: July 17, 45. Separated: Oct 20 46. [Name: Perrin, Jessie Leone.] (*Additions & Changes, VT World War 2 roster, page 56.*) Listed as a World War II veteran on her death certificate.

MacDonald, Vivian Stott (Section Main – 11s) 3 Nov 1910 – 11 Apr 1975

A110362 USA E-4. Born 03 Nov 10 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 12 Feb 45. Active Duty: 14 Mar 45. Separated: 29 Oct 46. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 2.*) (Death certificate showed WWII) Vivian first married Arthur W. MacDonald, another World War II veteran, see his entry above. An article from the Barre Daily Times published February 13, 1945 stated Vivian joined the Woman's Army Corps after the death of her husband 1st Lieutenant Arthur W. MacDonald somewhere in New Guinea. She joined the Army Medical Corps as a nurse and as she had eight years' experience in the Washington County Hospital, Vivian went directly to an army hospital upon the completion of her basic military training. (*Lavin Rousse, 637/27, VHS*)

MacKenzie, Alexander (Section D – 24) 1905 – 1989

31114938 USAAF E-2. Born 08 Oct 05 in Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 May 42. Active Duty: 13 Dec 43. Separated: 02 Sep 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 6.*) MacKenzie enlisted at Fort Devens, MA. Paperwork showed him as a semiskilled driller and construction worker. The Times Argus obituary showed his service to be with the Army Air Force.

MacLeod, Lee Howard (Section G – 142) 1911 – 1969

8254883 USN E-4. Born: 29 Jan 11 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 28 Mar 44. Separated: 17 Dec 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 8.*) According to his Times Argus obituary, Mr. MacLeod held the rank of Pharmacist Mate Third Class at the time of his discharge.

MacLeod, Leslie J. (Section N – 11) 1922 – 1992

31409847 USAAF E-1. Born: 12 Jun 22 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 12 Jan 44. Active Duty: 25 Jan 44. Separated: 02 Nov 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 8.*) The Times Argus obituary specified his enlistment in the Army Air Force cadet program.

Majors, Joseph Jon (Section G – 102) 1925 – 1993

Details not available, not found in the Adjutant General's Roster.

Marsceill, Francis E. (Section N – 53w) 28 Apr 1917 – 2 Dec 2003

31403796 USAAF O-1. Born: New Haven, VT. Resided: Hardwick, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 08 Mar 44. COM: 30 Dec 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 28.*) His marker: 2nd LT, US Army Air Forces, World War II. An article found in the 28 Aug 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com described his service. Lieutenant Marsceill trained and received his commission as a navigator in the Army Air Force. He went overseas and served with the 9th Air Force in France.

Marsh, Kenneth R. (Section G – 113) 1912 – 1981

31253212 USA E-6. Born: 03 Apr 12 at Barton, VT. Resided: Barton, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 07 Jan 43. Active Duty: 14 Jan 43. Separated: 16 Apr 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 28.*)

Martin, Curtis Clogston (Section N – 71) 7 Apr 1915 – 27 Sep 1980

11084870 USAAF E-1. Born: 07 Apr 15 at Montpelier, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Sep 42. Separated: 25 Nov 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 33.*)

Martin, James Richard (Section G – 66n) 28 Jul 1927 – Oct 1986

6679420 USN E-6. Born: 28 Jul 27 at Barre, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Jul 45. Active Duty: 12 Oct 45. Separated: 31 Jul 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 36.*)

Matheson, William A. (Section OY1 – 257) 1913 – 1965

31114455 USA E-4. Born: 10 Oct 13 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 13 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 44.*)

McAllister, Lester A. (Section Main – 15s) 17 Aug 1910 – 1953

31339790 USA E-4. Born: 17 Aug 10, East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 43. Active Duty: 09 Jun 43. Separated: 05 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater and Philippine Liberation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 55.*) In his obituary from the Burlington Free Press, 9 Nov 1953 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com, McAllister served at the Sixth Army Headquarters in the Pacific for 25 months.

McCormick, Wilmarth C. (Section G – 5) 7 Jan 1920 – 28 Oct 1990

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. Enlistment records showed he joined the Air Corps at Albany, NY on 19 Aug 41.

McCready, Ralph E. (Section Main – 85n) 1916 – 1984

31114370 USA E-5. Born: 18 Jul 16 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 05 Nov 45. Foreign Service: EAME and European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 62.*) His Times Argus obituary stated he had been stationed in Tewksbury, England as a member of Company 3025 of the 624th Base Automotive Maintenance Battalion.

McCreeedy, Walter C. (Section Main – 64s) 4 Jun 1926 – 16 Mar 2008

11086378 USAAF E-4. Born: 04 Jun 26 at Randolph, VT. Resided: Randolph, Center, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Dec 43. Active Duty: 11 Sep 44. Separated: 27 Jun 46. Foreign Service: none. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 62.*)

McDonald, Edward Aubrey (Section N – 48e) 10 Apr 1928 – 6 Feb 1981

11143295 USA E-2. Born: 10 Apr 28 at Washington, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Mar 46. Active Duty: 21 Mar 46. Separated: 13 Mar 47. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 64.*)

McKee, Henry Newell (Section G – 50) 15 Jul 1912 – 2 Jul 1967

8254654 USN E-4. Born: 15 Jul 12 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Feb 44. Separated: 19 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation, Asiatic Pacific Theater, and Philippine Liberation. Comments: Died Jul 02, 67 VA Hospital White River Jct., VT. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 73.*) The grass marker showed his service to be as an SH3. (Ship's Serviceman 3rd Class) Other records show he served aboard the carrier USS Independence, CVL-22, he joined the ship on 11 Dec 44. The record showed him as a Fireman First Class (MoM) V6. The final entry in the ship's logs showed McKee transferred for discharge on 15 Nov 45 as an SSMB 3rd Class (T) also with V6. [The Navy rate SSMB = Ship Service Man, Barber, V6 is a general service and specialist category, reserves.]

McKenzie, Isabel C., Army Nurse Corps (Section G – 121) 29 Sep 1911 – 30 Sep 2006

N751599 USA O-1. Born 29 Sep 11 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 12 Apr 43. Separated: 03 Jul 46. Comments: Ordered to Active Duty: Feb 14, 49, RET: Jul 31, 66. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 74.*) From her government stone: Major, US Army Nurse Corps, WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. McKenzie also served between 1949 and 1966. Her World War II duty stations included the 110th Station Hospital in Warrington, England, particularly active just after D-Day. Her Times Argus obituary also referenced Fort Benning, Germany, and Japan as some of her duty stations. (Korea, Vietnam veteran also.)

Three articles came to light through the Lavin Rouse Graniteville Genealogy collection held by the Vermont Historical Society in Barre. Unfortunately, the articles have not been documented for date or name of publication. They probably come from the Barre Daily Times.

The first clipping had Lieutenant Isabel C. McKenzie of Graniteville serving "somewhere in the south of England at a hospital." She graduated from Spaulding High School in 1930, then trained as a nurse in Hartford, Connecticut and worked there until 1943 then enlisted in the army. She began at Fort Ethan Allen in Colchester, then went overseas. The article featured an army portrait.

The next article features Lt. McKenzie becoming Captain McKenzie, U.S. Nursing Corps. The news came via her sister, Mrs. George Lawson. The article referred to her as a World War 2 veteran having served in the European Theater. Her career continued through duty at the Valley Forge Hospital and then at Walter Reed Hospital. Apparently, she left the service after the war, but she returned some time later in 1949. The article featured an army portrait.

The last article described Captain McKenzie's two-year tour in Japan. A hand written date on the top of the clipping shows 1957. In 1954, Captain McKenzie traveled to Japan to serve in the U.S. Army Hospital 8162 located in the city of Fukuoka on Kyushu Island. In addition to work, she had leave in Japan that allowed her to tour the country. The article had her back in the states via military airlift to California then commercial airlines to Washington, D.C. The article featured an army portrait. (*Lavin-Rousse, 634/14, VHS*)

McLaughlin, Edward W. (Section G – 222n) 29 Apr 1911 – 23 Mar 1991
6662984 USN E-6. Born: 29 Apr 11 at Danby, VT. Resided: Manchester, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 May 42. Separated: 24 Oct 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 77.*)

McLaughlin, Harold George (Section Main – 70s) 7 Mar 1909 – 1 Jun 1961
8254885 USN E-5. Born: 09 Mar 09, Stewartstown, NH. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 28 Mar 44. Separated: 10 Aug 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 77.*)
A news note in the 11 Jun 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com showed McLaughlin as a motor machinist mate second class, he had spent eight months in New Guinea.

McLaughlin, Joseph Libbey (Section Main – 61) 1913 – 1987
7230682 USN: E-5. Born: 12 Jul 13 at Canaan, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Sep 42. Separated: 10 Sep 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 77.*)

McLean, Malcolm H. (Section D – 3) 20 Sep 1899 – 15 Jan 1976
31199114 USA E-1. Born: Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 8 Oct 42. Separated: 9 Apr 43. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 78.*)
McLean enlisted in Rutland for the war plus six months. [US government grass marker "McLean" while the remainder of the markers in the family plot are spelled "MacLean."]

McLeod, Arthur N. (Section Main – 59s) 1903 – 1982 [MacLeod in AG's WW2 Roster]
3105840 USN E-6. Born: 15 Dec 03 in Barre, VT. RES: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Aug 42. Separated: 21 Sep 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 8.*) Other details came from his Times Argus obituary and another article. While on watch aboard a navy minesweeper in Casablanca, the Germans made their only raid aboard the supply depot there. McLeod heard the approaching aircraft and the falling bombs. An article listed his homeport as Oran, North Africa, but during his time in the navy, he visited other areas as well, including the orient. Neither article listed his navy rate. A navy document listed McLeod as an OM1, [Opticalman 1st Class) US Navy. The Opticalman rating came about in 1948 and did not exist during World War II. Perhaps the record reads QM1 for Quartermaster 1st Class.

McLeod, Christie Ellen (Section N – 3) (7 Aug 1909 – 26 Mar 2001)
361618 USN O-3. Resided: Barre, VT. Commissioned: 18 Feb 44. Separated: 6 May 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 78.*) Further details in her Times Argus obituary showed Dr. McLeod as a Lieutenant in the Medical Corp U.S.N.R. serving as a pathologist at the US Naval Hospital, Newport, Rhode Island during World War 2. Other Navy records show she stayed with the Navy Reserves, a list dated 1 April 1951 showed a Lieutenant Commander Christie E. McLeod, date of rank of 1 Jun 1946, born 1909, and pay entry 14 Mar 44.

McLeod, Norman M. (Section N – 10) 1909 – 1988

31115553 USAAF E-7. Born: 04 Sep 09 at Barre, VT. Resided: Corinth, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 30 Jun 42. Active Duty: 14 Jul 42. Separated: 28 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Mediterranean Theater of Operations China-India-Burma, American Theater, Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 78.*)

McPherson, Sydney G. (Section N – 32w) 1918 – 1994

31026824 USA E-5. Born: 14 Aug 18 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Jan 42. Separated: 08 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 82.*) The Times Argus obituary offered more details. His service included time in the European Theater as part of the US Army Ordnance Corps.

