



## ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

### County Board Agenda Item Meeting of February 11, 2012

**DATE:** January 18, 2012

**SUBJECT:** Request to advertise public hearings to consider the local designation and historic district zoning overlay of the Calloway Cemetery, located at 5000 Lee Hwy. (RPC # 08-002-004; cemetery section only).

#### **C. M. RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt the attached resolution to authorize the advertisement (Attachment A of the staff report) of public hearings by the Planning Commission on February 27, 2012, and the County Board on March 10, 2012, to consider adoption of an ordinance (see also Attachment A) designating the Calloway Cemetery, located at 5000 Lee Hwy., as a local historic district and the creation of an historic district zoning overlay to consist only of the cemetery portion of the site, which includes approximately 7,100 square feet and that is part of the property known as RPC # 08-002-004 that lies west of the parking lot and driveway for the Calloway United Methodist Church.

**ISSUES:** There are no issues since this local historic district designation is being pursued at the request of the Trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church and the cemetery clearly meets the criteria for historic designation. The current church leadership and congregation are fully supportive of the designation request.

**SUMMARY:** The Historical Affairs and Landmark Review Board (HALRB), in its prescribed role of recommending the establishment of locally designated historic districts, followed the process noted in Section 31A, Part C of the Arlington Zoning Ordinance. With the conclusion of this process, the HALRB finds that the property meets three of the eleven designation criteria listed in Section 31A, Part C.1.d and recommends that the Calloway Cemetery be designated as an Historic District (Attachment B, Historic District Designation Form). The HALRB further recommends that the proposed historic district boundary include the entire cemetery portion of the parcel known as 5000 Lee Hwy., as requested by the Trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church.

The Calloway Cemetery retains a high degree of historical integrity. It is the oldest and most intact of two church-affiliated, historic African-American graveyards in the Hall's Hill/High

County Manager:

County Attorney:

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Staff: Cynthia Liccese-Torres, DCPHD, Neighborhood Services Division

View Park neighborhood. The Calloway Cemetery is the first African-American cemetery to be formally studied and documented in-depth by the County and will be the first African-American cemetery to be designated in its entirety as an Arlington Historic District. The earliest known burial occurred in 1891, with the most recent interment occurring in 1959. The cemetery contains approximately 100 graves, of which only about one-half are marked with surface gravestones. The Calloway Cemetery is important to the history and development of the High View Park community and the County's greater African-American heritage. Various maps and photographs of the site can be found in Attachment C.

**BACKGROUND:** Since 1978, the HALRB has nominated important historic buildings, sites, and districts to the County Board for consideration and designation as local historic districts. This nominating procedure is outlined in the Arlington Zoning Ordinance, Section 31A, Part C, Establishment of Historic Districts. To date, 31 buildings, sites, and/or multi-property districts have been granted Arlington Historic District status. The most recent local historic designation was the Washington/Torreyson Farm House in April 2010.

This designation request for the Calloway Cemetery to become an Arlington Historic District was initiated by the Trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church. Since 2008, the County's Historic Preservation Program (HPP) staff has collaborated closely with the church leadership and has received their full cooperation and support during the extensive research and field survey phases of this project. The church leaders have given positive comments and feedback on both the final Historic District Designation Form and the proposed *Calloway Cemetery Historic District Design Guidelines* (Attachment D). The Trustees have requested that at this time, only the cemetery portion of the site be considered for historic designation.

**DISCUSSION:** In order to complete the request for local historic district designation, the HPP staff needed to conduct several complex phases of study, including detailed historic research to learn more about the individuals interred at the site and a detailed survey of the individual gravestones to document their appearance, materials, inscriptions, etc. The only known recordation of the cemetery was done in 1985 by the Arlington Genealogical Club; this data served as the basis for the current study, with data being updated and new information being added. The HPP staff consulted Federal census and military records; birth, marriage, and death registers; obituaries; and other genealogical sources. Survey forms were created for each individual gravestone in the cemetery and include photographs, physical descriptions of the markers, and known biographical information about the deceased. The survey forms, found in Attachment E, document the existing conditions of each of the gravestones and also will serve as the starting point for additional research in the future about the individuals buried at the Calloway Cemetery.

At least eight of the graves identified in the 1985 survey no longer have their surface markers. Conversations with church leaders, as well as results from a two-page questionnaire written by the HPP staff and distributed to members of the congregation, suggested the strong likelihood of unmarked burials at the Calloway Cemetery. Since such information was vital to understanding and recording the history of the site, staff received permission from the church trustees to conduct ground-penetrating probing of the entire cemetery as part of the local historic district designation process. The probing fieldwork was completed during the Fall of 2010 under the

direction of trained archaeologist and volunteer Patrick L. O'Neill, of the Northern Virginia Chapter of the Archaeological Society of Virginia, with the assistance of the HPP staff. The probing investigation provided important information to the County and the church trustees to help determine how best to preserve the site and protect the known grave locations. Of the total items revealed during probing, the archaeological evidence suggests that there could potentially be another 43 unmarked graves in the cemetery. Photographs of the probing exercise can be found in Photos 6 through 10 of Attachment C. Findings from the probing fieldwork were documented in site plan maps of the site (see Attachment F); the numbered graves on the site plan correspond to the individual gravestone survey forms in Attachment E.

Upon the completion of the extensive historic research on the cemetery and the interred individuals, the careful survey of the existing gravestones, the probing for unmarked burials, and the preparation of a detailed research report, the HPP staff (on behalf of the HALRB's Survey Committee) formally presented its findings to the full HALRB and held a public hearing on the proposed local designation at its monthly meeting on December 21, 2011. The HALRB voted unanimously to accept the findings and directed that the supporting documentation for the proposed Calloway Cemetery local historic district be submitted to the County Board for its review and consideration.

Staff and the HALRB agree that the Calloway Cemetery is worthy of being protected and celebrated as an Arlington Historic District. The Calloway Cemetery was found to meet three specific designation criteria as listed in Section 31A, Part C.1.d of the Arlington Zoning Ordinance:

- Two: Its character, interest, or value as part of the development, heritage, or cultural characteristics of the county, state, or nation:** Association with 1) post-Civil War era African-American history and genealogy in Alexandria/Arlington County; and 2) history of the Hall's Hill/High View Park neighborhood.
- Ten: Its potential to yield information important to the prehistory or history of the county, state, or nation:** Further genealogical study of the individuals interred in the cemetery and their relatives will yield information related to any possible connection to Freedman's Village and their contributions to both Hall's Hill specifically and Arlington's African-American history in general. Additional study of the individual grave markers (materials, inscriptions, symbols, etc.) may reveal information about early-20<sup>th</sup> century African-American and/or Methodist burial practices and traditions in Alexandria/Arlington County.
- Eleven: Its suitability for preservation or restoration:** Although the last burial occurred in 1959, the cemetery is still maintained by the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church and descendants of several of the interred still frequent the cemetery. Many of the grave markers are legible and in sound condition, yet others are unstable, in need of

repair, or are even unmarked. Preservation of the Calloway Cemetery by local historic district designation will guide the appropriate maintenance of the grave markers, continue to protect the site as sacred ground, and promote the importance of the cemetery to the Hall's Hill community and to Arlington County.

The priority for preservation of the site will involve maintaining the historical and physical integrity of the existing gravestones. The current church leadership has expressed interest in installing a fence around the cemetery and creating markers for the unmarked graves. The HPP staff looks forward to working with the church leaders on such improvements to the site through the Certificate of Appropriateness process.

In conclusion, the HALRB has correctly followed the guidelines and procedures that have been established in Section 31A of the Arlington Zoning Ordinance for the creation of local historic districts. The property owners initiated and are enthusiastically in favor of the proposed local historic designation of the Calloway Cemetery and submitted a formal letter of support in December 2011 (Attachment G).

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The proposed local designation of the Calloway Cemetery has no fiscal impact to the County.

**CONCLUSION:** Staff recommends that the County Board authorize advertisement of public hearings by the Planning Commission on February 27, 2012, and the County Board on March 10, 2012, to consider the attached ordinance to designate the Calloway Cemetery, located at 5000 Lee Hwy., as a local historic district and to create an historic district zoning overlay to consist only of the cemetery portion of the site.

**ATTACHMENT A**

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE ADVERTISEMENT OF PUBLIC HEARINGS TO CONSIDER AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE CALLOWAY CEMETERY, LOCATED AT 5000 LEE HWY., WHICH INCLUDES APPROXIMATELY 7,100 SQUARE FEET AND IS THE PORTION OF THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS RPC # 08-002-004 THAT LIES WEST OF THE PARKING LOT AND DRIVEWAY FOR THE CALLOWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, AS AN HISTORIC DISTRICT OVERLAY ZONE, AT THE FEBRUARY 27, 2012, PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE MARCH 10, 2012, COUNTY BOARD MEETINGS.**

The County Board of Arlington County hereby resolves to authorize the advertisement of public hearings to consider an ordinance to designate the Calloway Cemetery, located at 5000 Lee Hwy. which includes approximately 7,100 square feet and is that part of the property known as RPC # 08-002-004 that lies west of the parking lot and driveway for the Calloway United Methodist Church, as an Historic District and Overlay Zone, at the February 27, 2012, Planning Commission and the March 10, 2012, County Board meetings.

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Z – 2554 – 11-1 HISTORIC DISTRICT  
Proposed Historic District designation of the Calloway Cemetery  
located at 5000 Lee Hwy.

AN ORDINANCE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 31A OF THE ARLINGTON COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE AND THE HISTORICAL AFFAIRS AND LANDMARK REVIEW BOARD SUBMITTAL Z-2554-11-1, TO DESIGNATE THE CALLOWAY CEMETERY, LOCATED AT 5000 LEE HWY. AND DESCRIBED HEREIN, AS AN HISTORIC DISTRICT IN ORDER TO PRESERVE OBJECTS WITHIN ARLINGTON COUNTY HAVING IMPORTANT HISTORIC, ARCHITECTURAL, ARCHAEOLOGICAL OR CULTURAL INTEREST AND TO FACILITATE THE CREATION OF A CONVENIENT, ATTRACTIVE AND HARMONIOUS COMMUNITY AND PROTECT AGAINST THE DESTRUCTION OF OR ENCROACHMENT UPON HISTORIC AREAS.

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WHEREAS, the Historical Affairs and Landmark Review Board (HALRB), based upon research, analysis, and study contained in the County's Historic District Designation Form and other information considered by it, recommends that the Calloway Cemetery be designated as an Historic District; and

WHEREAS, based on that form and other information presented to the County Board, and after a duly advertised public hearing, the Board finds that the property meets three of the eleven designation criteria listed in Section 31A, Part C.1.d of the Arlington Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the County Manager recommends that the County Board designate the property as an Historic District; and

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WHEREAS, the County Board finds that the historic and cultural significance of the property qualifies it for designation as an Historic District and that such designation will protect against destruction of or encroachment upon historic areas.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the property in Arlington County known as the Calloway Cemetery, located at 5000 Lee Hwy., which includes approximately 7,100 square feet and is part of the property known as Real Property Code # 08-002-004 that lies west of the parking lot and driveway for the Calloway United Methodist Church, (and which is shown on the map that is attached hereto as the westernmost portion of the parcel, is hereby designated as an historic district pursuant to Section 31A of the Arlington County Zoning Ordinance, and Historical Affairs and Landmark Review Board submittal Z-2554-11-1 on file in the Office of the Zoning Administrator, and the zoning map is hereby amended to record the designation as an Historic District overlay zone. All land and objects comprising the cemetery portion of 5000 Lee Hwy. is included within the boundary of the Calloway Cemetery Historic District.

**ARLINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
HISTORIC DISTRICT DESIGNATION FORM**

**1. NAME OF PROPERTY**

**Historic Name:** Calloway Cemetery  
**Other Name:** Calloway United Methodist Church Cemetery

**2. LOCATION OF PROPERTY**

**Street and Number:** 5000 Lee Highway  
**County, State, Zip code:** Arlington, Virginia 22207

**3. TYPE OF PROPERTY**

**A. Ownership of Property:** **B. Category of Property:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Building(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Public	<input type="checkbox"/> District
<input type="checkbox"/> Local	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Site
<input type="checkbox"/> State	<input type="checkbox"/> Structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal	<input type="checkbox"/> Object

**C. Number of Resources:**

<b>Contributing/Noncontributing</b>		
___	___	<b>Buildings</b>
___	___	<b>Sites</b>
___	___	<b>Structures</b>
<u>53</u>	___	<b>Objects</b>
<u>53</u>	___	<b>Total</b>

**D. Listing in the National Register of Historic Places:**

Yes  No

**4. FUNCTION OR USE**

**Historic Function:** Cemetery  
**Current Function:** Cemetery

## **5. DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY**

**Setting:** Both the Calloway United Methodist Church and Calloway Cemetery are sited on a sloping grassy lot off the southern side of Lee Highway across from the North Dinwiddie Street intersection (see Attachment C, Maps 1 through 3). The cemetery is situated on the western side of the property and extends north to south along the full depth of the parcel from Lee Highway to 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North. The cemetery is located to the immediate west of the church's asphalt driveway (see Attachment C, Photo 1). A wooden fence and remnants of a concrete block retaining wall separate the cemetery from the adjacent residential and commercial properties along the western boundary. A five-foot wide concrete sidewalk separates the front edge of the cemetery from Lee Highway.

**Materials:** Grave markers include concrete, marble, granite, slate, metal, and stones of unknown type. The majority of the visible graves have either concrete or marble markers.

## **6. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**

### **A. Applicable Designation Criteria as described in Section 31A, Historic Preservation Districts:**

Calloway Cemetery meets three of the eleven designation criteria as listed in Section 31A, Part C.1.d. See Section K of this report for a detailed description of the criteria.

### **B. Areas of Significance:**

Maintained continuously by the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church, the Calloway Cemetery is one of two church-affiliated, historic African-American grave yards in the Hall's Hill/High View Park neighborhood. Of these two historic cemeteries, Calloway is the oldest, most intact and best maintained, and the only Methodist-associated cemetery in the community. Although there are currently five historic cemeteries that are designated Arlington Historic Districts, the Calloway Cemetery is the first African-American cemetery to be officially studied and documented in-depth by the County and will be the first African-American cemetery to be designated in its entirety as an Arlington Historic District.

### **C. Period of Significance:**

The earliest known interment dates to 1891 and the last known interment was in 1959. There are several unmarked graves in the cemetery, but it is unknown if any pre-date the 1891 burial.

**D. Significant Dates:**

1891 (1<sup>st</sup> burial in cemetery); 1904 (existing church built); 1959 (last burial in cemetery); 1960 (10 graves removed for widening of Lee Highway).

**E. Significant Persons:**

**Winsted Calloway (1843-1891):** Methodist minister who is the namesake of the Calloway United Methodist Church and Cemetery. Born March 18, 1843, in Bedford County, VA. Led congregations in the following Washington Methodist Episcopal Conferences: Franklin (1875-77); Langley (1878-80); Abingdon (1881-83); Christiansburg (1884); Liberty (1885-87); and White Hall (1888-90). Died January 23, 1891.<sup>1</sup>

**Margaret Hyson (1825-1891):** One of the early leaders of Calloway Methodist Church.

**F. Cultural/Social Affiliation:**

Post-Civil War African-American community of the Hall's Hill/High View Park neighborhood.

**G. Architects/Builders:** Not applicable.

**H. Narrative Statement of Significance:**

**Historic context of African-American Cemeteries**

Many known or church-affiliated historic African-American cemeteries in the South date to the 1860s and 1870s when freed slaves started establishing their own communities and churches<sup>2</sup> and were given the opportunity to purchase their own land. Local residents often volunteered to dig graves rather than families hiring a professional grave digger. Black-owned funeral homes and mortuary businesses were an integral part of African-American communities and provided important services that typically were not provided prior to desegregation.

The physical layout and appearance of historic African-American cemeteries differ from Euro-American cemeteries. It was common for African-American cemeteries to have little or no formal landscaping, with native trees and shrubbery present and sometimes ornamental plants or vegetation used to mark grave locations. Graves tended to be randomly placed and scattered instead of placed in a symmetrical arrangement. The absence of grave vaults often resulted in uneven terrain. Wooden coffins, marked by simple wood or stone monuments, some made or inscribed by hand, were typical, as were unmarked graves or those marked only by fieldstones placed on end. Deep depressions in the landscape may be the location of unmarked graves. Research suggests that such simple or temporary markings indicate that it was not necessarily important for future generations to be able to identify specific grave locations. Temporary

markers also helped ensure that the cemetery stayed available to family members who wanted to be buried with their relatives. Rather than defining an African-American cemetery in terms of square feet, it was more common to view it in terms of “there is always room for one more person.”<sup>3</sup>

Regarding African-American burial traditions, studies of mid- and late-19<sup>th</sup> century cemeteries reveal that the deceased were buried uniformly east to west, with the head to the west.<sup>4</sup> Freedmen burials after the Civil War typically featured shallow graves not deeper than about four feet, with coffins and burial shrouds common. Some anthropologists have suggested that marking graves with plants reflects an African belief in the living spirit. Among the most common traditions was the placement of offerings on top of graves or markers. Such offerings typically were personal belongings of the deceased, ranging from pottery and dishes, shells and stones, to personal items like medicines or favorite tokens. Some theories contend that the symbolism of the offered objects is that of the body destroyed by death, or even that the selected objects guard the grave and prevent the spirits of the dead from returning to influence those still living. Additionally, research indicates that although it is likely to have several generations of a family buried in the same cemetery, it was less important for them to share a specific plot or be buried near one another.

### **Brief History of Hall’s Hill/High View Park**

The namesake of the Hall’s Hill community is Bazil Hall, one of Alexandria County’s most prominent land owners from approximately 1850 until his death in 1888.<sup>5</sup> He purchased a 327-acre farm in 1850, which he called the “Hall Homestead Tract.”<sup>6</sup> Hall owned several slaves and his family reportedly was very hard on its servants.<sup>7</sup> Interestingly, even though he was a slave owner, Hall voted against secession and “was a loyal Union man who supported and treated all Union troops well.”<sup>8</sup> According to Federal census records, the value of Hall’s farm in 1860 was \$10,000, with his personal property valued at \$15,000. In addition to an orchard with about 500 fruit trees, Hall had approximately 125 acres under cultivation and the rest as woodlands. He also owned several mules and horses, 17 cattle, and 40 to 50 hogs. Hall’s dwelling, valued at \$3,000 and described as “a large and well-furnished mansion” before the Civil War began, sat atop a 400-foot high hill that he called “Hall’s Hill.”

During the Civil War, the Hall Homestead was devastated by not only the large encampment of Union troops in the immediate vicinity, but by the shelling and burning of the home and barn by the Confederates in August 1861.<sup>9</sup> While Hall sought refuge at his sister Mary’s summer home on North Glebe Road, he brought two of his slaves, a nine-year old named Jim and a 12-year old named Bill.<sup>10</sup> According to Alexandria County land records, Hall began to sell off several lots from his Homestead Tract in 1866.<sup>11</sup> Hall also filed a claim with the Southern Claims Commission for more than \$40,000-worth of damages and loss of personal property during the War; however, he received not quite \$11,000 in 1872.<sup>12</sup> By the time of the 1870 census, Hall’s land value dropped to only \$6,400 and his personal property was worth just

\$30.<sup>13</sup> In the 1870s, Hall served as Justice of the Peace in the Washington District of Alexandria County.<sup>14</sup> Basil Hall died in May 1888.<sup>15</sup>

Following the Civil War, the name “Hall’s Hill” assumed additional significance for the surrounding community. The currently named neighborhood of High View Park, originally known as, and still often referred to as Hall’s Hill, was established by newly freed slaves.<sup>16</sup> Hall’s Hill, originally the upper section of the neighborhood, was derived from portions of the estates of William Marcey and Basil Hall, who sold off most of his land holdings to freed slaves.<sup>17</sup> The lower section of the community was called both High View Park and the “bottom of the hill.” The whole neighborhood was renamed High View Park in 1965 to honor its spectacular view of the County. Into the 21<sup>st</sup> century, High View Park remains one of the few surviving predominantly African American neighborhoods in Arlington and also “holds the distinction of fostering at least four generations of Black families whose roots date back to the founding of the community.”<sup>18</sup>

### **Brief History of Calloway United Methodist Church and Calloway Cemetery**

The Calloway Cemetery is affiliated with and maintained by the adjacent Calloway United Methodist Church, the older of two African-American churches in the Hall’s Hill community. The origins of the church date to 1866, when several people who lived near the Hall’s Hill neighborhood of Alexandria County (now Arlington) gathered for prayer services at the home of Mr. Samuel Smith.<sup>19</sup> Smith lived on the Frederick B. Saegmuller Farm, approximately two miles away from the present site of the Calloway Church.<sup>20</sup> On August 8, 1870, trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church purchased a 1,350-square foot lot from Alexander Parker and built a modest church in the 4800 block of Lee Highway.<sup>21</sup> By the 1880s, the congregation had outgrown the small building and desired a new location. In 1888, Moses Jackson, a church trustee, conveyed a half-acre of land to the Methodist Episcopal Church as a place of divine worship. The church constructed a temporary building until a larger church was completed in 1904 at 5000 Lee Highway.<sup>22</sup> The remaining half-acre that encompasses the present church lot was sold to Calloway Church by the trustees of the Wilson Lodge in 1953.<sup>23</sup> The original parsonage was demolished in 1964 and replaced with the existing two-story frame dwelling.<sup>24</sup> The original church was renovated and expanded in 1979, with Julius Dickerson as the project architect.<sup>25</sup> The \$235,000 renovation almost doubled the original square footage of the church and featured an open bell tower, an expanded choir loft, a new front entrance vestibule, and new educational classrooms and meeting space.<sup>26</sup> See Photos 2 through 5 in Attachment C for images of the existing church and overall views of the cemetery. A complete list of ministers from the origins of the church through the present is included at the end of this narrative as Appendix A.

In addition to hosting religious services, Calloway United Methodist Church served as a gathering place for many community groups and organizations.<sup>27</sup> For many years, the church provided recreational activities for teenagers in the Hall’s Hill area before there were such programs available in the greater community. During the Civil Rights movement, Calloway

Church was one of the first to offer aid to the students preparing for the struggle to integrate schools, restaurants, and theaters. In May 1968, the church provided meals and lodging to participants of Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Resurrection City campaign on the National Mall in Washington, DC.

In the late-1950s and early-1960s, the northernmost portion of Calloway Cemetery was impacted by a road improvement project that involved the widening of a section of Lee Highway (State Route 29/211) immediately in front of the Calloway United Methodist Church. The official project number assigned by the state was #1700-06. The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services has a set of construction drawings for the project from the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT); these design plans were originally dated April 28, 1958 and then revised nine times through February 27, 1961. According to the VDOT drawings, six individual graves from Calloway Cemetery (indicated as crosses on the construction plans) were located within the project right-of-way (see Attachment C, Map 4). Correspondence from the VDOT archives in Richmond, however, reveals in fact that several more graves were impacted by the project. In a letter dated May 14, 1960, from Mr. Samuel A. Tucker, Jr., of his own real estate and insurance firm in Alexandria, to Mr. T.W. Ross, the District R/W (right-of-way) Engineer with the Commonwealth of Virginia's Department of Highways, Tucker states that ten graves were affected and the remains of ten bodies were removed from Calloway Cemetery and relocated to Coleman Cemetery (which is in the Alexandria section of southern Fairfax County at 1900 Collingwood Road).<sup>28</sup>

A Virginia Department of Highways inter-departmental memo dated just days later on May 18, 1960, states that Tucker was the chairman of the Coleman Cemetery at the time and that each grave removal would cost \$55.<sup>29</sup> The Chinn Funeral Home, now known as the Chinn Baker Funeral Home and still located at 2605 South Shirlington Road in Nauck, had already submitted a bill to the Commonwealth for \$1,850 for their services in handling the removal and reburial of the affected Calloway graves. The total cost of the reinterments was \$2,400, with all the associated work completed on April 2, 1960. The trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church do not have any documentation or paperwork related to this event, so it is uncertain if any additional unmarked graves were impacted by the construction project.