Mears, Clayton (Section G – 261) 15 Aug 1918 – Jun 1981

31113992 USA E-4. Born: 15 Aug 18 at Marshfield, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Mar 42. Separated: 10 Jan 46. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 84.*)

Mercier, Clarence Alfred (Section N – 79e) 1913 – 1984

8254890 USN E-3. Born 10 Apr 13 at Greensboro Bend, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 28 Mar 44. Active Duty: 28 Mar 44. Separated: Medical 26 May 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 90.*)

Miller, Osmond H. (Section OY5 – B03) 3 Feb 1910 – 28 Feb 1997

31114416 USAAF E-4. Born: 03 Feb 10 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Sep: 14 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 104.*)

Miller, Otis R. (Section New – 456n) 10 May 1917 – 1 Jun 1988

31046084 USA E-2. Born: 10 May 17 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Active Duty: 02 Jun 41. Separated: 30 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 104.*)

Milne, Edward George (Section Main – 13s) 1920 – 4 Nov 1943

11038631 USAAF O-1, second serial no. O795613. Born 16 Jun 20 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 24 Jun 42. Separated: 04 Nov 43. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: Killed in Action Nov 03, 43 Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 107.*) From the gravestone: Killed in China-Burma-India Theater on Nov 4, 1943. Member of 88th Fighter Squadron and 10th US Army Air Corps emblem.

His Barre Daily Times obituary listed his training sites including Maxwell Field, Alabama; Decatur, Alabama; Blythesville, Arkansas; and Selma, Alabama. He received his wings and a commission as a 2nd Lieutenant on 14 Jan 1943. Editor's NOTE: The 88th Fighter Squadron flew in the China – Burma – India theater of World War II under the 80th Fighter Group. The squadron adopted the nickname "Burma Banshees," their patch featured a circular border of alternating black and white segments, a quatrefoil with four blades and lightning bolts on the blades. The 2017 configuration of the 80th Fighter Group identifies it as the 80th Flying Training Wing, Shepard AFB, Texas.

The 15 Nov 1943 edition of the Barre Daily Times reported some 300 people attended a memorial service for Milne. On the other hand, the 8 May 1948 paper ran the story that Milne

had just returned to the states from a US cemetery in India. The article went on to report Milne had flown nine escort missions in his P-40 fighter protecting American bombers from Japanese fighters. Milne died while flying his tenth mission, he had been flying from the American base at Assam in India. Initially, Milne was buried near Chuba, India but later moved to a US military cemetery in Kalaikunda, near Calcutta, India. His body has been shipped back to the states to San Francisco and he is expected to arrive at the Schenectady quartermaster depot soon.

Funeral services took place on 16 June 1948 with burial in Wilson Cemetery. The article published in the Barre Daily Times on 17 June described the services and the large military presence in the church and the cemetery. Past and present military men met the body at the train depot on 15 June and remained with him until burial. In addition to the veterans, a delegation attended from the American Legion and another from the Vermont National Guard.

Murray, Angus A. (Section A – 1bw) 10 Dec 1915 – 20 Aug 1990

31155886, USAAF E-5. Born 10 Dec 15, Barre, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 24 Aug 42. Active Duty: 4 Sep 42. Separated: 09 Mar 46. Foreign Service: ATC and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 154.*) He enlisted in Rutland for the duration of the war plus six months. Murray had four years of college and is listed as a semi-skilled warehouse worker. In his Times Argus obituary, a paragraph showed he served in the Army Air Corps in the China India Burma Theater as a radio operator and mechanic.

A separate article and accompanying photograph from an unknown local publication, circa 1983, Staff Sergeant Angus A. Murray received the Sino-Japanese War Memorial Medal presented by the Nationalist Chinese government. He served aboard a C-46 cargo plane ferrying cargo and troops through the Himalaya Mountains and “over the hump.” The route connected Kunming, China to Chabua, a six-hour flight, a trip he made once or twice a week. The route held many dangers to flight, apparently his aircraft crashed during a mission, the crew escaped. Murray talked about the extreme cold of the mountains flying in an uninsulated aircraft wearing old style cold weather clothing. Other dangers Murray talked about included flak from Japanese gunners and pursuit by enemy fighter planes. The medal came to light when Graham K. Kidd, a member of the 14th Air Force headquarters in Kunming during the war, uncovered a long lost copy of Circular No. 166 after a 29-year search. The circular contained the names of 4,500 service members eligible for the award. The China-India-Burma Pilots Association in Poplar Bluff, Montana provided the medals. (*Lavin Rousse, 636/14, VHS*)

Murray, Christine A. (Section Main – 34s) 12 Jul 1909 – 24 Jun 2002

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. According to her obituary, as published in the Times Argus, she graduated Williamstown High School in 1927 and served in the Women's Army Corps during World War II.

Murray, Donald Wesley (Section Main – 71) 1921 – 1989

31402933 USA E-2. Born 5 Aug 21, Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Oct 43. Active Duty: 11 Nov 43. Separated: Medical 13 Aug 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. Comments: Wounded, European Theater of Operation, Dec 02, 44, Germany. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 154.*) The Times Argus obituary had the same information.

Nay, Donald E., LTJG, US Navy (Section F – 16) 5 Jan 1908 – 18 Jan 1979

2012930 Nay retired from the US Navy in April of 1947. He joined the navy in March of 1927 as a machinist. Other records show him serving aboard the USS Oriole (AM7 and ATI 36,

a mine sweeper) and as a plank holder for the ship's re-commissioning on 15 August 1938. A July 1942 roster showed the ship in Alaska. Nay retired as a Lieutenant, Junior Grade.

Noble, Orbert (Section G – 84) 1917 – 1997

8254090 USN E-4. Born 12 Mar 17 at Concord, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Oct 43. Active Duty: 26 Oct 43. Separated: Medical 09 Mar 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 176.*)

Norris, Wesley A. (Section N – M2) 28 Jul 1920 – 8 Feb 2002

31155978 USA E-4. Born: 28 Jul 20 at E. Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Sep 42. Active Duty: 03 Sep 42. Separated: 16 Oct 45. Foreign Service: EAME European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 179.*) His Times Argus obituary referenced his service in the 56th-467th Army Engineer Corp from 1942 to 1945 in the European Theater.

Osborne, Ralph C. (Section OY2 – 310) 1919 – 1945

31378024 USAAF O-1. Born: 07 Aug 19 at East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Jul 43. Active Duty: 04 Jul 43. Separated: 30 Aug 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: Killed in Action Aug 30, 45 at Luzon, Philippine Islands. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 200.*) US Army Air Force, 411th Bomber Squadron, 502nd Bomber Group, Very Heavy, died 30 Aug 1945. Listed as missing in action at the Manila American Cemetery, Fort Bonifacio, and Manila, Philippines. On the other hand, a National Archives entry at the World War II Memorial website showed he died of non-battle injuries. An article in the Burlington Free Press, 24 Oct 1945 edition as found on the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com, stated Osborne had been lost during a flight from Manila to Guam with a cargo of prisoner of war supplies. Several searches failed to find the downed aircraft.

The 24 April 1946 edition of the Barre Daily Times carried the story of his memorial service. Osborne went missing in August of 1945 and the government notified his wife in February 1946 that he had been killed. They told his widow he had been on a scheduled flight from Manila to Guam when the aircraft was trapped in a typhoon. Osborne had been assigned overseas since 6 July 1945 and had been stationed at Guam. He had completed half of his missions before being listed as missing. Many of his missions involved dropping food and medical supplies over prisoner of war camps in China and Japan during the war and continuing after the end of hostilities. His last mission would have brought more parachutes from Manila large enough to drop supplies to the camps still on the continent. Reported missing, four days of searches commenced but the only things found were two empty life rafts but no way to tell if they belonged to Osborne's crew or not. Osborne flew B-24 aircraft in the western states after earning his wings in September of 1944. He later joined a B-29 unit and flew to Puerto Rico before being transferred overseas.

Osgood, Glen (Section N – 79w) 6 Dec 1913 – 16 Jan 1992

O325830 USA O-2. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 May 35. Separated: 21 Oct 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 200.*)

Owen, Charles E., II (Section New – 77b) 23 Dec 1917 – 2 May 1993

31046228 USA E-5. Born: 23 Dec 17 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 15 Jul 41. Separated: 29 Dec 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 203.*)

Papadinis, Thomas (Section N – 42e) 9 Aug 1918 – 24 Aug 2008

Details not available, not found in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. In his obituary, published in the Times Argus, he served during World War II and participated in the D-Day operations at Omaha Beach. He remained with the Army Reserve until 1968.

Partridge, Howard Earle (Section N – 43w) 30 Jun 1927 - 1970

8260323 USN E-3. Born: 30 Jun 27 at Marshfield, VT. Resided: Plainfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 11 Sep 45. Separated: 21 Jul 46. Foreign Service: None. Comments: Re-enlisted on 22 Jul 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 225.*)

Partridge, James Alan (Section N – 48w) 2 Oct 1915 – 8 Feb 2014

11038584 USAAF O-5. 2nd Ser No. O-33494A. Born: 02 Oct 15 at Washington, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Commissioned: 02 Jan 43. Separated: Ret 31 May 65. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 225.*) According to the Times Argus obituary, Colonel Partridge began his career flying as a B-25 navigator during World War II with the 12th Air Force and also the 15th Air Force. He flew secret missions in Italy to drop supplies and personnel behind the lines. Partridge earned the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with 11 oak clusters. He also served in Germany after the war as a member of the occupation force. His World War II enlistment took place on 22 Jan 1942 at Rutland, VT in the Army Air Corps as an aviation cadet for the duration of the war plus six months. He had four years of high school, is listed as a semi-skilled routeman, stood 72 inches and weighed 166 pounds.

In another article, this one from the Burlington Free Press dated 20 Sep 1944 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com announced Partridge's Distinguished Flying Cross. The article referred to him as assistant navigator commander of the 885th Bomber Squadron and stated he had spent the previous winter near Foggia, Italy.

A third article, also from ancestry.com and dated 7 Aug 1945, had a few more details of his service. Captain Partridge, a navigator rated for both B-17 and B-24 bombers, had the assignment of ferrying secret agents and their gear into France and Italy. He recalled flying the missions entirely in the dark with no lights for guidance. The flights took the aircraft through the Italian Alps and pockets of German flak batteries. The article listed his awards, including the air medal with eleven oak leaf clusters and the European Theater ribbon with six battle stars.

Patno, William G. (Section G – 222s) 1919 – 1987

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. Perhaps entry shown as *Patnode, William Grant*, 11038461 USAAF E-5. Born: 15 Sep 19 at Highgate Springs, VT. Resided at: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 13 Jan 42. Active Duty: 13 Jan 42. Separated: 09 Sep 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 228.*) These dates showed on his death certificate along with dates 5 Sep 1950 – 31 May 1952. The Adjutant General's Roster for Korea show Patno, William Grant, SFC Army 11 038 461 of Barre. The Times Argus obituary confirmed the date of birth shown in the Patnode entry. He did serve in the Army Air Force during World War II and as a member of the Army National Guard during the Korean Conflict. From the Adjutant General's Roster for Korea: Patno, William Grant, SFC Army, 11 038 461, Barre. (serial number the same as WW2)

Payne, Clarence S. (Section Main – 37n) 2 Feb 1926 – 20 Oct 1983

804 194 USMC E-3. Born Feb 2, 26, Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Mar 20, 44. Active Duty: Mar 20, 44. Separated: July 20, 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 22.*)

Peake, Guy Abbott (Section Main – 54s) 1919 – 1995

11065113 USAAF O-2. 2nd Ser. No. O805971. Born: May 13, 19 at Orange, VT. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: May 5, 42. Commissioned: Jun 30, 43. Separated: Sep 30, 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 24.*)

Pelkey, Carl Louis (Section G – 78s) 3 Dec 1916 – 3 Feb 2000

31020493 USA E-5. Born: Dec 3, 16 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Websterville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Apr 14, 41. Separated: Nov 16, 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 35.*) The World War II Memorial website showed he served with the 3rd Army in the ordnance corps.

Perantoni, Olvero (Section Main – 65n) 6 Jun 1912 – 1 Aug 1993

31459322 USA E-3. Born: Jun 6, 12 Italy. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Mar 29, 44. Separated: Feb 5, 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 47.*) Also Korean War Veteran

Perry, John Madison (Section G – 112) 14 Jul 1920 – 21 Nov 1999

O1704 USA O-1. 2nd Ser. No. 11086109 USA E-1. 3rd Ser. No. 469 263 USN O-2. Born: Jul 14, 20 at Marshfield, VT. Resided: Plainfield, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Jun 15, 42. Commissioned: Sep 14, 44. Separated: Sep 13, 46. Comments: Discharge. As an officer: May 31, 43. REENL: Reserve Corps, Jun 5, 43. Active Duty: Jun 16, 43. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 61.*)

Pickering, John O. (Section G – 132) 1919 – 1998

31114437 USA E-3. Born: Mar 8, 19 at Barre, VT. Resided: E. Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Apr 17, 42. Separated: Dec 3, 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. Comments: Wounded, European Theater of Operation Mar 16, 45. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 84.*)

Pickett, Raymond L. (Section G – 192) 30 May 1921 – 8 Oct 1972

31468453 USA E-2. Born: May 30, 21 at Woodbury, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: Mar 29, 44. Separated: Mar 1, 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. Comments: Wounded, European Theater of Operation, Dec 8, 44. Died: Oct 8, 72 at Berlin, VT. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 84.*)

Pirie, Elliot J. (Section G – 30s) 1923 – 1993

31277878 USA E-2. Born: 08 Sep 23 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Jan 43. Active Duty: 12 Jan 43. Separated: 04 Dec 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 239.*) From his Times-Argus obituary: Pirie served in the European Theater and participated in the Battle of the Bulge.

Pirie, John (Section Main – 50) 1905 – 7 Dec 1976

31155779 USA E-5. Born 01 May 05 in Scotland. Resided: Williamstown, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 20 Aug 42. Active Duty: 03 Separated: 42. Separated: 07 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and EAME. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 239.*) In his Times Argus obituary, details showed Pirie served with Battery C, 673rd Field Artillery Battalion and had battle stars for Normandy, Northern France, the Rhineland, and Central Europe.

Pixley, Wendell I (Section Main – 63n) 27 Aug 1925 – 29 May 2010

31483332 USA E-4. Born: 27 Aug 25 at Hanover, NH. Resided Newbury, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Sep 45. Active Duty: 17 Sep 45. Separated: 01 Feb 47. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 241.*) His obituary, as published in the Times Argus, further clarified his duty station during the war as Korea.

Poirier, Arthur G. (Section A – 3be) 1901 – 1991

31200000 USAAF E-2. Born 06 Feb 01 at New Bedford, Mass. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Nov 42. Active Duty: 23 Nov 42. Separated: 05 Jun 45. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 246.*) [World War 2 on death certificate.] His daughter made an entry on the World War II Memorial website stating Poirier served at Camp Blanding and worked with German POWs there. He received the American Theater Medal and the World War II Victory Medal. (see entry for Grace Schwartz, below.)

Poirier, Reginald P. (Section G – 45) 21 Jul 1922 – 19 Jan 2009

31483622 USA E-1. Born: 21 Jul 22 at Randolph, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 12 Dec 45. Active Duty: 12 Dec 45. Separated: 18 Jul 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 247.*)

Pruneau, Ernest Russell (Section N – 80e) 4 Jun 1913 – 16 Jan 2001

8251036 USN E-5. Born: 04 Jun 13 at Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Sep 43. Active Duty: 30 Sep 43. Separated: 25 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater, Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 276.*) Pruneau's obituary, as published in the Times Argus, further described Pruneau's service as his belonging to a Navy construction battalion, the Seabees. He deployed to North Africa, Italy, Southern France, Hawaii, Philippine islands, Japan and the State of Washington. One Navy record dated 25 Sep 1945 showed him as an SF2c (CB) [Shipfitter, construction battalion] aboard the LST 1053 for temporary duty from the 302nd NCB. The ship sailed from Sasebo, Japan.

Pryor, Frank Elwyn (Section G – 251) 13 Apr 1907 – 13 Jul 1990

31460146 USA E-3. Born: 13 Apr 07 at Montpelier, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 30 Mar 44. Separated: 08 Sep 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 276.*)

Pryor, John R. (Section G – 223n) 5 May 1917 – 13 Mar 1989

31155983 USA E-2. Born: 05 May 17 at Berlin, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Sep 42. Active Duty: 17 Sep 42. Separated: 05 Nov 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 276.*) His enlistment record showed he signed up with a medical department.

Pyle, Josephine I. (Section N – 3e) 1912 – 8 Jun 2002

According to her obituary, Josephine served in the WAVES during World War II. As a medical officer, she served in St. Albans, NY, Newport, RI, and at the Naval Medical School in Bethesda, MD. A Navy list of Commissioned and Warrant Officers dated 1 April 1951 showed Josephine as a Lt (JG) with a date of rank of 1 Feb 1948 and a pay entry date of 18 Apr 1944. As a friend of Dr. Christie McLeod, (above) they apparently met while serving in the Navy together, Josephine is buried in the Lowell McLeod lot along with Christie.

Reed, Floyd Earl (Section N – 38c) 26 Nov 1913 – 6 Dec 1982

20133954 USA E-5. Born 26 Nov 13 at Wallingford, VT. Resided: Wallingford, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 15 Feb 41. Active Duty: 24 Feb 41. Separated: 27 May 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 298.*) Reed's obituary appeared in the Times Argus on 6 December and stated he served with the 135th Medical Detachment in the Pacific Theater. He participated in campaigns in the East Indies, Papua, Luzon, and New Guinea. Reed held the Philippine Liberation ribbon with one star and the Asiatic Pacific campaign ribbon with four stars.

Renfrew, Alexander E. (Section N – 27e) 22 Dec 1919 – 7 Oct 1987

31115409 USA E-5. Born: 22 Dec 19 at Barre, VT. Resided: Calais, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Jun 42. Active Duty: 11 Jul 42. Separated: 28 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 305.*)

Riddel, Robert C. (Section G – 4) 1916 – 1955

6662972 USN E-6. Born: 01 Jan 16 at Barre Town, Vt. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 42. Separated: 06 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 319.*) His Barre Daily Times obituary had further details of his service. He spent his service time stationed at Ford Island at Pearl Harbor as a navy aviation ordnanceman.

Riddell, James Grant M. (Section D – 4) 25 Dec 1913 – 9 Sep 1979

31020455 USA E-2. Born: 25 Dec 13 at South Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 14 Apr 41. Separated: 14 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 319.*)

Robinson, Reginald E. (Section G – 119) 1916 – 1997

31339399 USA E-5. Born: 10 Sep 16 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Apr 43. Active Duty: 29 Apr 43. Separated: 26 Jan 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 336.*) An article in the 22 Jan 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com further outlined his service. Robinson served with the 235th Engineer Combat Battalion, his unit being the first to bridge the Serchio River in Italy. As part of the 1108th Engineer Combat Group, the 235th arrived in Naples in October of 1943. They opened the way for the allies to move through Italy, the unit and a sister battalion received a distinguished unit citation for their performance during the battle for Cassino.

Rogers, Francis S. (Section G – 152) 15 May 1925 – 26 Sep 2010

31339795 USA E-5. Born: 15 Mar 25 at Cambridge, Mass. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 43. Active Duty: 09 Jun 43. Separated: 01 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 342.*) The obituary, as seen in the Times Argus further stated his wartime service taking place in the Philippines.

Rubalcaba, Marcelino (Section G – 21) 12 Jun 1925 – 7 Feb 2008

31381813 USA E-5. Born: 12 Jun 25 at East Barre, VT. Resided at: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 01 Sep 43. Active Duty: 22 Sep 43. Separated: 25 Sep 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 36.1*) Rubalcaba's obituary, from the Times Argus, further defined his service as a member of the 140th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion in the southern Philippines.

Rutledge, Alfred A. (Section Main – 30n) 27 Feb 1922 – 12 Dec 1990

11016275 USA E-1. Born: 27 Feb 22 at Danville, VT. Resided: Concord, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 07 Mar 41. Separated: 17 Jun 46. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and EAME. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 367.*)

Saldi, Lambert (Bert Lambert in roster) (Section East – B14e) 4 Apr 1918 – 13 Mar 1991

8257252 USN E-5. Born 04 April 18 in Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 May 44. Separated: 26 Feb 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 374.*) The Saldi grass marker showed his Navy rate as SC2 [Ships Cook 2nd Class.] He served aboard the USS Iolanda, AKS-14, a General Stores Issue Ship. He is a plank owner, being assigned during the ship's commissioning on 14 June 1945.

Sanderson, George Robert (Section Main – 24s) 5 Jan 1925 – Feb 1959

8249732 USN E-5. Born 05 Jan 25, Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Active Duty: 01 Apr 43. Separated: 01 Jul 46. Foreign Service: None. Comments: Died Feb 28, 50; state of Washington. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 378.*)

The Sanderson grave at Wilson is actually a cenotaph, a memorial to Captain Sanderson but his body actually lies at the Arlington National Cemetery, at Section 46, grave 569. The Record of Interment identifies the dates of his service as between 25 Mar 1943 through 28 Feb 1959, the date of his death. At the time he died, he served with the 4th Weather Squadron, Det #4, McCord Air Force Base, Tacoma, Washington. Perhaps he used his World War 2 G.I. Bill to get his education in meteorology.

A story appears on the Arlington National Cemetery website written by Jack Sharp. Sharp, also a member of the Air Force, accompanied Captain Sanderson's body to Arlington. He describes his observations of Sanderson and his overall poor health that probably led to his taking his own life. Sharp traveled in uniform with the traditional black armband. He described the journey and talked about an older Marine veteran he encountered. The story wrapped up with Sharp's encounter with the Sanderson family and the funeral.

Santamaria, Luis (Section G – 6) 8 Jun 1915 – 30 Oct 2010

Details not available, not found in the Adjutant General's Roster for World War II. His obituary, from the Times Argus, stated he served as an aerial gunner and mechanic working on B-17 bombers in the European Theater. He also received the Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater ribbon with four battle stars. His other awards included the Air Medal and 3 oak leaves as well as the Distinguished Flying Cross. Baseball great Joe DiMaggio served in the same squadron. By the end of the war, Santamaria had been promoted to Technical Sergeant.

Savard, Armand Joseph (Section N – 59w) 2 Jan 1907 – 5 Nov 1989

31115834 USA E-3. Born 02 Jan 07 in Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Jul 42. Separated: 13 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 384.*) The grave marker stated Corporal Savard served in the US Army Air Corps. An article appeared in the 7 Aug 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com describing Savard receiving the bronze star. The article gave his unit as the 4th Tactical Air Communications Squadron located within the European Theater. The citation spanned from 10 July 1944 to 1 March 1945. Savard served as a VHF operator in an advanced party of a combat command. His efforts became instrumental in the 5th Armored Division making an unusually rapid advance from Avaranches, across France, and into Germany.

Savard, Henry J. (Section N – 59w) 16 Dec 1909 – 18 Dec 1966

31114436 USAAF E-2. Born: 16 Dec 09 in Canada. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 21 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Iceland. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 384.*) The grave marker stated PFC Savard served in the 999th Base Unit of the Army Air Force.

Schwartz, Cora Grace (Section A – 3be) 21 Apr 1910 – 21 Dec 1971

No details could be found about her service, but her State of Vermont death certificate does identify her as a World War 2 veteran as does her Times Argus obituary from the 22 Dec 1971 edition. Some details of a woman's service can be difficult to find due to name changes, and Schwartz came from Indiana and enlisted in the Woman's Army Corps in Los Angeles. A marriage certificate showed Grace born in Indiana to Samuel and Bonnie Wren Keenan, and her name as the bride as Grace Cora Schwartz as spelled on the card. She and Arthur G. Poirier married in Barre in 1946. He is listed as a World War 2 veteran, see his entry above.