On December 9, 1959, the Circuit Court of Arlington County issued a condemnation decree to the State Highway Commissioner of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to obtain the additional land from Calloway Church that was needed to widen Lee Highway.<sup>30</sup> The church trustees listed in the deed included: Mervin E. Williams; James H. Funches; George M. Jones; Kenneth D. Brown; Henry Faggins; Charles W. Chinn; Goodsell H. McBride; Isiah Hale; and Earl C. Riley. The trustees received a lump settlement payment of \$5,819, estimated by the State Highway Commissioner "to be the fair value of the land"<sup>31</sup> and agreed by all parties to be just compensation. The condemnation deed specifically mentioned the existence of graves in the project area:

...that there appear to be located within the subject property to be used for State Highway purposes certain unidentified graves; that

neither the trustees and officers of the said church nor the State Highway Commissioner has been able to ascertain the identities of the next of kin or other persons having any interest in the remains of the persons buried therein, notwithstanding diligent inquiry; that the petitioner is willing and has agreed with the officers and trustees of the said church to disinter and transport and reinter the said remains in a suitable cemetery in the vicinity, and that such action ought to be approved and confirmed by the court....

It is not known why Coleman Cemetery was selected for the re-interments from Calloway Cemetery. Even though Calloway Cemetery has a grave marker for a Rachel Coleman, it is unknown if this is a family connection to Coleman Cemetery. Research conducted for this project has revealed that the three-acre Coleman Cemetery was purchased by trustees of the Churches and Fraternities Cemetery Association of Alexandria, Virginia, in October 1944.<sup>32</sup> Many, though not all, of the burials at Coleman are African-American.<sup>33</sup> In addition to the burials from Calloway, an unknown number of African-American graves were removed from the Odd Fellows Cemetery (formerly located near the intersection of Columbia Pike and Washington Boulevard) around 1964 and then reinterred at Coleman.<sup>34</sup> Since there is not an office at Coleman Cemetery, it was not possible to research its records for mention of the Calloway burials. Site visits to Coleman Cemetery by both County staff and representatives from Calloway United Methodist Church were unsuccessful in determining where exactly the Calloway burials were located within the cemetery.

In 1976, the Arlington County Historical Commission undertook a study to identify and inventory various historic buildings throughout the County. By December 1976, 90 sites were included on the evaluation list to assess their historic significance and to establish “a priority listing of buildings for detailed survey.”<sup>35</sup> In a staff memo entitled “Historic Sites” dated September 1977, the Calloway United Methodist Church and Cemetery were included in a list of 15 historic sites “which may be fairly easily identified for historic landmarks...[based on their] location and whether or not research of some sign has been completed [to date].”<sup>36</sup> By March 1978, the Historic Landmark Review Board first began deliberations to consider the list of 15 sites for landmark status; however, Calloway was the only item deferred and not moved forward for a public hearing.<sup>37</sup> By September of that year, the Review Board had completed a brief historic district designation survey form for the Calloway United Methodist Church. Interestingly, the form did not mention the Calloway Cemetery.

At the October 1978 meeting of the Review Board, the Board voted unanimously to consider the landmark designation of the Calloway United Methodist Church at a public hearing in May 1979 (again, there was no specific mention of the cemetery).<sup>38</sup> In advance of the hearing, the Arlington County Historical Commission reviewed the designation request at its March 1979 meeting. The Commission voted unanimously to support the designation of the church as an historic district.<sup>39</sup> At the May public hearing, attendee James Brown (affiliation unknown) requested that the designation request for Calloway be deferred “until the present church

renovation effort was completed” and invited Board members to meet with church officials to discuss the proposed plans.<sup>40</sup> Although the deferral was scheduled for the hearing on November 7, 1979, the minutes from this meeting could not be located in either the Historic Preservation Program Office records or those at the Virginia Room at Arlington Central Library. No subsequent references to the designation request for Calloway were found in Review Board or Commission records. It is unknown if the original designation request was deferred continually or if a formal motion was made to withdraw the request. It is also unclear if the Calloway Cemetery was excluded from the initial designation application.

### **The Burials at Calloway Cemetery**

The Calloway Cemetery is sited on a grassy parcel adjacent to the paved asphalt driveway of Calloway United Methodist Church. No signage identifies the cemetery, nor is there any fencing around the perimeter. Its western boundary is partially delineated by a wooden picket fence that separates the cemetery from the adjacent residential property at 5007 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North. Remnants of a concrete block and flagstone retaining wall separate the northwestern boundary of the cemetery from the adjacent commercial property at 5010 Lee Highway. All available space has been used for interments. The site is manicured and well-maintained by the church trustees. Several grave markers are adorned with floral arrangements from family members who still frequent the cemetery. At least two original gravestones (those for Carrie M. Carrington and Thelma C. Newman) have been replaced recently with new markers by family members.

Church representatives have concerns about vandalism in the cemetery, particularly the toppling of gravestones. The installation of a permanent fence around the cemetery would hopefully deter such activity; recommendations for appropriate fencing are included in the accompanying proposed *Calloway Cemetery Historic District Design Guidelines* (Attachment D). The church trustees also are considering a system by which to mark individual grave locations below the surface in the event that stones are damaged, removed, or switched due to vandalism.

The cemetery has a high degree of historic integrity as defined by the National Park Service, including integrity of location, setting, design, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association. The overall physical condition of the individual grave markers also is very much intact. There is some minor evidence of slight cracks and instability of several markers; a few are being kept upright by concrete blocks propped behind the stones. Whereas most of the gravestones are visible above ground, several of the graves with concrete borders or rims around their perimeter have sunken slightly so as to be concealed by grass over time. Gentle cleaning of each individual stone is recommended to remove algae and dirt from the stone surfaces. This also will make inscriptions more legible.

Unfortunately, no original church records pertaining to the Calloway Cemetery or its burials have been maintained by the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church. In order to complete the proposed historic district designation request, it was necessary to conduct

extensive research to learn more about the individuals interred at the site. The earliest known recordation of graves at Calloway Cemetery dates to 1985 when the Arlington Genealogy Club, in collaboration with the National Genealogical Society, produced a publication entitled *Graveyards of Arlington County, Virginia*. The report features brief histories of private- and publicly-owned cemeteries throughout the County, as well as the names and birth and/or death dates of the interred. A description of Calloway Cemetery is included and the specific survey data is listed according to the arrangement of the graves from 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North toward Lee Highway, from front to rear.<sup>41</sup> The volunteers surveyed and recorded a total of 33 gravestones.

It is important to note that this 1985 study was the primary source of information about the cemetery and therefore formed the basis for the current documentation project. County staff conducted extensive additional research on those interred at Calloway by using: Federal census and military records; birth, marriage, and death registers; obituaries; and other genealogical sources. Staff updated the 1985 data accordingly with the new findings and created an individual survey form for each known grave marker in the cemetery. The survey forms include photographs and physical descriptions of the markers, as well as known biographical information about the deceased (e.g., names, birth and/or death dates, names of spouses and/or children, occupations). The data as presented serves two main purposes: 1) to document the existing conditions of each of the gravestones; and 2) to serve as the basis for future research about the individuals buried at Calloway Cemetery. The survey forms are found in Attachment E.

Several of the graves identified in the 1985 survey no longer have their grave markers, including Edward A. Felder, Baby Ferguson, Sarah Hyson, Martha Mansfield, Margaret Moten, Della Rhubottom, Ernest Snowden, and Leon Snowden. It can be assumed that these markers have been removed due to damage or vandalism, or possibly were even unmarked at the time but locations known through association. The County preservation staff suggests that the church trustees consult with members of the congregation, particularly older members, to determine if the burial locations of any of these individuals are known. If any can be identified, they should be marked appropriately. It also has been determined that there is an unknown number of unmarked graves in the cemetery, several of which are located closer to 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North according to family members.

With permission from the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church, County staff also conducted ground-penetrating probing of the entire cemetery as part of the local historic district designation process. Probing is a minimally intrusive archaeological technique used to help determine the location of underground gravestones or burials. During probing, a thin metal rod is inserted several inches into the ground at a slight angle in order to detect any abnormalities or objects in the layers of soil beneath the surface. An object beneath the soil can be determined by a “pinging” sound when the probe hits a hard surface such as a natural rock or manmade marker. The probing fieldwork was completed from October 5 to December 8, 2010 by trained archaeologist and volunteer Patrick L. O’Neill, of the Northern Virginia Chapter of the Archaeological Society of Virginia, with the assistance of County Historic Preservation Program staff. It is estimated that approximately 36,000 to 40,000 probes were placed across the site, with

each significant find being mapped, recorded, and photographed.<sup>42</sup> The probing investigation provides important information to the County and the church trustees to help determine how best to preserve the site and protect the known grave locations (see Attachment C, Photos 6 through 10 for images of the probing fieldwork and several of the discoveries that were made).

Fifty-six items were found during the probing exercise, including large natural stones (some placed vertically), concrete slabs, concrete grave curbs or edging, brass plates, several plates cut from a metal sign, and marble slab fragments.<sup>43</sup> The metal plates made from a sign are believed to have been placed on the site either during or as a result of the 1985 site survey. Of the total items revealed during probing, the archaeological evidence suggests that there could potentially be another 43 unmarked graves in the cemetery.<sup>44</sup> Combined with the 53 visible surface markers, ranging from formal inscribed headstones to simple unmarked stones, the Calloway Cemetery could contain approximately 96 burials. Attachment F contains site plan maps A-1 through A-4 that indicate the location of known and probable burials. The numbered graves on site plan map A-3 correspond to the individual gravestone survey forms in Attachment E.

In October 2010, County preservation staff created a two-page questionnaire about the cemetery that was distributed by the church trustees to the members of the congregation. Staff hoped to gather additional information pertaining to possible burials, the physical appearance of the site over time, the removal of burials in 1960, or historic photographs. Six completed surveys were received. The results show that at least ten additional individuals without gravestones are buried in the cemetery, including Leroy Brown, Richard A. Brown, Aaron Russell Carpenter, Buella Carpenter, Juanita Carpenter, Julia Ann Carpenter, Oscar Carpenter, Wilbur Carpenter, Booker T. Forman, and Edlow Moten. Respondents also shared that the cemetery has always been well-maintained and sometimes burials were done instead at nearby Mt. Salvation Baptist Church on North Culpeper Street. Interestingly, one of the respondents said that prior to 1965, the Commonwealth of Virginia did not record the deaths of African Americans. Family members would have to go to Washington, DC, to have the death recorded – if they even wanted it recorded – but some families just buried their loved ones without going through the formal recordation process. Copies of the completed questionnaires are available in the County’s Historic Preservation Program office.

### **I. Significant Features:**

The most significant feature of the Calloway Cemetery is its assortment of grave markers of varying type, material, age, and ornamentation. The priority for preservation of the site will involve maintaining the historic and physical integrity of the individual gravestones and the site as a whole, as well as clearly defining the boundaries of the cemetery.

**J. Areas Exempt from Designation:**

The buildings associated with the Calloway United Methodist Church (including the church itself and the parsonage) and all land within the legal property boundary that includes and is east of the paved driveway are excluded from the historic district boundary at this time, as per the request of the current church trustees.

**K. Designation Criteria:**

The Calloway Cemetery meets designation criteria two, ten, and eleven as listed in Section 31A, Part C.1.d.

**Two: Its character, interest, or value as part of the development, heritage, or cultural characteristics of the county, state, or nation:** Association with 1) post-Civil War era African-American history and genealogy in Alexandria/Arlington County; and 2) history of the Hall's Hill/High View Park neighborhood.

**Ten: Its potential to yield information important to the prehistory or history of the county, state, or nation:** Further genealogical study of the individuals interred in the cemetery and their relatives will yield information related to any possible connection to Freedman's Village and their contributions to both Hall's Hill specifically and Arlington's African-American history in general. Additional study of the individual grave markers (materials, inscriptions, symbols, etc.) may reveal information about early-20<sup>th</sup> century African-American and/or Methodist burial practices and traditions in Alexandria/Arlington County.

**Eleven: Its suitability for preservation or restoration:** Although the last burial occurred in 1959, the cemetery is still maintained by the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church and descendants of several of the interred still frequent the cemetery. Many of the grave markers are legible and in sound condition, yet others are unstable, in need of repair, or are even unmarked. Preservation of the Calloway Cemetery by local historic district designation will guide the appropriate maintenance of the grave markers, continue to protect the site as sacred ground, and promote the importance of the cemetery to the Hall's Hill community and to Arlington County.