Scrizzi, Alfred P. (Section G – 126s) 25 Sep 1918 – 6 Jul 1990

31403520 USAAF E-3. Born: Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Dec 43. Separated: Medical: 24 Aug 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 395.*)

Seager, Edward John (Section N – 77) 1918 – 1985

6663709 USN E-6. Born: 21 Aug 18 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Jul 42. Active Duty: 18 Jul 42. Separated: 14 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 395.*) His Times Argus obituary showed he served with the 6th Marine Division as a US Navy pharmacist's mate, the division operated in the South Pacific.

Shepard, John Bixby (Section OY3 – 2.03) 1900 – 1981

O169298 USA O-3. Resided: Graniteville, VT. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 415.*) An article in the Times Argus from 27 Aug 1981 stated Shepard served during World War II and from 1949 to 1955 he served as the senior military government officer of Iwate and Miyagi Prefectures in Japan responsible for civil affairs. The regions had a combined population of about 2.5 million in an area about the size of Massachusetts.

Smith, Edna M. (Section N – 18e) 1909 – 1976

288144 USN O-2. Born: 03 Dec 09 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 22 Jun 43. Commissioned: 10 May 43. Separated: 19 Feb 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 440.*) Army nurse on death certificate. Her Times Argus obituary included her time in the South Pacific on the island of Tinian.

Smith, Harold J. (Section Main – 28) 3 May 1909 – 24 Apr 1993

8250579 USN E-6. Born 03 May 09 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Barre, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 May 43. Active Duty: 03 Jun 43. Separated: Medical 24 Oct 44. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 442.*)

Smith, Leland Eugene (Section OY1 – 270) 1928 – 1950

2128958 USN E-4. Born: 21 Aug 28 at E. Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 25 Sep 45. Active Duty: 25 Sep 45. Separated: 19 Aug 49. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater and China. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 442.*) Smith served as a TEM3. [Teleman 3rd Class, mailman] [One of five crewman killed in a collision aboard the USS Charles H. Roan on November 8, 1950 during training maneuvers.] From a casualty list:

Electrician's Mate Third Class Smith was a crew member of the destroyer USS ROAN (DD-853). He was killed when his ship collided with the destroyer USS BROWNSON (DD-868) during night exercises at sea about 400 miles off North Carolina on November 8, 1950. Electrician's Mate Third Class Smith was awarded the National Defense Service Medal.

From an article that appeared in the Burlington Free Press, 9 Nov 1950 edition as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com: During maneuvers, two destroyers, the C.H. Roan and the Brownson, collided in the dark off the coast of North Carolina. The Brownson's bow struck the Roan at the starboard quarter, the bow being folded back and the side of the Roan crushed. The bow entered the engine room and a berthing area of the Roan. Smith served on board the Roan as a member of the naval reserve, apparently on his annual active duty for training orders. He had married a month before the accident and the photo in the article appears to be a cropped version of the wedding photo printed in an earlier edition of the Burlington Free Press.

Sole, Wilfred F. (Section G – 44) 28 Aug 1913 – 5 Oct 1989

31113974 USA E-2. Born: 26 Aug 13 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 31 Mar 42. Separated: 07 Jan 46. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 454.*) Draft records showed he had three years of high school and his civil equivalent occupation would be as a musician or music teacher.

Spencer, Herman Merrill (Section G – 70) 16 May 1925 – 18 Feb 1986

8237367 USN E-3. Born: May 16, 25 at S. Barre, VT. Resided: S. Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: May 25, 44. Active Duty: May 26, 44. Separated: Feb 15, 46. Foreign Service: Atlantic Theater of Operation, Asiatic Pacific Theater, and Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 roster, Additions and Changes, page 88.*) Spencer's obituary showed he served in the US Navy aboard a destroyer escort. (*Lavin-Rousse, 634/14, VHS*)

St. John, Wallace E. (Section OY5 – 190) 26 Dec 1926 – 22 Apr 1986

31481770 USA E-1. Born: 29 Dec 26 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 28 Feb 45. Separated: Medical 10 Aug 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 471.*)

Stevens, Claude Monroe (Section OY2 – 323b) 22 Jan 1905 – 13 Jan 1982

20152282 USA O-3. Born: 22 Jan 05 at Greensboro, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 01 Oct 39. Active Duty: 24 Feb 41. Commissioned: 13 Aug 42. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 484.*) [Lieutenant Colonel on marker] The entry on the World War II website referenced his retirement from the Vermont Army National Guard. An article from the Burlington Free Press, dated 13 Nov 1945 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com, outlined some of his World War 2 service. He left the Vermont National Guard for OCS and received a commission. He spent two years in and around France as a member of an engineer regiment and earned the rank of captain prior to returning to the US.

Storey, Henry C. (Section G – 154) 22 Jan 1921 – 16 Oct 1980

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II (could possibly be Story, Henry C., 31200511 USA E-1. Born: Newport, VT. Resided: Sharon, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Nov 42. Separated: Medical 29 Jul 43.) (*World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, pg 496*)

Suitor, William R. (Section E – 119) 25 Nov 1911 – 14 Jun 1977

31340150, US Army, E-6. Born: 25 Nov 11, Barre, Vt. Resided: Barre, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Jun 43. Active Duty: 08 Jul 43. Separated: 24 Nov 45. Foreign Service:

European Theater of Operations. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 502.*) A Burlington Free Press article published 18 Jul 1945 as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com featured T-Sgt William R. Sutor received a certificate of merit for his participation in the crossing of the Rhine River, March 20 – 27, 1945. He served with the 172nd Engineer Combat Battalion, Headquarters and Service Company.

Tacy, Eldrick Charles (Section OY1 – 292) 1910 – 1999

8251038 USN E-6. Born: 26 Jul 10 at Barre, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Sep 43. Active Duty: 29 Sep 43. Separated: 04 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 515.*) One navy record showed Tacy as a Machinist Mate 1st Class aboard the USS Golden City, AP-169 on 17 Jun 1944.

Thompson, Robert Wayne: (Section Main – 30s) 26 Mar 1926 – 8 Apr 1992

533510 USMC E-1. Born 26 Mar 26 at Barre, Vt. Resided: Barre, Vt. Enlisted for Active Duty: 09 Mar 44. Separated: 25 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. Comments: Wounded Feb 19 45 Iwo Jima. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 540.*) His Ohio death certificate listed his occupation as the military. An article from the 29 Mar 1945 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com gave a few details. Private Thompson's wife received a telegram notifying her of the wounding of her husband on Iwo Jima and his hospitalization. Thompson sent her a letter to her and stated he had suffered a leg wound.

Thurston, George K (Section Main – 23) 10 Aug 1917 – 4 Jan 2007

31020455 USA E-2. Born: 10 Aug 18 at Bradford, VT. Resided: Newbury, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 05 Apr 41. Separated: 26 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater and Philippine Liberation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 543.*)

Tisei, Anthony (Section Main – 19) 1922 – 2007

A Massachusetts resident during his early life, Anthony lived in Massachusetts, probably his military record still resides there. His obituary as found on the Boston.com website, during the Second World War, Tisei served in the US Navy and the 113th Seabee battalion in the South Pacific. He and his unit built airfields for the Army Air Force.

Tremblay, Andre V. (Section B – 9) 6 Jul 1916 – 3 Oct 2011

31115843 USA E-5. Born: 06 Jul 16 in Canada. Resided in Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 10 Jul 42. Active Duty: 23 Jul 42. Separated: 28 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Yes. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 557.*) His obituary, from the Times Argus, his foreign service took place in St. Lucia and Trinidad. Enlisted at Rutland, a stone worker.

Tucker, Cecil W. (Section OY2 – 318c) 15 Apr 1921 – Sep 9, 2019

31156009 USAAF E-3. Born: 15 Apr 21 in Barre, VT. Resided in Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 03 Sep 42. Active Duty: 17 Sep 42. Separated: 19 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Canada, Alaska. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 564.*) His obituary, from the Times Argus, stated Tucker served as an airplane mechanic in several bases around the US and for two years in Alaska. He had attained the rank of corporal at the time of his discharge.

Violette, Ora (Section Main – 21n) 25 Sep 1914 – 21 Jul 1983

31114481 USA E-5. Born: 25 Sep 14, Websterville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Active Duty: 17 Apr 42. Separated: 19 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 588.*)

Vivian, Alvin Joseph (Section G – 88) 1918 – 1981

31066429 USA E-4. Born: 17 Aug 18 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 18 Feb 42. Active Duty: 18 Feb 42. Separated: 18 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and EAME. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 589.*) The logo on the Vivian headstone indicates he served with the 4th Armor Division, a unit heavily involved in the battle for Bastogne during the Battle of the Bulge. More details came from his Times Argus obituary, he served under General George Patton from Normandy to Czechoslovakia.

Walters, Andrew M., Jr. (Section N – 75) 22 Jun 1924 – 30 Dec 1967

31402940 USA E-2. Born: 22 Jun 24 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 21 Oct 43. Active Duty: 11 Nov 43. Separated: 03 May 46. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. Comments: Died Dec 30, 67 at Barre, VT. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 600.*)

Wark, Allen Forest (Section G – 236a) 1921 – 1986

8258502 USN E-4. Born: 05 May 21 in Canada. Resided: Newport, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Jun 44. Separated: 09 Mar 46. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 602.*)

Wark, Franklin Warner (Section G – 237) 2 Aug 1916 – 14 Jun 1987

31020290 USA E-2. Born: 02 Aug 16 in Canada. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 19 Mar 41. Active Duty: 19 Mar 41. Separated: 23 Sep 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 602.*)

Weeks, Norman Richard (Section OY2 – 335) 13 Nov 1919 – 31 Mar 1945

11015786 USAAF E-5. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 04 Feb 41. Comments: Killed in Action Mar 31, 45 at Tinian. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 614.*) Although difficult to read, Week's gravestone probably reads he served with the 483rd Army Air Force Bomb Squadron. Other information shows 483rd Bomb Squadron, A/S A. C., 505th Bomb Group. WW2 memorial, died of non battle injuries. [The squadron would have been stationed on Tinian at the time of Weeks' death] (*findagrave.com*)

From the 5 June 1948 Barre Daily Times, "War Dead Arrives Monday"

The body of S/Sgt Norman R. Weeks is expected to arrive Monday evening for a military funeral service and interment in the Wilson Cemetery. The local hero gave his life on March 31, 1945 while serving at Tinian as a Superfortress gunner. He enlisted in the army air corps while employed by the A. B. Lane Construction Company. Full military honors will be rendered at the funeral services on Tuesday afternoon at the family lot in Wilson Cemetery. Week's body will be accompanied by a military escort and met at the railroad station by an honor guard from the local American Legion post.

From the 9 June 1948 Barre Daily Times, "Services for Hero"

Funeral services for S/Sgt Norman R. Weeks, killed in action over Tinian, took place yesterday. He received full military honors including a firing squad and his military escort presented the folded flag to his widow. The American Legion gave their service on Monday evening and guards stationed at his casket during that service as well as at the church. Burial took place in Wilson Cemetery.

Wells, Vollin B. (Section N – 30e) 1910 - 1996

12049443 USA E-5. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 26 Jan 42. Separated: 07 Dec 43. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 619.*) On his government stone, his rank has been listed as Captain, another enlistment shown as 5 Dec 1943 – 25 Oct 1947.

Wendling, Fred (Section E – 141) 6 Oct 1924 – 21 Mar 2003

According to Fred's obituary as published in the Quad City Times of Iowa, he served in both World War II and Korea. The army death index listed part of his service as between 21 Oct 50 and 20 Oct 53.

Whitcomb, Harold Albert (Section Main – 20s) 15 May 1913 – 31 Aug 1974

0353695 USA 0-1. Born: 15 May 13, East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Active Duty: 28 Aug 41. Commissioned: Jun 37. Sep: Jan 42. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 632.*)

Whitcomb, Robert James (Section Main – 20s) 5 Dec 1921 – 4 Mar 2005

31115431 USA E-5. Born: 05 Dec 21 at East Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Jun 42. Active Duty: 11 Jun 42. Separated: 11 Dec 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 632.*) Further information from his obituary as published in the Times Argus showed his service locations to include Algeria, Tunisia, Morocco, and Italy.

Wilfore, Nelson R. (Section A – 2be) 23 Apr 1906 – May 1977

31456624 USA E-2. Born 23 Apr 06 at Williamstown, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 20 Mar 44. Active Duty: 20 Mar 44. Separated: 29 Sep 45. Foreign Service: None. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 646.*) On his enlistment record, Wilfore had two years of high school and worked as a meat cutter.

Willard, Roy W. (Section N – 47) 23 Jan 1927 – 9 Aug 2001

Details unavailable, not found in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II. His obituary from the Times Argus referenced his service in the Vermont State Guard during World War II as did his death certificate.

Williamson, Lyle R. (Section E – 137) 27 Nov 1912 – 3 May 1977

31403525 USA E-5. Born 27 Nov 13, Graniteville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Dec 43, Active Duty: 12 Jan 44. Separated: 10 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 658.*) Enlisted at Rutland for duration plus six months, shown as a semiskilled driver. His Burlington Free Press obituary published on 5 May 1977 as found on the newspapers.com section of ancestry.com further clarified his service. He served with the 112th Cavalry in the South Philippines and in Luzon. Williamson held the combat infantryman's badge and the Bronze Star.

Williamson, Roger W. (Section G – 146) 19 Jan 1913 – 22 Sep 1972

31115455 USA E-5. Born: 19 Jan 13 at Middlebury, VT. Resided: Montpelier, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 29 Jun 42. Active Duty: 13 Jul 42. Separated: 21 Nov 45. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 658.*)

Wilson, George (Section G – 145) 30 Dec 1914 – Jun 1972

31403513 USAAF E-5. Born: 26 Dec 14 at Barre, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Dec 43. Active Duty: 13 Jan 44. Separated: 12 Nov 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 660.*) His Burlington

Free Press obituary published 19 Jun 1972 and found in the newspaper.com section of ancestry.com showed he began his service in the airborne forces and later served with the transportation corps and the Red Ball Express.

Wood, James A., II (Section G – 194) 7 Apr 1921 – 3 Feb 1983

31115405 USA E-2. Born: 07 Apr 21 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Barre, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 27 Jun 43. Active Duty: 11 Jul 42. Separated: 29 Oct 45. Foreign Service: European Theater of Operation and EAME. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 670.*) An undated article, probably from the Barre Daily Times, told the story of James and his brother Raymond, below, meeting “at the front” and having three days to spend together. The reunion took place after a 20 month period since the brothers had seen each other. The article outlined James’s service with the field artillery. He trained at Fort Bragg and spent time at Fort Meade before traveling overseas. Service in Italy brought him to battles at Cassino, Anzio, and Rome; then, he transferred into France. Although key to the undated article, his being overseas since January of 1944 does not help date the newspaper. (Lavin Rousse, 637/12, VHS) His son, James A. Wood, III, made an entry on the World War II Memorial website that gave his units as the 844th and 746th Light Artilleries.

Wood, Raymond John (Section OY2 – 331) 4 Apr 1925 – 27 Jul 1970

31340164 USA E-4. Born: 04 Apr 25 at Graniteville, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 23 Jun 43. Active Duty: 08 Jul 43. Separated: Medical 09 Oct 45. Foreign Service: Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. Comments: Wounded, Apr 09, 45 Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 671.*) Younger brother of James A. Wood, above, the same undated newspaper article above also outlined Raymond’s service. An infantry soldier, Raymond trained at Fort Knox and Camp Campbell in Kentucky and departed for overseas “last October.” He served in France since his arrival in Europe. The article gives his age as 19, the youngest man in his unit, recently promoted, and becoming a tank crew commander. In his obituary, probably from the Barre Montpelier Times Argus, the article recalled his service in Italy and Germany, he received the Purple Heart. (Lavin Rousse, 637/12, VHS)

Wright, Darwood J. (Section G – 246) 11 Jan 1924 – 30 Mar 1988

31254637 USA E-4. Born: 11 Jan 24 at Randolph, VT. Resided: Graniteville, VT. Enlisted for Active Duty: 18 Mar 43. Active Duty: 25 Mar 43. Separated: 13 Jan 46. Foreign Service: Asiatic Pacific Theater. (*VT World War 2 Roster, Vol. 2, page 679.*)

KOREA: (VA dates = June 27, 1950, through January 31, 1955)

Acebo, Victor P. (Section G, Lot 5) 24 Aug 1924 – 9 Aug 2020

Korea: Acebo, Victor Peter, SSGT, Air Force, 31 254 814, Middlesex. (*VT Korean roster, page 1*) (Also WW2.)

Bancroft, Ernest Harrison, Jr. (Section New – 460) 24 Dec 1928 - 4 Apr 2017

SGT Army. 51 038 479, 2LT 01 925 479, South Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 16.*) According to his Times Argus obituary, he originally enlisted in the Army and received an appointment to officer candidate school and graduated as a first lieutenant. Bancroft served for twelve years including three years during the Korean War. He later served as a company commander in the reserves and left the service as a captain.

Bancroft, James Lowell (Section N – 31e) 17 Feb 1931 – 26 Feb 1983

PFC Army. 22 876 227. South Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 16.*) Army records show he served in the army between 5 Sep 1950 and 6 Jun 1952. His 27 Feb 1983 obituary from the Rutland Herald showed he had been activated with the Vermont National Guard.

Bancroft, Wayne Horace (Section New – 466) 8 Mar 1933 – 9 May 2013

PFC Army. 22 876 235. Plainfield, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 16.*) Further details in his Times Argus obituary showed Bancroft enlisting in 1950 and serving two years and stationed in Germany.

Berube, Reginald Reno (Section G – 101n) 1931 – 1990

PFC Army. 22 890 353. St. Johnsbury, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 29.*)

Blanchard, Kenneth Roger (Col. 2, Side A, Niche 4) 24 Jan 1936 – 23 Dec 2016

PFC Army, 11 237 391. East Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 36.*) From the Barre Daily Times, 21 Sep 1953, seventeen year old Kenneth R. Blanchard of East Barre has enlisted in the US Army for three years and has been assigned to Fort Devens for possessing. In the 7 May 1956 edition of the Barre Daily Times, Blanchard is reported as serving with the 24th Division in Korea, the 24th being one of two divisions stationed in Korea. He served as a gunner in the division's 19th Regiment. Blanchard entered the army in September of 1953 after attending Spaulding High School and completed basic training at Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Bosworth, George E. (Section G – 214) 28 Jan 1932 – 27 Jun 2003

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea. His obituary showed he served in the US Navy from about 1953 through 1957 and his occupation is shown as US Navy on his marriage certificate.

Bowen, Selwyn Frank (Section G – 156) 17 Aug 1931 – 11 Jan 2018

Bowen, Selwyn Frank, PFC, Army, 11 188 179, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 43.*) His Times Argus obituary showed he joined the US Army in 1949 and served in the 70th Armored Field Artillery Battalion during the Korean War.

Brown, Elmer Edgar, Jr. (Section N – 46) 1928 – 2015

PFC Army. 22 882 491. South Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 50.*) Additionally, the obituary found on the Hooker and Whitcomb Funeral Home webpage stated Brown served as a cook in Virginia with the Vermont Army National Guard. The obituary did not mention the timeframe, but his name does appear in the Korean War roster as shown above.

Bullard, Douglas W. (Section Main – 83n) 30 Oct 1930 - 8 Jul 2018

CPL Army. 22 876 169. Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 54.*) According to his Times Argus obituary, after enlisting after high school graduation in 1949, he also served in the Vermont Army National Guard for 27 years and retired at the rank of Master Sergeant.

Bullis, Raymond George (Section New – 90) 1928 – 2016

CPL Army. 51 038 366. East Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 54.*) His Times Argus obituary gave his service dates as Nov 1950 through Nov 1952.

Campbell, Kenneth Morrison (Section N – 49w) 25 Jan 1929 – 15 Jul 1991

CPL Army. 51039366, Graniteville. (*VT Korean roster, page 62.*) He served between 17 Apr 1951 and 11 Apr 1953.

A newspaper, probably the Barre Daily Times ran an article "All Heartbreak Ridges, Graniteville Soldier Gives Impressions of Korea," as found in an undated newspaper clipping. That soldier, Corporal Kenneth Campbell, age 24, had just received his discharge after two years of service. Part of that service took Campbell to the front lines in Korea. He served in an area known as the Punchbowl, some 40 miles north of the 38th parallel. Campbell remained there of nine months with the 5th Combat Regiment before being sent home. In the article he discussed the living conditions of local Koreans and orphans. He also addressed morale, something he claimed to be higher at the front lines than in the rear. Campbell told the reporter letters from home constituted one of the strongest morale builders and he received mail from Vermont in only five to seven days. (Lavin Rouse, 634/31, VHS)

Chase, Lawrence J. (Section D – 104) 1930 – 1993

CPL Army 51 042 962, East Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 71.*) Other military records show he served between 13 Feb 52 and 23 Nov 53.

Craige, Donald James (Section G – 115n) 2 Nov 1929 – 24 Oct 2010

CPL Army. 51 039 367, Graniteville. (*VT Korean roster, page 87.*) In his obituary, published in the Times Argus, Craige served as a radio repairman, both for the 9th Field Artillery Battalion and as an instructor to Korean soldiers. He traveled to Korea on a troop ship at Christmas of 1951 and came home by ship at Christmas 1952. He served until February 1953.

Craige, Kelman D. (Section G – 79) 12 Jul 1929 – 24 Jun 2003

CPL Army 51 039 197, Graniteville. (*VT Korean roster, page 87.*) Craige's obituary, from the Times Argus, stated he served in the Army in Korea while attending the University of Vermont. He served until December 1952.

Crawford, Stanley Edwin (Section New – 109) 1930 – 1993

Technical Sergeant Air Force 11 159 302, Websterville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 88.*) Crawford's death certificate showed both Korea and Vietnam, he ended his career as a Senior Master Sergeant. He had two enlistments, 3 Aug 1948 – 2 Aug 1951 and 4 Aug 1954 – 31 Jan 1970.

Vietnam: Crawford, Stanley Edwin, SMSGT AF, Websterville. (*Vietnam roster, pg 91.*)

Denko, Donald R. (Section New B – 170) 21 Dec 1935 – 3 Dec 2020

SGT, Marine Corps, 1487658, Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 101.*) In his Times Argus obituary, Denko enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1954 serving until discharged in 1962. Marine Corps muster rolls show Denko as an E-1 at recruit training at Parris Island in April,

1954. He later served with the headquarters of the 6th Marines and attended a ten week school for radio repair. At the time of his discharge, Denko was stationed at Camp Lejeune.

Ducey, Francis L. (Section N – 51w) 24 Mar 1927 – 19 Dec 1989

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea. He served from 8 Jul 1947 and 7 Jul 1952.

Fair, Mervil Elmer (Section G – 212) 18 Dec 1925 – 13 Nov 2006

PFC Army 51 223 558, S. Woodbury, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 121.*) According to Fair's obituary, found in the Times Argus, he served in an artillery unit at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Farrar, Irving Arthur (Section OY3 – 5.03) 2 Oct 1929 – 30 Aug 2013

CPL, Army 11 236 459, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 123.*) In his Times Argus obituary, Farrar served in Germany during his enlistment, discharged in 1953.

Fletcher, Fred Brewster, Jr. (Section G – 264) 4 Oct 1923 – 24 Mar 1984

HM1, Navy (Hospital Corpsman 1st Class.) 824 90 11, Montpelier, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 128.*) World War II as well.