**L. Conclusion:**

This request for local historic district designation was initiated by the current trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church. Since 2008, the Historic Preservation Program staff has been in close collaboration with the trustees and church leadership and has received their full cooperation and support during both the research and field survey phases of the project. Upon completion of the designation process, the trustees anticipate officially celebrating the designation to mark the 145<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Calloway United Methodist Church. A formal letter of support from the church leadership can be found in Attachment G.

The Calloway Cemetery retains sufficient historic and physical integrity to be recommended for local historic district designation by Arlington County. It is the oldest known church-affiliated African-American cemetery in Hall’s Hill (and possibly in Arlington County) and represents an important connection to Arlington’s undocumented African-American heritage. The extensive historic research and archaeological probing conducted as part of this project will be invaluable to the future study and examination of not only Calloway Cemetery, but also additional cemeteries and African-American sites in the County.

**7. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

**Acreage of Property:** Approximately 0.16-acre (about 7,100 square feet)  
**RPC Number:** 08002004 (westernmost portion only)

**Boundary Description:**

Calloway Cemetery is located on the southern side of Lee Highway, slightly west of both Calloway United Methodist Church and North Dinwiddie Street. The proposed historic district boundary is limited to only the cemetery portion of the church grounds and includes the land west of the asphalt driveway, extending the full depth of the lot from Lee Highway at the front to 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North at the rear. The cemetery contains approximately 7,100 square feet.

**Boundary Justification:**

The proposed historic district boundary consists of only the cemetery portion of the Calloway United Methodist Church property, as owned and maintained by the trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church.

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## **9. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION**

See attachments for photographs, maps, proposed design guidelines for the historic district, and survey forms of individual grave markers.

## **10. PROPERTY OWNER**

**Name:** Board of Trustees of the Calloway United Methodist Church

**Address:** 5000 Lee Highway, Arlington, VA 22207

**APPENDIX A**  
**Leadership of Calloway United Methodist Church**  
**5000 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia**

Name of Minister	Dates of Service
C.W. Walker	1871
N. Watkins	1875-1877
Winsted Calloway *	1878-1880
J.L. Henry	1881-1882
S. Aquilla	1883-1884
John H. Jackson	1885-1887
B.B. Martin, Sr.	1888-1891
Benjamin H. Nugent	1892
J. Barnett	1893-1895
John W. Galloway	1896-1901
George W. Cohen	1903
H.C. Connor	1903
George W. Cohen	1904
C.S. Harper	1905-1908
T.H. Brooks	1909-1912
Caleb E. Queen	1913-1914
Thomas N. Austin	1915-1919
Joseph G. Grant, Sr.	1920-1921
John W. Carroll	1922-1928
Ernest W. Johnson	1929-1931
John N. Yearwood	1932-1933
William N. Holt	1934
C.B. LaGrange	1935-1942
Nathan Minor	1942-1947
John F. Monroe	1947-1959
Wendell C. Beane	1959-1964
Rawle S. Porte	1964-1965
Kenneth E. Frazier	1965-1967
Douglas E. Moore	1967-1970
D.D. Felder, Sr.	1970-1972
Carl W. Renick	1972-1981
Dr. Isaac S. Paul-Coker	1981-1994
Clarence E. Acklin	1994-2001
Carroll C. Carter	2001-2005
Ralph Harris, Jr.	2005 – 2011
Sonja Flye Oliver	June 2011 – to present
<p>Sources:</p> <p>Calloway United Methodist Church 130<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Homecoming Celebration Program, 1996.</p> <p>Calloway United Methodist Church 140<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Program, 2006.</p> <p>“The Ministerial Heritage of the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church, 1773-2007,” compiled by Stephen E. Bradley, Jr., 2009. Available from the Virginia United Methodist Church Archives in Richmond.</p>	

\* Namesake of church

Calloway was born March 18, 1843 in Bedford County, VA.

*1880 Federal census*: First name listed as Winston, Black, Age 40, living in Fairfax County, occupation of Methodist Minister, wife Marinda, daughters Martha, Elizabeth, and Harriet.

Died January 23, 1891.

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<sup>6</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 21.

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<sup>18</sup> “History of High View Park and Hall’s Hill.”

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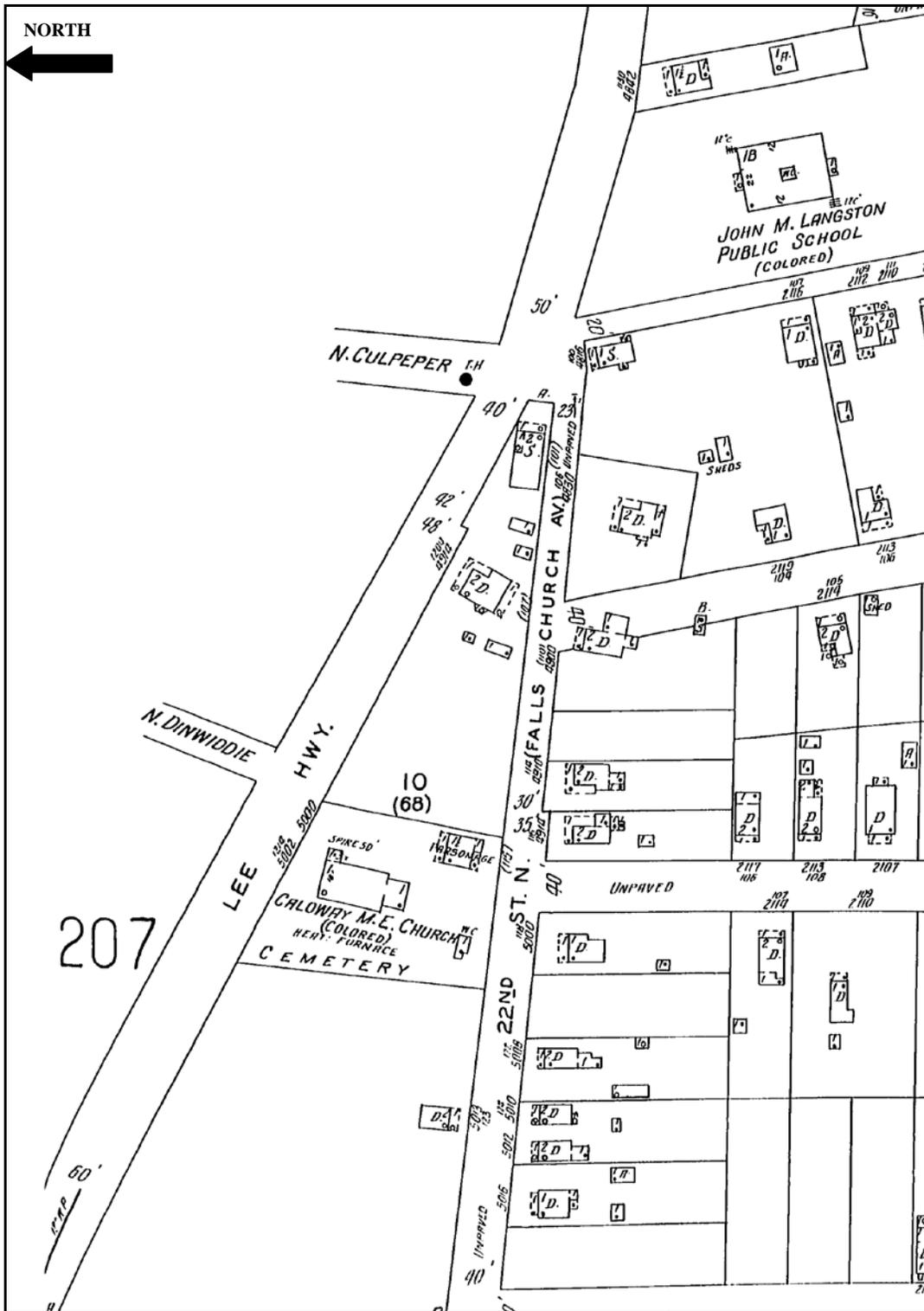
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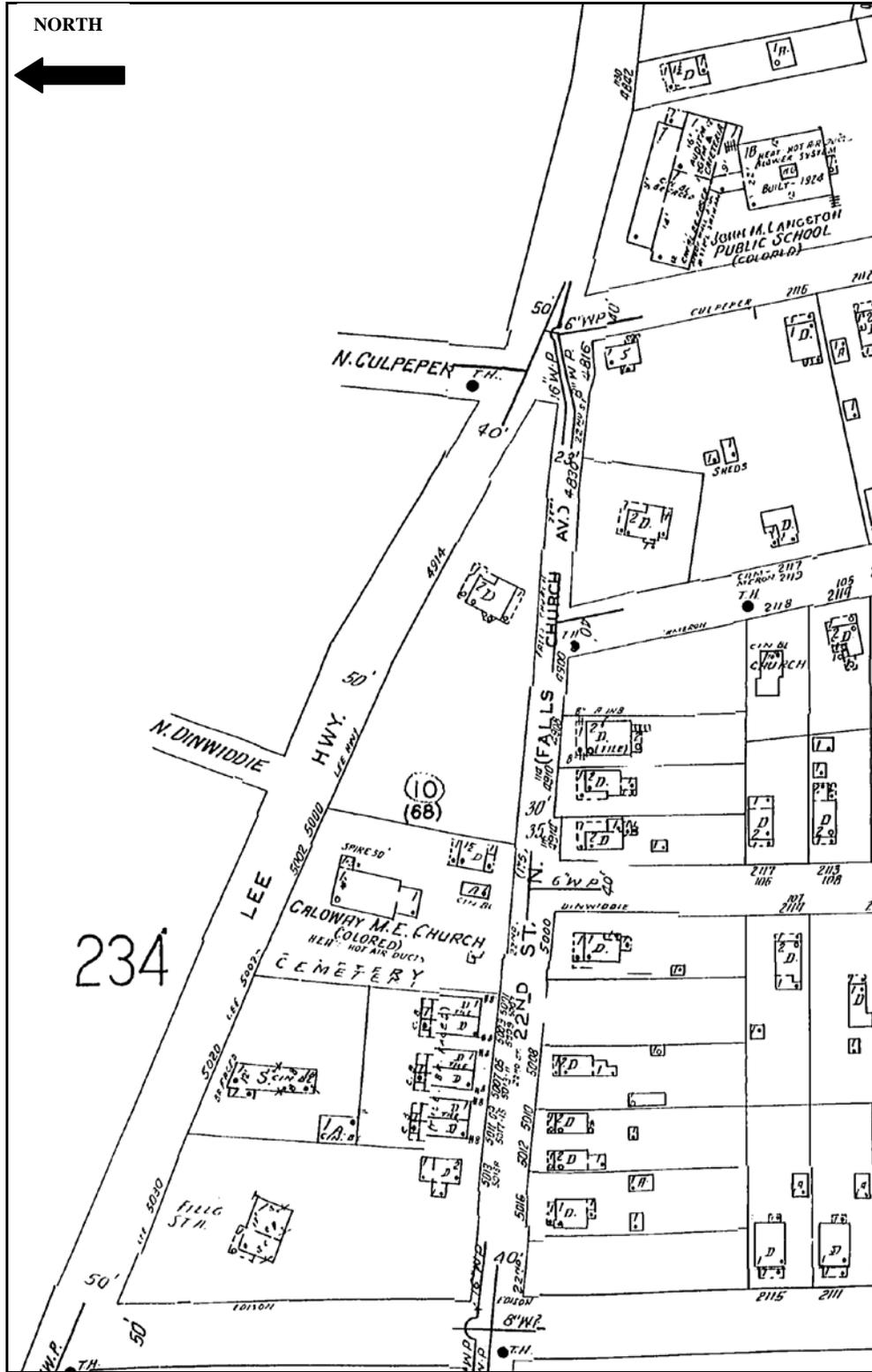
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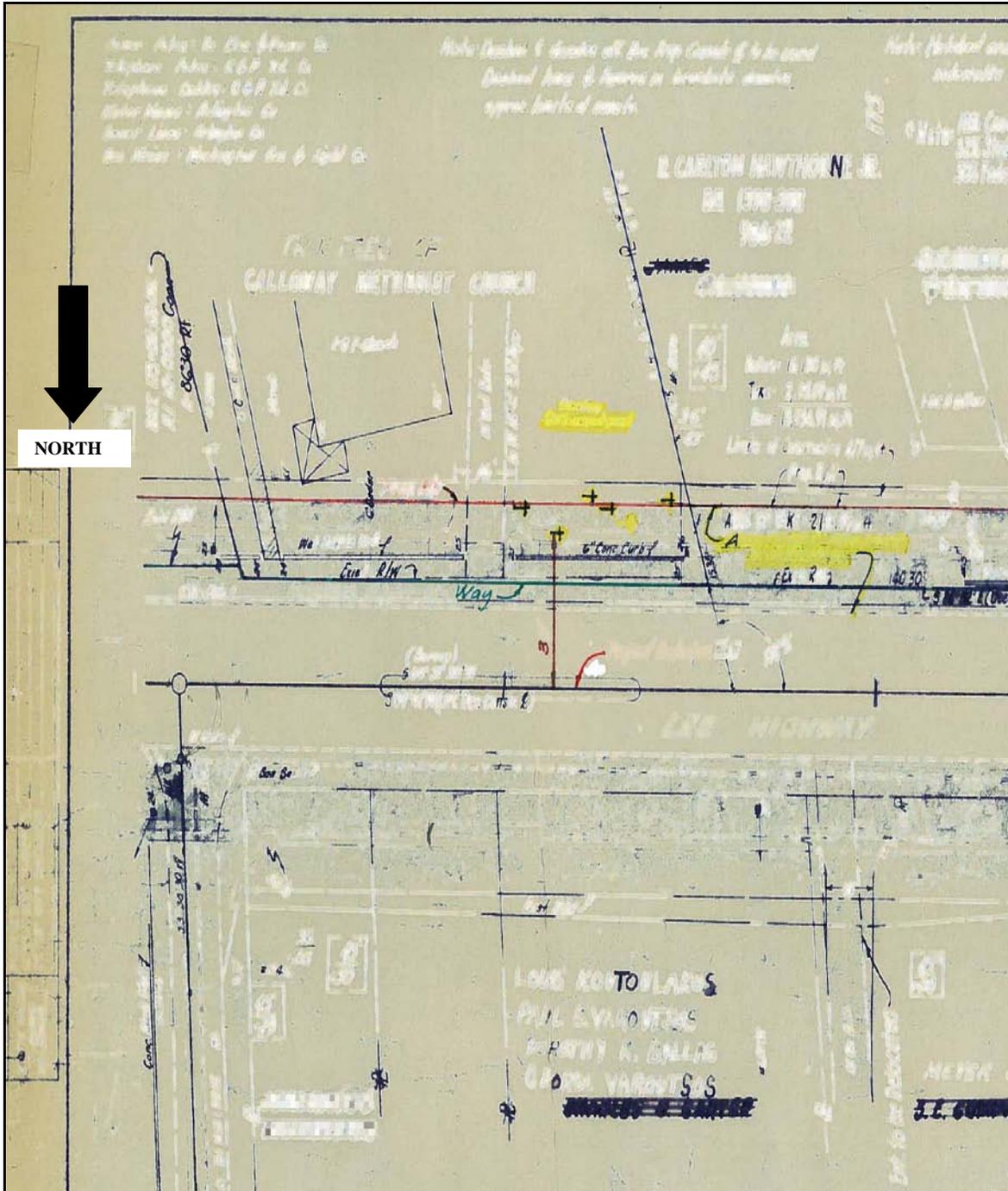
Map 1: Portion of Howell and Taylor's 1900 *Map of Alexandria County, Virginia*. The pink-colored half-acre parcel in the middle of the triangle at the center of the map is the approximate location of the Calloway United Methodist Church and Cemetery (between Lee Highway above and 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North below).