Flowers, James F. (Section N – 80w) 1931 – 1980

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea

Fraser, Albert W. (Section New – 461n) 7 Apr 1929 - 14 Mar 2017

PFC Army 51 039 132, Websterville, VT (*VT Korean roster, page 133.*) His Times Argus obituary included his service in the 278th Regiment Combat Team at Fort Devens, Massachusetts.

Gibbs, Philip H. (Section East-169ea) 7 Oct 1931 – 9 Dec 2020

CPL Army 51222271, Rochester. (*VT Korean roster, page 141.*) His Times Argus obituary, Gibbs enlisted in the army in 1953 and serving in the Korean conflict as a corporal. He also served in the army reserves until he received his discharge in 1961. No further information could be found except a note in his newspaper marriage article, the text showed he served in Germany for a two year period.

Gingras, Gerald R. (Section New – 40) 13 Jun 1935 – 25 Dec 2017

According to his Times Argus obituary, Mr. Gingras, from New Hampshire, served in the US Marine Corps from 1953 – 1955, during the Korean War era.

Gomez, David Wallace (Section N – 50) 22 Mar 1926 – 1 Mar 1983

EN1, Navy, 667 42 80, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 145.*) World War II as well.

Harvey, Lloyd I. (Section N – 81e) 2 Dec 1936 – 28 Oct 1994

US Navy, details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea

Houle, Roger Evion (Section N – M5) 1929 – 1998

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea. An Army death record showed his service between 6 Mar 1951 and 23 Feb 1953.

Hull, Alton Raymond (Section D – 11) 27 Aug 1929 – 16 Jul 1997

BT3, Navy (Boiler Technician 3rd Class.) 211 76 32. Montpelier, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 176.*) Veteran's death website showed his service between 18 Aug 1948 and 1 Aug 1952. An article in the 16 July 1951 edition of the Burlington Free Press as found on ancestry.com stated he served aboard the USS Philippines, an aircraft carrier stationed in Korea. He had three battle stars and a Presidential Unit Citation.

Johnson, Karl Siegfried (Section New – 459) 29 Jul 1927 – 21 Oct 2014)

GM3 Navy [Gunner's Mate 3rd Class] 667 91 91, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 184.*) World War II Veteran as well. In his Times Argus obituary, Karl enlisted on 9 Oct 1950 and served until 1 Aug 1954. He served aboard the USS Conway, a destroyer escort ship.

Langford, Lee E., Major (Section Main – 79s) 1908 – 1956

HDQRS, U.S.A.F. (*VT Korean roster, page 205.*) Although not included in the World War II roster, the April 10, 2003 obituary published in the Times Argus for Jenne M. Langford, his wife, mentioned their marriage in Websterville in 1943. Lee may have served during the 2nd World War but from another state.

Lombard, Emmons S. (Section G – 239) 6 May 1902 – 18 Apr 1976

Major, Army. O 253 614, Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 221.*) WW II as well.

Lord, Harold Fred (Section G – 37) 13 Jul 1913 – 18 Sep 2000

LTC Army. 01 000 405. Montpelier, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 222.*) WW II as well.

Lord, Robert Porter (Section G – 234) 28 Jan 1932 – 3 Aug 2014

CPL Army, 51223071, East Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 222.*) Obit: Times Argus, served in the US Army from 1953 – 1955 as an instructor at Fort Benning, Georgia, at the Sound Ranging School.

Loverin, Kenneth W. (Section G – 225) 15 Sep 1924 – May 1986

CPL, Army, 31 254 266, from Graniteville. WW II as well. (*VT Korean roster, page 223.*)

MacDonald, Howard G. (Section New – 119) (1928 – 2007)

Corporal, US Army, 22 876 239, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 226.*) His Times Argus obituary stated he served from 1950 – 1952 and stationed in Germany.

MacIver, Roderick Donald (Section G – 193) 1929 – 2004

EN1 Navy (Engineman 1st Class.) 211 69 13. Graniteville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 227.*) His obituary, from the Times Argus mentioned he served aboard the USS Opportune. [ARS-41, a rescue and salvage ship.]

MacRitchie, Gordon Angus (Section G – 258) 21 Oct 1932 – 6 Dec 1972

PFC Army. 11 187 213. Websterville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 228.*) From his stone: PFC 618 ENGR LE CO [Engineer Light Equipment Company] He served between 23 Nov 1949 and 28 Jul 1954.

MacRitchie, John Malcolm (Section N – 13) 1931 – 1981

SFC Army. 11159309. Websterville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 228.*)

Manning, Douglas Jerry (Section New – 106) 28 Apr 1930 – 29 Jul 2014
PFC US Marine Corps, 1311117, Websterville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 230.*)
Times Argus obituary: 1952 – 1954 in USMC stationed in Japan as an equipment operator.
There are several internet listings for Doug in various Marine Corps rosters from April 1952 to
January 1954. He had been assigned to Marine Ground Control Intercept Squadron 5 and to
the 1st School Company of the Engineering School Battalion 2 at Camp Lejeune, NC,
undoubtedly leading to his status of equipment operator.

Mattote, Wendell Silas (Section N – 37n) 18 Jan 1931 – 24 Oct 2005
Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea. His obituary referenced
Mattote's service in the US Army at Fort Deven's Massachusetts between 1951 and 1953.

McKenzie, Isabel C., Army Nurse Corps (Section G – 121) 29 Sep 1911 – 30 Sep 2006
Major, Army. N 751 599. Graniteville, VT. (WWII, Vietnam also.) (*VT Korean roster,*
page 243.)

McLeod, John Leonard (Section N – 55w) 31 Aug 1930 – 15 Oct 1985
Staff Sergeant Air Force. 11 206 147. Graniteville, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 243.*)
Served between 4 Jan 1951 and 7 Dec 1954.

Nadeau, Sheldon J. (Section New A – 89) 11 Mar 1930 – 31 Oct 2019
AO3 [Aviation Ordnanceman 3rd Class,] Navy, 419 77 60, Graniteville. (*VT Korean roster,*
page 261.) His Times Argus obituary said he enlisted in 1948 and served for four years,
including time aboard the USS Coral Sea in the Mediterranean Sea.

Nadeau, Willis Armand (Section N – 82e) 25 Nov 1931 – 17 Oct 1993
MML3 [Machinist Mate, general 3rd Class,] Navy, 436 23 62, Graniteville. (*VT Korean*
roster, page 261.) Served from 27 Dec 1951 to 20 Dec 1955. Death certificate:Korean veteran.

Paris, David Raoul (COL 2- Side A-Niche 6) 31 Aug 1930 – 15 Oct 1985
PVT Army 11 264 523, Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 274.*) Paris enlisted in the
army at age 17 and served with the 101st Airborne. (Rutland Herald obituary.)

Patno, William G. (Section G – 222s) 1919 – 1987
SFC Army, 11 038 461, Barre. WW II as well. (*VT Korean roster, page 277.*)

Peake, Ralph William (Section New A – 10) 31 Oct 1928 – 25 Mar 2019
PFC, Marine Corps 1034352, Barre, VT. (*VT Korean roster, page 278.*) Records found
on ancestry.com showed Peake stationed at Camp Lejeune in Headquarters Company of the
8th Engineer Battalion. Another record showed he attended the tracked operator's course, as a
member of the 8th Engineer Battalion, 2nd Marine Division. He separated on 11 Aug 51.

Perantoni, Olvero (Section Main – 65n) 6 Jun 1912 – 1 Aug 1993
W1 Army W2 005850, Barre. (*VT Korean roster, page 280*) World War II veteran also.

Perry, Dean Francis (Section Main – 69s) 1933 – 1960
FPG2, [Pipefitter Shipboard 2nd Class] Navy, 436 10 16, East Barre. (*VT Korean roster,*
page 282.)

Poirier, Michael J. (Section New – 39b) 24 Nov 1936 – 21 May 1991

US Air Force, details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea, service in Vietnam also. One army record showed his service between 29 Apr 72 and 30 Jun 76 and his death certificate showed him as a Korean War veteran.

Robinson, Gerald (Section G – 74) 1928 – 1991

CPL, Army, 51 038 183, Williamstown, VT (VT Korean roster, page 309.)

Roy, Donald Joseph (?) (Section G – 31w) 22 Feb 1933 – 26 Nov 1976

Sergeant Army, 51 156 808, Barre. (VT Korean roster, page 314.) He served between 4 Feb 1953 and 31 Jan 1961.

Solomon, Edward Hugh (Section G – 29) 14 Oct 1932 – 13 May 1981

CPL Army, 51 222 309, East Barre. (VT Korean roster, page 337.) He served between 11 Mar 1953 and 14 Feb 1955.

Trombly, Robert Roland (Section G – 90) 1931 – 1986

Sergeant Army, 11 159 300, Montpelier. (VT Korean roster, page 360.) His Times Argus obituary showed he served at Fort Eustis, Virginia as a mess sergeant enlisting in the US Army in 1948 and receiving his discharge in 1953.

Tucker, Raymond Nelson (Section G – 30n) 1929 – 1990

SP3 Army, 51 223 570, Barre. (VT Korean roster, page 361.) He served between 13 Jul 1954 and 6 Jul 1956.

Vincent, Robert G. (Section N – 38w) 21 Nov 1924 – 14 Nov 1972

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea. Perhaps he came from Connecticut, a military death index listed his service number to be 046146795 and enlistment between 19 Jan 1948 and 6 Oct 1954.

Wade, Laurence A. (G – 128) 16 Jul 1931 - 29 Jan 2019

SP2 Army 11 207 898, Putney, VT. (VT Korean roster, page 367.) According to the findagrave website, Wade served with the Army Reserve and was called to active duty in 1954. He spent two years serving in France and Germany.

Yates, Janice (Section New – 56a) 18 May 1933 – 5 May 2004.

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Korea, Korean service noted on death certificate. Her Times Argus obituary stated she had served during the Korean War as a Navy WAVE from 1951 to 1953.

VIETNAM :(VA dates = August 5, 1964, and ending on May 7, 1975)

Boyce, Syderick C., Jr. (Section New C – 203) 10 Jun 1947 – 17 Jun 2021

SP4 US Army, Upper Websterville. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 46*) The obituary published in the Times Argus referenced his enlistment in the army on 26 Oct 1966 and his service in Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 2nd Infantry, 1st Infantry Division in Vietnam. Among his awards and decorations are the Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Vietnam Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, and the Combat Medic Badge. He received his discharge in May 1969.

In May of 1967, Boyce came home on a two week leave and the Times Argus reported he had recently completed a ten week medical training course, two weeks of jump school, and would be headed for Vietnam with the 82nd Airborne Division.

While serving in-country, PFC Boyce received the Bronze Star with "V" device for heroism. The 8 December 1967 Times Argus reported the award along with the citation that accompanied the award. He accompanied a search and destroy mission as the medic to the Bien Hoa area where the unit encountered a Viet Cong camp. Despite calling in an artillery barrage, when they entered the camp, the enemy subjected them to heavy small arms and automatic weapons fire. Boyce rendered aid to several wounded men and exposed himself to hostile fire while assisting others. He entered the kill zone to drag the wounded back to safety and organized and supervised litter teams to evacuate the casualties. During this portion of his service, Boyce served as a medic with the 1st Infantry Division, and then as a machine gunner with the "Black Scarves" unit based at Phuoc Vinh. After Vietnam and a 49 day leave, PFC Boyce transferred to the 46th Medical – Surgical Hospital in Germany.

Burnett, Robert Charles Higgs, Sr. (Section North – 2w) 23 Nov 1944 – 17 Oct 2022

Airman 2nd Class, US Air Force. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 58*) Burnett's Times Argus Oct 21, 2022 obituary stated he served in the Air Force in the security service and worked on computer systems in Pakistan and several bases in the US. Other Times Argus articles from 1964 and 1965 showed Burnett attended personnel specialist school at Greenville AFB in Mississippi after completing basic training at Lackland AFB in Texas. The 9 Nov 1965 edition of the paper reported he had just arrived from Southwest Asia where he served with the Air Force for 15 months. After a 45-day leave, Burnett reported to Goodfellow AFB in Texas.

Carpenter, Richard Allen (Old Yard 2 – 319) 5 Sep 1948 – 23 Oct 2021

Airman 1st Class, US Air Force, Graniteville. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 66*) In the Times Argus obituary it was stated Carpenter specialized in intelligence while serving in the Air Force and his duty stations included Taiwan, Korea, and Alaska. Other newspaper articles said he had been inducted into the Air Force on 14 Jun 1967. He trained at Lackland AFB and Goodfellow AFB as a communications analysis specialist. A March 1968 article stated he was headed for duty in Taiwan for a 15-month tour with the 6987th Security Group.

Crawford, Stanley Edwin (Section New – 109) 1930 – 1993

SMSGT AF, Websterville. Served in Korea as well. (*Vietnam roster, page 91.*)

Hull, William Lee (Section G – 203) 1946 – 2016

SP5, US Arm. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 188*) Hull's Times Argus Obituary stated he served in the army from 1968 – 1971 and his time included a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Johnson, Ralph Henry (Section OY1 – 256) 1942 – 1987

SP6, US Army. (Gravestone, not in the Adjutant General's Roster) An obituary posted in the 27 May 1987 edition of the Boston Globe showed Johnson had been born in Chicago,

graduated from Stanford in 1964, lived in Maine, and worked and died in Boston. The obituary did state he served in the Vietnam War.

LaFountain, Alan Dale (Section East – B11.1) 3 Aug 1946 – 22 Jul 2003

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Vietnam. His obituary, published in the Times Argus, showed his Vietnam service at the driver of an armored personnel carrier. He also served as a scout and radar operator for Headquarters, Headquarters Company, 3rd Squadron, 4th Armored Cavalry in Cu Chi, South Vietnam.

Lawson, Kendall Reid (Main – 84) 21 Jul 1939 – 10 Jan 2013

1st Lieutenant, East Barre. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 226.*) According to his Times Argus obituary, Lawson graduated ROTC at the University of Vermont and served in the 569th Ordnance Company in Ludwigsburg, Germany.

Lewis, Howard C., (Section New – 57) 1943 – 1987

Lieutenant Colonel, Armor, VTARNG details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for Vietnam. His Burlington Free Press obituary of 26 Aug 1987 as found in the newspaper section of ancestry.com presented his service. After graduating from Norwich University, Lewis served as a company commander in the 172nd Mechanized Infantry Brigade. In 1969, he went to Vietnam where he commanded a special cavalry troop and as a battalion staff officer. Among his awards and decorations, Lewis received the Soldier's Medal, five Bronze Stars, the Meritorious Service Medal, and the Vermont Medal of Merit. After Vietnam, Lewis joined the Vermont Army National Guard and commanded the 1st Battalion of the 172nd Armor and as the S-3 of the 86th Brigade, and as the plans, operations, and training officer.

Locarno, Francis Leo (Section Main – 34n) 11 Nov 1947 – 25 Nov 2013

SP5 Army, East Barre. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 235.*) Locarno enlisted in the Army and served in Vietnam, his discharge dated 1971. He rests in the same lot as his parents, Leo and Florence Locarno, his dad, a World War II veteran. Perhaps the army awarded Locarno the Joint Service Commendation Medal for service in the Studies and Observation Group. He would have received the award on 14 Oct 1969 while stationed in Vietnam.

Lowery, Michael Paul (Section G – 149n) 23 Jul 1944 – 7 Nov 1991

Staff Sergeant AF, Barre, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 238.*) Other records showed he served between 18 Dec 1984 and 31 Jan 1987.

MacAulay, John Murdock (Section G – 99) 1935 – 1969

Captain, US Army, Graniteville, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 241.*)

McKenzie, Isabel C., Army Nurse Corps (Section G – 121) 29 Sep 1911 – 30 Sep 2006

Major, Army. Graniteville, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 259.*) (WWII, Korea also.)

Melendy, Andrew Dustin (Section G – 201) 18 Mar 1945 – 10 Jan 2018

PFC, Army, Upper Websterville, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 262.*) According to the Times Argus obituary, Melendy enlisted in 1965 for a two year enlistment. He served as an ordinance support specialist.

Pallas, Frederick (Section G – 109) 1938 – 1992

SP4, ARMY. Graniteville, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 291.*) According to the Times Argus obituary, Pallas served in Cambodia and Thailand. In Thailand, he served as a

scoutmaster for a local troop of Boy Scouts. VA records listed his enlistment as 6 Nov 1961 and his separation on 10 Sep 1964.

Pickett, Jimmie E. (Section G – 232) 1946 – 1998 (brother of Reginald L. Pickett)
SP4, ARMY. Montpelier, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 304.*) He served between 8 Dec 1966 and 6 Dec 1968.

Pickett, Reginald Leo (Section G – 230) 1947 – 2015 (brother of Jimmie E. Pickett)
PVT, USMC. Barre, VT. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 304.*) The Times Argus obituary offered few details, but mentioned his National Defense Medal and a rifle sharpshooter's badge.

Pletzer, Richard A. (Section G – 32) 15 Oct 1945 – 4 Aug 1994
SP5, US Army. Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for Vietnam. Other records showed his service between 4 November 1965 and 3 November 1967.

Poirier, Michael J., (Section New – 39b) 24 Nov 1936 – 21 May 1991
US Air Force, details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Vietnam. Poirier apparently served in Korea as well.

Rudd, Earl Robert (Col. 2, Side A, Niche 5) 7 Oct 1943 – 14 Feb 2020
US Air Force. Rudd, Earl Robert, A1C, AF, Barre. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 335.*) In his Times Argus obituary, Rudd served during the Vietnam War stationed in Vietnam, Thailand, and in Okinawa.

Town, Wayne Adelard (Section New – 27) 28 Feb 1944 – 1 Oct 1999
SN, US Navy. Upper Websterville. (*VT Vietnam roster, page 381.*) Military death information showed his service to be between 3 Mar 1964 and 12 Feb 1968.

Wenz, Otto George (Section G – 134) 31 Mar 1947 – 4 Dec 1992
Private, US Army. Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Vietnam. He served from 24 Apr 1967 and 15 Dec 1969.

Global War on Terror (GOWT)

Hedges, Cameron R. (New B – 158) 2 Jan 1998 – 27 Jan 2019

Growing up in Williamstown and graduating from high school there, Hedges later enlisted in the US Marine Corps. His times Argus obituary stated he still served as a lance corporal at the time of his death. No further details.

PEACETIME: (Honoring those who served in times without credit for an active war)

Aldrich, Richard W. (Section G – 249) 1935 – 1978

According to enlistment data, Aldrich enlisted on 18 February 1958 and served until 31 January 1964. His obituary showed the 82nd Airborne in Germany.

Andrews, Edward C., III (Section G – 77c) 11 Sep 1955 – 10 Oct 2010

In his obituary, the Times Argus stated Andrews joined the US Marine Corps in 1972, at the age of 17, and served until 1976.

Atherton, Sherwood E. (Section B – 4) 1916 – 1936

U.S. Marine Corps, died Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, nearby marker reads U.S. Not in the World War II roster, but a U.S. serviceman. From a USMC muster roll: 19 July 36, died 12:40 a.m. at USNH, Pearl Harbor, T.H., from appendicitis, peritonitis. The government shipped his remains to San Francisco aboard USS Lurline, 25 July 1936.

Bagley, Richard L. (Section G – 158) 1 Sep 1935 – 12 Jan 1983

Enlisted 22 May 1958, served until 20 May 1960.

Bliss, Robert N. (Section Main – 82n [Martin]) 4 Jan 1935 – 18 Apr 2012

The Times Argus obituary showed Bliss served in the US Air Force.

Boisvert, Harold G. (Section Main – 67n) 7 Sep 1935 – 13 May 2012

Vermont National Guard, no further details.

Breer, Wayne A., Sr. (Section N – 26c) 11 Feb 1929 – 28 Jan 2004

Served between 24 Jul 1947 and 24 Jan 1950.

Brooks, Bradley (Section G – 182) 18 Aug 1946 – 7 Sep 1993

Brooks served in the Vermont Army National Guard from 1963 – 1969 according to his death certificate. Additionally, his obituary that appeared in the Bradford Journal Opinion, Brooks served as a member of Company A, 2nd Battalion, 172nd Armored Brigade of the Vermont National Guard.

Carminati, William J. (Section G – 197c) 20 Jun 1943 – 17 Nov 2010

Carminati's obituary showed he served for 26 years with the Vermont National Guard.

Carpenter, William John (Section G – 114) 22 Mar 1928 – 7 Jun 2006

In his obituary, from the Times Argus, showed Carpenter's service to be with the 76th Training Division, US Army Reserve. He served for 25 years and retired as a Major.

Cumming, David E. (Section G – 125) 6 Oct 1934 – 20 Jan 2018

Cumming's Times Argus obituary stated he had served in the US Army between 1957 and 1959. He served at the 7th Army Headquarters in West Germany and finished his military obligation with the Vermont Army National Guard.

Davison, Kenneth V. (Section G – 94) 13 Nov 1941 – 9 Oct 1968

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Vietnam. [Note: grass marker shows Kenneth V. Davison, Private, Tank Bn 34 Army Div, Nov 13, 1941 – Oct 9, 1968 Vietnam era.]

Day, Basil M. (Col 4-Side B-Niche 11) 22 Nov 1934 – 27 Mar 2021

In his Times Argus obituary, Day graduated from the Bellows Falls High School in 1953 and enlisted in the army at Fort Bragg but the date is not given. He returned to Vermont in 1957 after his service. An article from November of 1954 listed his promotion to corporal as a member of Company A, Vermont National Guard. He is not found in the Vermont Roster for Korea, but as a guardsman, he may not have had any active duty during the period.

Ford, Frederic Hollis (Section New B, Lot 166) 12 Feb 1934 – 11 Nov 2022)

Born in Barre, Ford graduated from Norwich University in 1956 with a degree in mechanical engineering. After graduation, he went to work for the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company in Milwaukee. Second Lieut. Ford also graduated from a 14-week officers' basic course at the Engineer School at Fort Belvoir where he studied staff functions, combat operations, and military engineering. In the news article concerning his marriage, it showed he received his discharge from the army on 20 Nov 1958 as a 1st Lieutenant. At some point, Ford returned home to Barre. Ford continued to serve as a member of the army reserve. An article from 1963 listed Capt. Ford as one of ten reservists to head to summer camp, the ten are listed as students in the engineering section of the 1035th USAR School, and in 1970 the school became his regular assignment. Maj. Ford graduated from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in May of 1973. Still a member of the 1035th US Army Reserve School, Ford received his promotion to lieutenant colonel in November 1975. He served as an instructor in the Command and General Staff School.

Gallagher, Frederick (Section G, Lot 174s) 13 Jan 1936 – 21 Feb 1999)

Gallagher served in the US Army, enlisting twice, 19 Apr 1955 and released 14 Feb 1957. Re-enlisted 15 Feb 1957, released 9 Jan 1958.

Gillander, Richard (New Section C – Lot 257) 17 Dec 1941 – 9 Nov 2022

Gillander served with the Vermont National Guard, no further details found.

Gregoire, Donald J. (Section G – 219) 31 Aug 1948 – 15 Jul 2014

According to his Times Argus obituary, Don served in the Vermont National Guard, trained at Fort Polk, and had further medical training at Fort Sam Houston.

Harris, Richard G. (Section G – 189b) 3 May 1929 – 11 Oct 2017

No further details available.