Map 2: Portion of Sheet 209 from the 1936 Sanborn Fire Insurance Map showing Calloway Methodist Church and Cemetery towards the lower left corner.



Map 3: Portion of Sheet 209 from the 1959 Sanborn Fire Insurance Map showing Calloway Methodist Church and Cemetery towards the lower left corner.



Map 4: Portion of VDOT construction drawing for the widening of Lee Highway in front of Calloway Cemetery. Drawing labeled Sheet 5 of 31 and originally dated 28 April 1958. Six crosses highlighted in yellow indicate graves to be removed prior to the construction project. Original drawing on file in the Arlington County Department of Environmental Services, with copies available in the Neighborhood Services Division, Department of Community Planning, Housing, and Development.

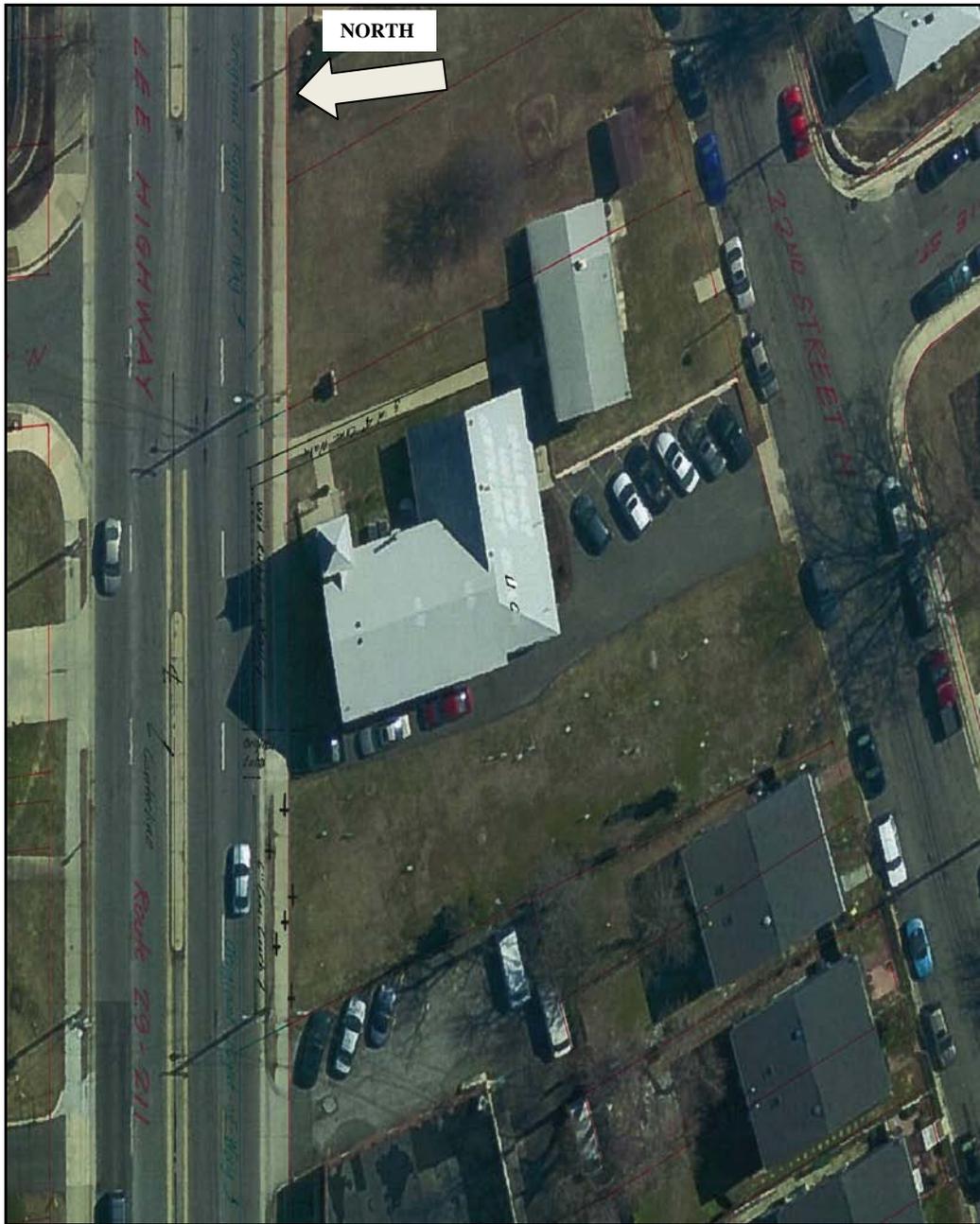


Photo 1: Aerial view of the Calloway United Methodist Church, with Calloway Cemetery located west of the church's driveway. Image courtesy of Luis Araya, Arlington County Department of Environmental Services.



Photo 2: View of Calloway United Methodist Church, 5000 Lee Highway, looking southwest. The parsonage is visible in the background at the far left, with a portion of the cemetery visible to the right of the driveway. Photo by John Liebertz, June 2010.



Photo 3: View of Calloway United Methodist Church and Cemetery, looking southeast from Lee Highway. Photo by John Liebertz, June 2010.



Photo 4: View of Calloway Cemetery, from the church driveway looking northwest towards Lee Highway. Photo by John Liebertz, June 2010.



Photo 5: View of Calloway Cemetery, from the church driveway looking southwest towards 22<sup>nd</sup> Street North. Photo by John Liebertz, June 2010.



Photo 6: John Liebertz and Marlene Oronao probe for unmarked graves. The orange flags indicate stones or potential grave locations. Photo by Patrick O'Neill, October 2010.



Photo 7: Fragment of marble grave marker uncovered during probing. Photo by Patrick O'Neill, October 2010.



Photo 8: Foot stone marker revealed during probing for the grave of Charlotte A. Chinn.  
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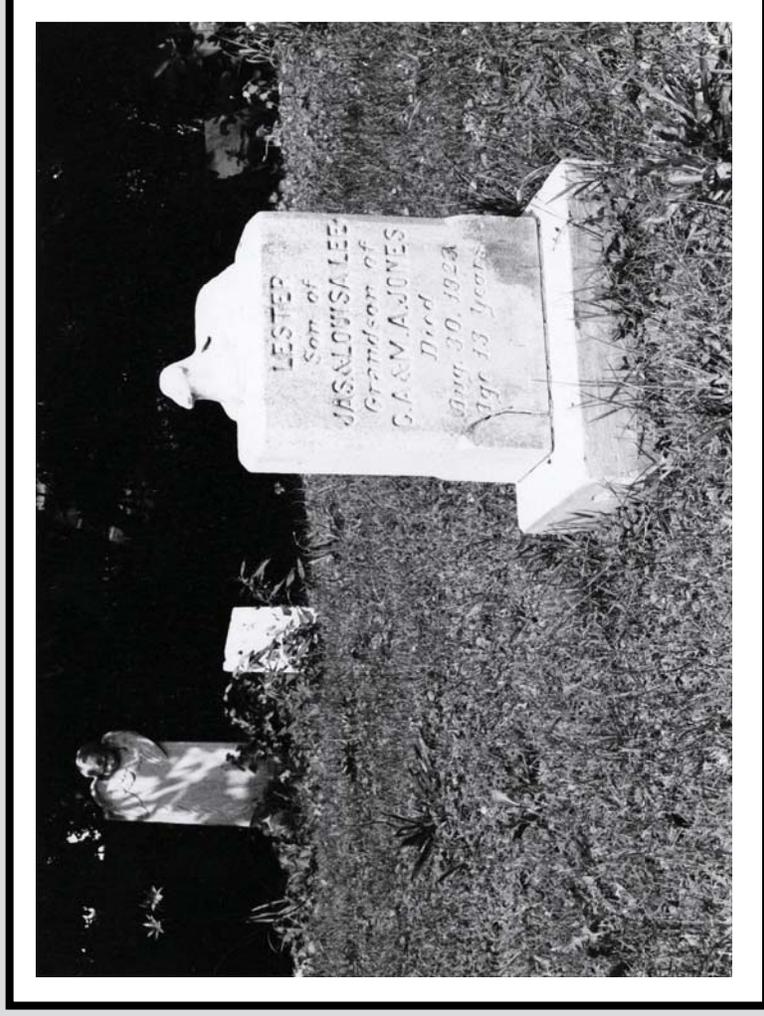


Photo 9: Brass name plate uncovered during probing that marks the grave of Orze Jones.  
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Photo 10: High View Park resident George M. Jones, Sr., age 91, standing by the graves of his father Orze Jones and nephew Donald Washington. Photo by Patrick O'Neill, October 18, 2010.