Hatch, George F. (Section Main, Lot 5) 21 Feb 1904 – 19 Jul 1982

Hatch's obituary stated he had served in the army between 1923 and 1926, but no other details could be found.

Henderson, Ronald Benson (Section New – 132) 14 Feb 1941 – 18 Jul 2006

Details unavailable, one record showed his service taking place between 12 Sep 1959 and 11 Sep 1961.

Hudson, David H. (Section New B, Lot 121) 27 May 1938 – 27 Oct 2022

Hudson's obituary stated he had served in the Vermont Air National Guard between 1961 and 1967, but no other details could be found.

Hutchins, Alton Martin (Section North – 12) 5 Mar 1911 – 17 Jun 1983

Several internet sources point to Hutchins having served in the US Marine Corps between the two world wars, from 1931 – 1935 on active duty followed by four years as an inactive reservist. He spent most of his service time stationed at Quantico, while there he served as one of the Marine's White House guards for the first inauguration of President Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1933. Also in 1933, the 7th Marine Regiment deployed to Cuba for peacekeeping duties, Hutchins moved out of the service company at Quantico for duty with the 7th. He later returned to Quantico's service company before his transfer to the inactive reserves in 1935.

Isham, Glenn G. (Section New – 101) 23 Jan 1967 – 29 May 2007

From his obituary published in the Times Argus: Specialist Isham served in the US Army from 1987 – 1989 and received the Army Commendation Medal. Later he served as a military payroll specialist for the Vermont and the New Hampshire Air National Guards.

Kilian, Allie J. (Section G – 210n) 2 Mar 1950 – 15 Apr 2007

His obituary published in the Times Argus referenced his service in the Vermont Army National Guard. No further details.

King, Harry C. (Section C, Lot 51) 27 Apr 1911 – 21 Oct 1981

King's obituary mentioned his attendance of the Goddard seminary followed by four years in the US Navy. A Barre Daily Times news note showed King coming home on leave after an eleven week stint at Newport, Rhode Island "since having joined the United States Navy ... " He would then sail aboard the steamship "Chester" on a shakedown cruise in the Mediterranean. Another article of news notes from Graniteville identify King stationed in the Canal Zone with the navy. It also mentions Goddard seminary and his service aboard the USS Richmond.

Jones, Harold E. (Col 4-Side A-Niche 5) 29 Sep 1938 – 17 Jan 2021

No details of his service could be found in the obituary except he served in the National Guard. In a general newspaper search, Jones can be found as a member of Headquarters Company, Vermont National Guard, in Barre. He is identified as a soldier on his way to summer camp at Fort Drum in 1956, 1957, and 1958.

Landry, Edward A. (Section Main – 68s) 1905 – 1958

No further details available.

Landry, John E. (Section Main – 68s) 1937 – 2013

According to the obituary found on the Muffley Funeral Home website, John served in the US Air Force, but no further details could be found.

Lawrence, Wayne D. (Section New B – 163) 14 Jul 1937 – 27 Jul 2020

According to the obituary found on the B-M Times Argus website, Wayne served in the Army Reserve, but no further details could be found.

Lawson, James A. (Col 2-Side A-Niche 11) 1937 – 2017

His Times Argus obituary stated he served with the Vermont National Guard at the armory in Barre.

LeClair, Roger J. (Section G-247) 25 Apr 1936 – 23 Oct 2021

According to his Times Argus obituary of 27 October 2021, LeClair served with the US Navy from 1955 – 1959 but with no further details. In a Barre Daily Times article dated 30 Jun 1959, LeClair received his discharge on June 26 from the navy as a Boiler Tech 3rd Class. He had attended basic training at Bainbridge, Maryland and served aboard the USS McCaffery (DD860) for 13 months. During that time, the destroyer made stops in Spain, Scotland, and Cuba. He spent the remainder of his enlistment in the Group Atlantic Fleet Reserve in Boston.

MacAulay, Michael G. (Section G – 190) 26 Nov 1942 – 23 Feb 1980

No further details available. One Times Argus article came from an army hometown news release that showed MacAulay in a training company at Fort Dix, NJ.

MacDonald, Jan L. (Section Main – 56s) died 24 Aug 2014

Peacetime veteran, her Times Argus obituary referenced her four years in the Army between 1979 and 1983. Her duty stations included German and Fort Carson, Colorado. Both parents, James and Jessie Perrin MacDonald served during World War II.

MacLeod, Herbert Lewis (Section N – 63e) 16 Feb 1901 – 9 Nov 1963

From his Barre Daily Times obituary, Herbert served four years in the Navy. No other sources confirmed his service. However, a news note in another edition of the paper stated he had recently received his discharge after serving two years as a radio – technician stationed at Norfolk. Judging by the date of the note, he served between 1919 and 1921, nothing found concerning the other two years of his service.

MacLeod, Roy Roderick (Section N – 11) 27 Sep 1953 – 22 Dec 2012

From his Times Argus obituary, Roy served in the Air Force for four years as a medical technician.

Maginnis, Charles D. (Section G – 1) 1 Oct 1935 – 12 Jan 1968

No further details available. Born in Boston, Massachusetts, died in Stafford, Virginia.

Manning, Philip E. (Section G – 22) 21 Dec 1935 – 14 Dec 2007

Sergeant First Class, US Army, peacetime veteran. His obituary, published in the Times Argus, stated he served in the Army, Army Reserve, and Army National Guard for a total of 28 years in such places as Fort Lewis, Washington and Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Marston, Herman T. (Main – 36n) 21 Apr 1937 – 3 Mar 1987

Mr. Marston served in the US Army from 1958 to 1964, no other details are available. (from his obituary, probably the Times Argus)

Meikle, James (Section G – 233) 20 Jun 1928 – 8 Sep 1983

Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, World War II or Korea. According to the Flags for Veterans list, Meikle served in the military of the United Kingdom's Black Watch of Scotland following the 2nd World War and in the Royal Canadian Air Force in the 1950's. His wife chose the Canadian flag for his grave.

Morse, Walter Sr. (Section New A – 463n) 23 Jul 1938 – 24 Mar 2020

National Guard, nothing further in the newspapers.

Newton, Douglas Wayne (Section New C – 222) 1 Nov 1947 – 14 Jan 2022
US Navy Seabees, Construction Battalion, discharged in 1978; no further details.

North, George Carlton, SR, (Section C – 12) 17 Sep 1937 – 9 Oct 2000
US Navy, no further details available.

Norton, Jason Paul (North – 52w) 21 Apr 1979 – 25 Oct 1998
The Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death Index showed Norton enlisted in the US Army on 19 Nov 1997 and discharged 1 Apr 1998. His obituary referenced his service in the Vermont Army National Guard at the Berlin Armory.

Nutbrown, Coleman, Jr. (Section New – 110) 1937 – 1993
From his Times-Argus obituary: Coleman served in the US Navy between March 1956 and November 1957. He served aboard the USS Valley Forge while on anti-submarine duty in the Atlantic, from Iceland to the Caribbean.

Papianou, Alex C. (Section G – 76) 1 Sep 1935 – 15 Nov 2018
His Times Argus obituary showed Papianou served with the US Army Signal Corps, no further details available.

Payne, Norman F. (Section OY5 – 117) 24 Jun 1939 – 22 Jul 2006
Times Argus obituary: US Navy. Other records showed he served as a machinist between 19 Feb 1958 and 31 May 1959.

Persons, Durward D. (Section G, Lot 248) 15 Aug 1936 – 4 Jun 2022
According to the Times Argus obituary, Persons served with the Vermont Air National Guard from 1959 to 1964 as a jet engine mechanic. No further details.

Pletzer, Edgar, Jr. (Section G – 32) 18 Aug 1940 – 9 Aug 1981
Served in the US Navy, 28 February 1958 – 8 August 1961. One record showed him aboard the USS Saratoga, CVA-60 in 1961 and working in communications.

Potvin, Jeffery T. (Section N – 63w) 1 Aug 1938 – 4 Apr 1988
An army death record showed his service between 28 Sep 1958 and 13 Jul 1961, he served with the airborne stationed in Korea.

Reed, Cynthia Anne Marie (Currier) (New B – 155) 27 Jun 1952 – 29 Jan 2018
No further details.

Renfrew, Alexander (Section G – 43) 27 Dec 1956 – 7 Sep 2013
Sergt. 1st Class Renfrew served in the VT Army National Guard for more than 20 years.

Riddell, Gordon A. (Section North – 9) 16 Mar 1939 – 16 Jan 2022
Times Argus obituary: Enlisted in the Vermont Air National Guard, took pilot training and became a jet pilot, and became a flight instructor. He retired as a lieutenant colonel. An article in the Times Argus from 1 July 1963 reported 2nd Lieut. Riddell completed his pilot training and earned his wings as a jet pilot after a 55 week training regimen. He continued on to Perrin AFB in Texas for F-102 all-weather interceptor training. No further details uncovered.

It is interesting to note Riddell's obituary stated he would be in a columbarium unit at the Veterans' Memorial Cemetery in Sierra Vista, Arizona, and the Find a Grave website has a page

for him added less than a month after his passing, complete with photo of the niche cover. On the other hand, there is a work order in the Barre Town records for the sexton to bury Riddell's ashes in Lot 9, Section North, and a funeral took place at that location on 16 September 2022 and the ashes buried next to his mother, Madeleine, in his parents' lot.

Robbins, Douglas N. (Section North – 193) 7 Aug 1939 – 31 Jul 2017
Times Argus obituary: US Army, no further details.

Royce, Robert Paul (Section New – 52) 27 Sep 1939 – 27 Jul 2002
Times Argus obituary: Vermont National Guard

Smith, Arthur M., Jr. (Section G – 210a) 21 Jan 1945 – 8 Aug 2006)
The Times Argus obituary stated Smith served in the Vermont National Guard, a similar entry can be found on his death certificate.

Solomon, Arthur E. (Section G – 29) 17 Sep 1934 – 23 Nov 2008
Times Argus obituary: US Army. A military death record had his service between 6 1956 and 5 November 1958.

Sweet, Donald C. (Section OY1 – 202) 1942 – 1992
Marker near gravestone. Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster for Vietnam. A veteran's death file shows a D. Sweet and a Vermont social security number as serving in the army from 1 Feb 1960 to 6 Oct 1962.

Tanguay, Donald B. (Section Main – 94) 13 Jun 1935 – 21 Dec 2011
His Times Argus obituary stated Tanguay had served in the US Army during the period 1956 – 1958, no further details could be found.

Thompson, James Frederick (Section New – 56b) 12 Aug 1941 – 20 Mar 2001
Details unavailable, not in the Adjutant General's Roster, Vietnam. His Time Argus obituary stated his service to be with the US Army from 1958 – 1962 with a tour in Korea.

Thygesen, Ejnar A, Sr. (Section G – 44) 5 Apr 1912 – 20 Feb 2007
Times Argus obituary: served in the US Army in the early – mid 1930s, veterans' records showed his service to be between 1933 and 1935 in the US Army.

Town, Bruce A. (Section New – 29) 8 Dec 1939 – 25 Mar 2004
The Times Argus obituary showed Town in the US Air Force from 1957 – 1961 and serving with the 656th Radar Squadron.

Tucker, Robert E. (Section G-67n) 21 Apr 1934 – 2 Sep 2019
Tucker's Times Argus obituary mentioned his service with the US Army, but the only detail offered concerned his honorable discharge in 1959.

Watson, Thomas A., Jr. (Section OY2 – 318c) 5 Aug 1944 – 21 Feb 1988
RD2, US Navy (Radarman 2nd Class.) Details unavailable, not in the Vietnam Roster.

York, Harold A. Jr. (Section New – 98a) 23 Dec 1939 – 4 Feb 2014
In his Times Argus obituary, York served as a jet engine mechanic in the US Air Force between 1958 and 1962. He performed an overseas deployment in Lakenheath, England.