# CALLOWAY CEMETERY HISTORIC DISTRICT DESIGN GUIDELINES



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# INTRODUCTION

Calloway Cemetery is affiliated with and maintained by the adjacent Calloway United Methodist Church, the older of two African-American churches in the Hall's Hill community. The origins of the church date to 1866, when several people who lived near the Hall's Hill neighborhood of Alexandria County (now Arlington) gathered for prayer services at the home of Mr. Samuel Smith. Smith lived on the Frederick B. Saegmuller Farm, approximately two miles away from the present site of the Calloway Church. On August 8, 1870, trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church purchased a 1,350-square foot lot from Alexander Parker and built a modest church in the 4800 block of Lee Highway. By the 1880s, the congregation had outgrown the small building and desired a new location. In 1888, Moses Jackson, a church trustee, conveyed a half-acre of land to the Methodist Episcopal Church as a place of divine worship. The church constructed a temporary building until a larger church was completed in 1904 at 5000 Lee Highway. The oldest recorded marker dates to the early 1900s. However, unmarked graves at the site may be older.

Historic cemeteries are important cultural, architectural, and archaeological resources since they provide information relating to a community's past. Preservation of local cemeteries is not only important for the respect and commemoration of the interred, but for the invaluable educational opportunities that cemeteries provide in terms of genealogy and local history. Historic cemeteries reveal the lives and struggles of forgotten generations who played an instrumental role in the church and community's history. The individuals commemorated at Calloway Cemetery range from a slave who joined the Union Army in the Civil War to a high school principal. Headstones provide a vast array of information including the names and dates of individuals, religious beliefs, service in the military, and memberships in local organizations. In addition, headstones reflect local and national trends in terms of marker material, motifs, and iconography. At Calloway Cemetery, the presence of fixed field stones denoting graves in lieu of more traditional headstones reflects the area's socioeconomic status.

Historic cemeteries have deteriorated for many reasons. Continued exposure to the elements and weathering impacts materials over time. In urban areas, pollution and acid rain have turned stones black and gray. Biological degradation in forms of algae and lichen have scarred stones. Improper cleaning methods have further quickened the deterioration of the stone. Modern technology, especially lawn mowers and weed-wackers, have permanently scratched stones. The following guidelines are a combination of "preservation" standards to protect the historical integrity of the cemetery and "conservation" standards to illustrate the appropriate way of repairing damaged gravestones. (for The Secretary of Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties, see Appendix A)

# BURIAL MARKERS AT CALLOWAY CEMETERY

## FIELDSTONE

- Stone collected from the surface of a field where it occurs naturally.
- Were utilized as headstones when the interred or family of the deceased had limited economic means.
- Tends to lack carving.
- Cemetery probing revealed multiple fieldstones that had been placed in Calloway Cemetery.
- All fieldstone markers have been reburied and **SHOULD BE LEFT BURIED.**



## CONCRETE

- Composed of calcined limestone or Portland cement, clay, sand, water, and/or gravel.
- Molded into a wide variety of shapes.
- Surface textures varied depending on the techniques and aggregate.
- Locally made by a community or family member.
- Less expensive than stone markers.
- All of the bedsteads/rims are made of concrete.

# BURIAL MARKERS AT CALLOWAY CEMETERY

## MARBLE

- Metamorphic stone composed of calcium carbonate.
- Forms from the alteration of limestone under geologic pressure.
- Majority of marble found in cemeteries is white in color.
- A soft rock relative to granite that is easily scratched.
- Exposure to water and acid rain produces uneven weathering.
- Common problems include sugaring and gypsum crust.
- In the 1800s, marble was the most popular gravestone marker.
- Due to the softness of the stone, many of the marble markers have eroded to the point where the inscriptions are no longer legible.



## SLATE

- Fine-grained homogeneous, foliated, metamorphic rock.
- Derived from shale-type sedimentary rock composed of clay or volcanic ash.
- Typically grey in color.
- Low water absorption.
- Resistant to damage and breakage due to freezing.



# BURIAL MARKERS AT CALLOWAY CEMETERY

## GRANITE



- Coarse-grained igneous rock.
- Composed of quartz and sodium or potassium feldspar.
- Extremely hard and durable stone.
- Introduced in the 1870s and increased in popularity in the 20th century with advances in carving technology.

## METAL

- Calloway Cemetery has multiple blank metal plates denoting graves.
- The blank metal plates may have been utilized due to a lack of financial resources.
- There are two larger brass metal plates.
- Orze Jones, the son of the interred Jones, inscribed the metal plate to denote his father's resting place.

# HOW TO MAINTAIN A HISTORIC CEMETERY

Proper maintenance of a cemetery is key to the continued preservation of the site. A maintained cemetery welcomes visitation and will experience fewer problems with vandals. After the initial documentation, the trustees should enact a maintenance schedule that includes day-to-day, periodic, and long-term maintenance components.

SHORT TERM VS. LONG TERM GOALS	
Weeding	Landscape
Pruning	Erosion issues
Mowing	Replacement of trees and plants
Collection of trash	Installation of fence

## MOWING

Modern mowers allow for quick and easy maintenance, but are one of the major causes of irreparable damage to historic cemeteries. The private contractor/landscaper will need to understand that HISTORIC CEMETERIES REQUIRE CERTAIN PRECAUTIONS be undertaken. The following guidelines will help preserve the site.

<b><u>NOT ACCEPTABLE</u></b>	<b><u>ACCEPTABLE</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NO RIDING MOWERS</b> should be used in the cemetery. The proximity of the stones to one another is too close for the large mowers. Also, the weight of mowers may leave ruts in the soil.</li> <li>• Mower equipment <b>SHOULD NOT MAKE CONTACT</b> with stones.</li> <li>• Mowers <b>NOT FITTED</b> with special protections.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>USE WALK-BEHIND MOWERS</b> that are more controllable and lighter.</li> <li>• Grass should be cut by a mower up to and <b>NO CLOSER THAN 12 INCHES</b> from every marker.</li> <li>• The remaining grass around the marker <b>SHOULD BE TRIMMED WITH HAND TOOLS.</b></li> <li>• All mowers <b>SHOULD BE EQUIPPED WITH RUBBER BUMPERS</b> to protect the stone in case of accidental contact.</li> <li>• All mowers <b>SHOULD USE DISCHARGE GUARDS</b> to protect the gravestones from possible projected debris.</li> <li>• Clippings should be <b>RAKED AND DISCARDED OFF SITE.</b></li> </ul>

# HOW TO MAINTAIN A HISTORIC CEMETERY

## LANDSCAPE

Many headstones, bedsteads, and other stones have been buried due to erosion of the soil, alteration of the pathway, sinking of the headstones, lack of maintenance, and other forces. To best represent the cemetery's historic landscape and to respect the interred, those markers should be continually exposed. However, exposure of the markers will necessitate the regrading of the land in order to make it a safe and maintainable space. The trustees should contact a landscape architect to assess drainage issues that have led to the erosion of the site and covering of the historic markers. Be aware that **ANY ALTERATIONS OF THE LANDSCAPE FIRST WILL REQUIRE A CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FROM THE HISTORICAL AFFAIRS AND LANDMARK REVIEW BOARD (HALRB)** in order to ensure that the proper precautions are undertaken and the design is historically appropriate.

## TREES

Calloway Cemetery has multiple trees and bushes along the western edge of the cemetery in proximity to the current fence line. The health of the trees should be assessed in order to establish a plan for their maintenance or removal and replacement. Ideally, a tree would be replaced with a tree of a similar species. However, due to the proximity of some of the gravestones to the existing trees, replacement of all unhealthy trees will not be recommended by the HALRB. Note, the **REMOVAL OF ANY TREE OVER 15 INCHES IN DIAMETER AND 4 FEET TALL WILL REQUIRE A CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS**. The review board will ensure that all precautions have been taken in order to protect the church from planting a species with maintenance issues or that may harm the site and the gravestones.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Seek advice from the county arborist regarding the health of the tree.</li><li>• If removal of a tree in proximity to a gravestone is necessary, <b>CUT IT AS CLOSE TO GROUND AS POSSIBLE</b>. Allow the stump to naturally decay. <b>DO NOT USE CHEMICALS.</b></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>INSPECT TREES</b> to ensure the root system is not interfering with gravestones.</li><li>• Replacement trees <b>SHOULD NOT INTERFERE WITH GRAVE MARKERS</b>, fences, or road.</li></ul>
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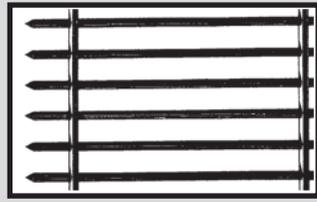
# HOW TO MAINTAIN A HISTORIC CEMETERY

## FENCING

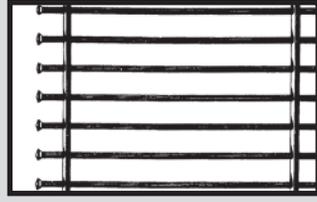
Calloway Church *SHOULD INSTALL A FENCE* around the perimeter of the cemetery. While a fence may have never stood at Calloway Cemetery, a fence on site would be historically appropriate and promote the long-term maintenance of the site. A fence will further delineate the space from the surrounding urban environment and deter vandals from entering. A *CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FROM THE HALRB WILL BE REQUIRED* prior to installing the fence. The HALRB will assist the church in choosing a historically appropriate design that complements the cemetery. The fence design should be simple in nature and not ornate, in keeping with the cemetery's historic and existing appearance.

## BASIC FENCE DESIGNS

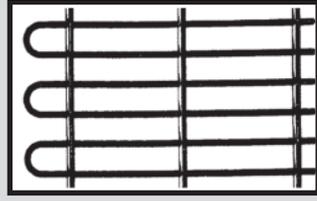
The most common cemetery fences were constructed from wrought and cast iron. The designs consisted of either two or three rails with various attached cast elements. The basic designs are picket, hairpin, bow and picket, and bow and hairpin. The examples listed below (which are from Stewart Iron Works Catalog) would be historically appropriate for Calloway Cemetery. A metal chain link fence would not be in keeping with the historic character of the site.



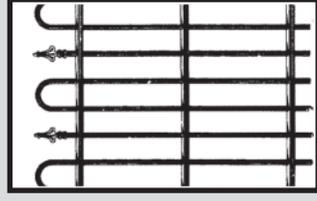
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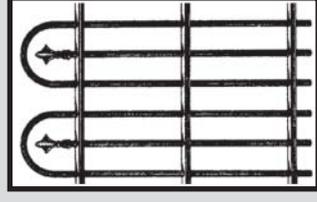
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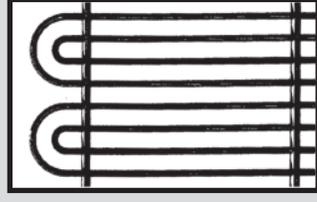
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# WHAT ACTIONS NEEDS A CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

Citizens accept a stewardship responsibility when owning property within one of Arlington's local historic districts. As stewards of such important historic buildings and places, owners also share a responsibility for helping maintain the distinctive qualities that define these historic districts. Calloway Cemetery has the distinct honor of being the first African-American cemetery designated and protected as a local historic district in Arlington County.

A Certificate of Appropriateness (CoA) is required for all proposed exterior alterations, new construction, and demolition within a locally-designated historic district, except for painting and routine maintenance or repairs in kind. The CoA process involves two separate, though related, meetings that are open to the public. Both of these meetings occur monthly to allow the applications to be reviewed and decided upon in a timely manner.

## CALLOWAY CEMETERY COA GUIDELINES:

<u>ACTION</u>	<u>HALRB Approval</u>	<u>SEEK STAFF ADVICE</u>
Site plan alterations.	YES	
Changing road (materials, size, configuration).	YES	
Repairing road with in-kind materials.	NO	NO
Adding pathways.	YES	
Adding utility systems (sprinklers, etc.).	YES	
Installation of signs.	YES	
Installation of lighting.	YES	
Construction of fencing.	YES	
New headstones or markers.	YES	
Repairing headstones or markers.	NO	YES
Removal or relocation of a marker.	YES	
New construction.	YES	
Removal of trees under 15" circumference.	NO	YES
Removal of trees greater than a 15" circumference.	YES	
In-kind alterations.	NO	NO
Non-reversible actions.	YES	

# CLEANING AND REPAIRING DAMAGED GRAVESTONES

Gravestones are damaged by the environment, natural decay, and people. The weathering of stone is a physical and chemical process that occurs slowly over time at different rates depending on the material. For example, marble will erode at a faster rate than other cemetery stones since it consists of calcite and dolomite, which are more vulnerable to acid rain due to their high solubility. However, one must not confuse a stone's natural patina (color) with pollutants. *THE GOAL OF CLEANING AND REPAIRING HEADSTONES IS NOT TO RETURN A HEADSTONE TO ITS ORIGINAL BRIGHTNESS*, but to negate the potential damage that is being inflicted. In addition, the unadvised cleaning methods needed to return the stone to its original color will cause irreparable damage and remove the historic appearance of the marker.

DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY THE FOLLOWING FACTORS:
1. Aging of stone.
2. Weathering.
3. Lichen, algae, and other organic growths.
4. Carbon deposits (CO2 Emissions).
5. Acid rain.
6. Neglect.
7. Improper maintenance.

## PREPARING FOR CLEANING THE GRAVE MARKERS

PLAN	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Rank headstones in order of dirtiest to cleanest.</li> <li>2. Keep a record, written and photographic, documenting the cleaning and repair of the marker. (e.g., dirt, pollutants, algae, lichen, etc.)</li> <li>3. As a starting point, examine the stone survey attached to the report.</li> </ol>
TRAIN	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Cleaning gravestones is not an intuitive process.</li> <li>2. Make sure that all workers/volunteers have read the necessary literature/information.</li> </ol>
CLEAN	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Use only the procedures/tools listed in the following section. (The information is from <i>A Graveyard Preservation Primer</i> by Lynette Strangstad and <i>Grave Concerns: A Preservation Manual for Historic Cemeteries in Arkansas</i> by Tammie Trippe-Dillon).</li> </ol>

# CLEANING AND REPAIRING DAMAGED GRAVESTONES

## REQUIRED TOOLS AND MATERIALS

WATER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The best option is a long hose since a large amount of water is needed to clean a headstone. However, the pressure should not be low. The water is used only to wet the stone and not remove pollutants, biological growth, etc.</li> </ul>
PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR AND RUBBER GLOVES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The cleaning agents may contain chemicals that are potentially harmful.</li> </ul>
SPRAY BOTTLES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apply water precisely.</li> </ul>
BRUSHES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A variety of sizes and stiffness will be necessary in order to clean the various types of gravestones. The brushes should have natural or nylon handles. Do not use brushes that are very stiff/wiry as they will damage the stones. Also, do not use brushes with color handles as they may leave marks on the stones.</li> </ul>
CRAFT STICKS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May be used to clean out recesses on stone such as granite or slate. This tool may be harmful to softer stones such as marble or stones that have deteriorated.</li> </ul>
COTTON SWABS AND TOOTHBRUSHES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May be used to clean out recesses/engravings on softer stones. Note, use only soft bristle toothbrushes.</li> </ul>
NON-IONIC DETERGENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-ionic detergents are electrically neutral cleaning agents that do not contain or contribute to the formation of soluble salts.</li> <li>Successfully facilitates the removal of general soiling.</li> <li>Photo-Flo, Orvus, and Vulpex are the three most widely utilized detergents (use one ounce per five gallons of water). Available online at camera/photography and conservation supply stores.</li> </ul>

# CLEANING AND REPAIRING DAMAGED GRAVESTONES

## WHAT TO USE WHEN CLEANING A GRAVESTONE (ATTEMPT IN ORDER LISTED)

<p>MARBLE AND SLATE</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Water.</li> <li>2. Water and a non-ionic detergent.</li> <li>3. Water and Vulpex.</li> </ol> <p>* Always utilize the weakest cleaning agent that successfully removes the pollutants from the headstone. The stronger the cleaning agent, the more it can negatively affect the gravestone.</p>
<p>LICHEN REMOVAL</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Lichen should be pre-wetted.</li> <li>2. Carefully loosen and remove with a wooden craft stick.</li> <li>3. Repeat process as necessary.</li> </ol> <p>* Lichen that is hardened to stone and not easily removed should be left for a professional conservator. Also, when lichen is removed a stain may be visible from the chemicals produced by the organic growth reacting with the stone.</p>

## BASIC RULES AND PROCEDURES

<p>Make sure to <b>USE THE CORRECT PRODUCT OR CLEANING AGENT</b> for the type of stone.</p>	<p><b>DO NOT CLEAN IF STABILITY IS IN QUESTION.</b> Any grainy surface that readily falls away, such as concrete, should not be cleaned.</p>
<p><b>TRY A TEST PATCH</b> in order to see in there will be any unwanted effects before proceeding to clean the entire stone.</p>	<p>A gravestone <b>SHOULD ONLY BE CLEANED INFREQUENTLY.</b></p>
<p>Use a <b>LARGE AMOUNT OF WATER</b> prior to cleaning and continually wet stone.</p>	<p><b>NEVER USE A POWER WASHER OR SAND BLASTER</b> to clean gravestones. This will cause irreparable damage.</p>
<p><b>PRE-WETTING THE STONE WILL LOOSEN DIRT</b> and stop excessive amounts of cleaning agents from penetrating the stone.</p>	<p>Do not use cleaning solutions unless water and brushing is not sufficiently cleaning the headstone.</p>
<p>Always clean from the <b>BOTTOM TO THE TOP</b> to prevent streaking and discoloration.</p>	<p><b>CHLORINE BEACH IS NEVER RECOMMENDED.</b></p>
<p>Be sure to <b>WASH OFF ALL CLEANING SOLUTION.</b></p>	<p><b>DO NOT APPLY ANY SEALANTS OR PROTECTIVE COATS.</b> The markers acts a sponge absorbing any moisture since it is in direct contact with soil. If the stone is sealed, moisture will not be able to escape, which will drastically quicken the rate of deterioration.</p>

# CLEANING AND REPAIRING DAMAGED GRAVESTONES

## REPAIRING HEADSTONES

Before any repairs are attempted, the reader should examine the suggested books/articles and consider attending a seminar on the repair of historic cemeteries. As always, if the repair is complex in nature, consult a conservation professional for further instruction or information.

THE SIX RULES TO REPAIRING A HEADSTONE:
1. Repair is not as strong as the original material (i.e. do not use Portland cement which will potentially damage the stone).
2. Repair is reversible (new approaches may be developed)
3. Respects the original material.
4. Repair is historically accurate (i.e. appropriate mortar).
5. Repair does not inhibit natural permeability/breath-ability of the stone (beware of sealants).
6. Repair should only be conducted on sound stones.

## COMMON HEADSTONE REPAIRS (INCREASING IN DIFFICULTY)

- Correcting tilted tablet markers that were set directly into the ground.
- Resetting the fallen markers that were directly set into the ground.
- Stabilizing and resetting a stone or a concrete base.\*
- Replacing a marker into a base.\*
- Constructing a concrete base for a tablet.\*
- Repairing a snapped/broken marker.\*
- Infill of missing stone fragments.\*

Calloway Church members should not attempt the (\*) repairs. The items require further training or the presence of a professional conservator. The historic preservation staff will be able to advise you on how to proceed with the (\*) items. See Appendix D for excerpts from *Michigan Historic Cemetery Preservation Guide* which outlines how to conduct certain repairs.

## APPENDIX A

# SECRETARY OF INTERIOR PRESERVATION STANDARDS

### DEFINITION OF PRESERVATION

Preservation is defined as the act or process of applying measures necessary to sustain the existing form, integrity, and materials of an historic property. Work, including preliminary measures to protect and stabilize the property, generally focuses upon the ongoing maintenance and repair of historic materials and features rather than extensive replacement and new construction.

### PRESERVATION STANDARDS

1. A property will be used as it was historically, or be given a new use that maximizes the retention of distinctive materials, features, spaces, and spatial relationships. Where a treatment and use have not been identified, a property will be protected and, if necessary, stabilized until additional work may be undertaken.
2. The historic character of a property will be retained and preserved. The replacement of intact or repairable historic materials or alteration of features, spaces, and spatial relationships that characterize a property will be avoided.
3. Each property will be recognized as a physical record of its time, place, and use. Work needed to stabilize, consolidate, and conserve existing historic materials and features will be physically and visually compatible, identifiable upon close inspection, and properly documented for future research.
4. Changes to a property that have acquired historic significance in their own right will be retained and preserved.
5. Distinctive materials, features, finishes, and construction techniques or examples of craftsmanship that characterize a property will be preserved.
6. The existing condition of historic features will be evaluated to determine the appropriate level of intervention needed. Where the severity of deterioration requires repair or limited replacement of a distinctive feature, the new material will match the old in composition, design, color, and texture.
7. Chemical or physical treatments, if appropriate, will be undertaken using the gentlest means possible. Treatments that cause damage to historic materials will not be used.
8. Archeological resources will be protected and preserved in place. If such resources must be disturbed, mitigation measures will be undertaken.

# APPENDIX B

## COMMON CEMETERY DEFINITIONS AND VOCABULARY



### **ABRASION**

The physical wear down of the surface of rocks due to excessive friction or rubbing. In cemeteries, repeated gravestone rubbings can lead to the loss of text and ornate engravings.



### **BIOLOGICAL DEGRADATION**

A type of surface disfiguration caused by fungal, lichen, or other biological organism that produce enzymes that will dissolve, stain, and degrade the stone if exposed to certain weather conditions.

### **CORROSION**

The degradation of a material from a chemical or electrolytic reaction. Rust, bronze, copper, and zinc are the types of corrosion most often associated with cemeteries.



### **DELAMINATION**

Stone damage resulting from stone breaks or separations along bedding planes usually resulting in breakage. One on the main causes is frost damage.

# APPENDIX B

## COMMON CEMETERY DEFINITIONS AND VOCABULARY

### *DISCOLORED/STAINING*

Stone discoloration caused by organic growths and/or pollution. Different stains require different cleaning methods.

### *DISPLACE*

A stone that is no longer in its original location.



### *EFFLORESCENCE*

Deposits of white salts on the stone's surface. It may be caused by fertilizers and weed-wackers, air or water pollution, Portland cement, and other cleaning compounds.

### *EROSION*

A gradual wearing away of stone surface resulting in rounded, blurred edges, and damage to carved details caused by natural abrasion due to wind and wind blown particles and the dissolution of the stone's surface by acidic rainfall.

### *FREEZE-THAW CYCLE*

A cycle of repeated temperature changes that result in the freezing and thawing of water that has penetrated materials that results in structural damage.

### *GRIME*

Surface dirt that may be visible due to a combination of pollutants.



# APPENDIX B

## COMMON CEMETERY DEFINITIONS AND VOCABULARY

### *Grout*

A material used to fill the cracks and crevices in masonry and stone.



### *GYP SUM CRUST*

A black crust that will remove the surface layer of the stone exposing the softer stone beneath when it is removed.

### *IN-SITU*

A stone that is in its original location.

### *POROUS*

A material that contains many small, interconnected holes (pores) that allow water, air, or other materials to pass through them.

### *SPALLING/SCALING*

The loss of flakes or fragments from the surface of the stone due to frost, pressure, and other mechanisms.

### *SUGARING*

A granular, sometimes powdery, stone surface that is characteristic of particularly fine-grained marbles and limestones indicating a gradual surface degradation.

# APPENDIX C

## SAMPLE LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE CONTRACT FOR A CEMETERY

(From Chicora Foundation, South Carolina. <http://www.chicora.org>)

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- 1.1. All work will be performed in a professional and workmanlike manner by experienced and well trained, uniformed personnel, utilizing clean, well-maintained equipment of the latest and most efficient design.
- 1.2. The practices and procedures employed will be according to accepted industry standards (e.g., Association of Landscape Contractors of America); installations and applications will be made with technical expertise; all vehicles and equipment will be operated both skillfully and safely within the cemetery grounds.
- 1.3. Work performance will comply with the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act. All applications of pesticides classified for restricted use will be made by certified applicators only.
- 1.4. All original product packaging may be inspected by the cemetery's representative prior to use.
- 1.5. All mechanized equipment (power mowers, trimmers, edgers, etc.) must be turned off if you encounter the public (within 20 feet).
- 1.6. No mechanized equipment (power mowers, trimmer, edgers, etc.) may be used within 200 feet of a funeral in progress.
- 1.7. The Contractor will train crew members to respect not only the solemn dignity of the cemetery, avoiding loud talking, running, etc., but will also train all employees concerning the provisions of this agreement and the need to prevent damage to tombs, stones, and monuments.

### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - MOWING

- 2.1.1. Paper, trash, branches, flowers not associated with a grave, and other debris will be collected prior to each mowing.
- 2.1.2. Contractor will mow turf areas [as needed according to seasonal growth/on the following schedule].
- 2.1.3. No more than 1/3 of the leaf blades will be removed per mowing – Contractor will be expected to adjust the mowing height as appropriate and, if necessary, for different sections of the cemetery. Mowing height will be according to grass type and variety per the following chart:

Cool Season Grass	Mowing Height (inches)
Bluegrass	1 1/2 - 2 1/2
Fescue, fine	1 1/2 - 2 1/2
Fescue, tall	2-3
Ryegrass, perennial	1-2

Warm Season Grass	Mowing Height (inches)
Bahiagrass	2 1/2 - 4
Bermuda (common)	1 1/2 - 2
Bermuda (hybrid)	1 - 1 1/2
Buffalograss	1 1/2 - 2

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### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - MOWING (CONTINUED)

- 2.1.4. During periods of excessive rain and tall grass growth, the mower cut height may be raised.
- 2.1.5. All mowing will be conducted with a [reel/rotary/mulching] mower. [Under no circumstance will any equipment larger than an intermediate walk-behind mower be used in the cemetery. / Given the spacing of stones and potential for damage, the largest acceptable equipment is a 21-inch push mower.]
- 2.1.6. Mower blades will be sharp at all times to provide a quality cut and prevent tearing of the grass blades.
- 2.1.7. Mowing equipment and patterns (alternate directions each cutting where possible) shall be employed to permit recycling of clippings were possible and present a neat appearance.
- 2.1.8. Contractor will leave clippings on the lawn as long as no readily visible clumps remain on the grass surface 36 hours after mowing. Other wise, Contractor will distribute large clumps of clippings by mechanical blowing or by collecting and removing them. In the case of fungal disease outbreaks, Contractor will collect clippings until the disease is undetectable.
- 2.1.9. All plots with coping surrounding grass will require special treatment and consideration.
  - 2.1.9.1. No coping is to be damaged by turf maintenance or removed to make maintenance “easier.” Mowers may not be operating when passing over coping.
  - 2.1.9.2. Only 21-inch push mowers may be used in plots with coping (see item 2.2.4.).

### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - EDGING AND TRIMMING

- 2.2.1. Grass adjacent to fixed objects, such as tombs, grave stones, monuments, etc., shall be trimmed to the same height as the general turf. Trimming is to be done so that turf areas are not scalped.
- 2.2.2. Contractor will edge tree rings and plant beds, and all buildings, sidewalks, fences, driveways, parking lots, and other surfaced areas bordered by grass will be edged every other mowing during the growing season.
- 2.2.3. Turf around sprinkler heads will be trimmed or treated with a non-selective herbicide so as to not interfere with or intercept water output.

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### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - EDGE AND TRIMMING (CONTINUED)

- 2.2.4. No mower will be operated within 12-inches of any marker, monument, headstone, footstone, or other memorial. All turf between these markers and mown areas must be trimmed using a filament line trimmer equipped with line no heavier than 0.08-inch.
- 2.2.4.1. The Contractor's employees will be expected to know the length of their trimmer line at all times to prevent this line from coming into contact with the grave stones, tombs, and monuments. Any line damage other than pre-existing (defined as documented by the Contractor at the beginning of this agreement) is the responsibility of the Contractor.
- 2.2.4.2. When trimming near stones, tombs, and monuments, the Contractor is responsible for ensuring that the rotation of the string causes the grass to be thrown back towards the operator. This will assist in preventing any objects thrown by the trimmer, such as rocks, sticks, etc., from being thrown toward fragile stones, thereby minimizing the potential for accidental damage.
- 2.2.4.3. The cemetery's stones will be trimmed every other mowing during the growing season.
- 2.2.5. Isolated trees and shrubs growing in lawn areas will require mulched areas around them (minimum 2-foot diameter, maximum 3-foot diameter) to avoid bark injury from mowers and filament line trimmers and to reduce root competition from grass. Establishment and maintenance of such mulched areas will be charged to the cemetery.
- 2.2.6. Contractor will clean all clippings from sidewalks, curbs, roadways and markers or monuments immediately after mowing and/or edging. Contractor will not sweep, blow or otherwise dispose of clippings in sewer drains.
- 2.2.7. Contractor will ensure that grass clippings do not build up in the corners of plots with coping – otherwise over time there is a build-up of unsightly dead grass in these areas.
- 2.2.8. Under no circumstance will herbicides be used in lieu of appropriate edging and trimming, especially adjacent to monuments and fences. Soil sterilants may never be used on the cemetery property.

### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - SOIL TESTING

- 2.3.1. A number of soil tests will be performed to ensure correct care is being given to the turf.
- 2.3.2. The cemetery is to be provided with a written copy of all soil tests, along with the recommendations resulting from the test.

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### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - FERTILIZATION

- 2.4.1. Contractor will fertilize turf areas as per the maintenance specifications attached.
- 2.4.2. Complete fertilizers shall be granular in composition and contain 30% to 50% or more of the nitrogen in a slow- or controlled-release form. The ratio of nitrogen to potash will approximate 1:1 or 2:1 for complete fertilizer formulations (Examples: 15-5-15, 16-4-8, 15-0-15, 12-2-14, 14-3-14). The exact composition of the fertilizer shall be determined on the basis of good industry practice combined with soil testing (see item 2.3.). While nitrogen fertilization is based on the desired growth rate and type of turfgrass being grown, the phosphorus fertilization rate should be based on the analysis of a lawn soil sample and the recommendations obtained from it. The fertilizer shall also contain magnesium and micro-nutrients (i.e., manganese, iron, zinc, copper, etc.). Iron shall be in the sulfate, sucrate or chelated form.
- 2.4.3. Fertilizer will be swept off of walks and drives onto lawns or beds.
- 2.4.4. Fertilizer will be swept off all monuments, markers, headstones, footstones, and other memorials onto lawns or beds.
- 2.4.5. Since the cemetery has no means of watering in fertilizer, the Contractor will apply at the appropriate season and when rain is anticipated within 24 hours.

### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - AERATION

- 2.5.1. Turfgrass areas in regions of clay and highly compacted soils require regular aeration. Aeration should be accomplished in the early spring or before soils freeze in late autumn in colder climates.
- 2.5.2. No equipment is to be operated within 12-inches of monuments, markers, or stones. Special care is to be taken around walkways, copings, and curbs. All sprinkler heads are to be flagged and avoided by aeration equipment.

### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - PEST CONTROL

- 2.6.1. The Contractor will inspect lawn areas each visit for indications of pest problems and advise the cemetery of such problems.
- 2.6.2. Upon confirmation of a specific problem requiring treatment, the Contractor will apply pesticides as needed and only in affected spots, whenever possible using the least toxic, effective pesticide. No pesticide will be applied to turf areas without the express approval of the client. This includes weed and feed formulations.

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### LAWN MAINTENANCE ISSUES - PEST CONTROL

- 2.6.3. All applications of pesticides and fertilizations will be performed when temperatures are below 90°F and wind drift is negligible.
- 2.6.4. The Contractor will keep records on pests identified and treatment(s) rendered for control.
- 2.6.5. All pest control service is in addition to the basic contract charges. The Contractor will charge the client per job, based on materials cost plus labor. The cost will be agreed on by the cemetery and Contractor in writing before such service is rendered.
- 2.6.6. Pesticide applications will be made in accordance with the rules and regulations governing use of pesticides in [state]. The Contractor will post alerts at all entrances to the cemetery to notify pesticide-sensitive persons of the application as well as follow all laws or requirements of [state]. The pest control applicator will be operating under License # \_\_\_\_\_ with an expiration/renewal date of \_\_\_\_\_.

### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - SOIL TESTING

- 3.1.1. A number of soil tests will be performed to ensure correct care is being given to the cemetery plantings.
- 3.1.2. The cemetery is to be provided with a written copy of all soil tests, along with the recommendations resulting from the test.

### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - FERTILIZATION

- 3.2.1. Ornamental shrubs, trees and ground covers planted less than 3 years shall be fertilized 4 to 6 weeks after planting and then two to three times per year for the following 3 years. Two of the annual applications are normally scheduled around March and September. A third application may be made during the summer. Rate will be 1 pound of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet per application.
- 3.2.2. Fertilizers should contain equal amounts of nitrogen and potassium, and 30% or more of both elements should be available in slow-release form. The fertilizer should also contain magnesium and a complete micronutrient amendment. The fertilizer analysis shall be similar to 8-2-8, 15-5-15, 14-3-14, 12-2-14, etc.
- 3.2.3. Fertilizer applied to shrubs and trees planted in beds shall be broadcasted over the entire plant bed. Fertilizer must be punched shallowly into the soil on berms and slopes where runoff is likely.

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- 3.2.4. Individual, established trees and shrubs will receive annual fertilization as appropriate. In general, evergreen trees should be given a high nitrogen fertilizer such as ammonium sulfate, 21-0-0; deciduous shrubs, especially flowering ones, require phosphorus; and broad leaved evergreens should be given a balanced fertilizer such as 10-10-10.
- 3.2.5. Nutrient deficiencies shall be treated with supplemental applications of the specific lacking nutrient according to the local cooperative extension recommendations.

### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - PEST CONTROL

- 3.3.1. Contractor shall practice Integrated Pest Management (IPM) to control insects, diseases and weeds on and around perennials, ground covers, shrubs, vines and trees. This will include frequent monitoring and spot treatment as necessary using the least toxic methods. All applications will be performed when temperatures are below 90°F and when wind drift is negligible. First choice will be insecticidal soaps, horticultural oils and biological controls such as *Bacillus thuringiensis* (Bt) formulations.

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### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - PEST CONTROL

3.3.2. Weeds in beds or mulched areas will usually be removed mechanically or by hand. Upon cemetery approval only, herbicides may be employed for heavy weed infestations. Should herbicides be approved, all necessary precautions (including, but not limited to application when there is no wind to cause drift and tenting or otherwise covering) must be taken to prevent herbicides from being applied to or landing on monuments, stones, or markers.

### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - PRUNING

- 3.4.1. Pruning should only be done to remove dead or diseased branches, reduce foliage density or crossing branches, to improve the beauty of the plant through selective removal of a few branches, or to ensure safety of monuments and visitors.
- 3.4.2. Shrubs will be pruned with hand shears as needed to provide an informal shape, fullness and blooms. No powered hedge trimmers are to be used in the cemetery.
- 3.4.3. All trees should be trimmed so a mower can get under and around them, with these exceptions: [\_\_\_\_\_].
- 3.4.4. No pruning will be done during or immediately following growth flushes, branches will be pruned just outside the branch collar, and pruning paint will not be applied.
- 3.4.5. Sucker growth will be removed by hand from the base of trees. No herbicides will be used for this purpose.
- 3.4.6. The Contractor will remove all litter from the cemetery.
- 3.4.7. The cemetery requires that any tree pruning be conducted only by an ISA Certified Arborist.

### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - MULCHING

- 3.5.1. All mulched areas will be replenished once a year during the winter months (Nov. - Feb).
- 3.5.2. Mulch should be maintained at a depth of not less than 2-inches and not more than 3-inches.
- 3.5.3. Mulch will not be placed against the trunks of plants.
- 3.5.4. Mulch will not be placed against marble or sandstone tombs, monuments, or gravestones.
- 3.5.5. Mulch will not be allowed to cover valve boxes, meters, irrigation heads, landscape lighting, or any stone, monument, or marker.

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### LANDSCAPE PLANT MAINTENANCE ISSUES - MULCHING

- 3.5.6. All curb, roadway and bed edges will be trenched to help contain the applied mulch. The Contractor is required to define all edges and taper or roll away the mulch from the edges.
- 3.5.7. The Contractor is responsible for remixing mulch in areas that are starting to show mold or rot and to ensure that mulch or other landscape bed materials are not mixing or creeping into turf areas.
- 3.5.8. Additional mulch will be billed at \$ \_\_\_\_ /yard.

### GENERAL MAINTENANCE

- 4.1. Monthly the Contractor will be responsible for manually pulling of any and all weeds in landscape beds (barked, stoned, and flower beds, including family plots), around curbs and coping, sidewalks, parking areas, and around trees that are barked or landscaped, fence lines, retaining walls, property lines – anywhere that weeds are growing.
- 4.2. Monthly the Contractor will be responsible for removing all trash from bed areas and other high visibility areas, including walkways, parking lots, and family plots.
- 4.3. All turf areas and planting beds (including shrubbery and planting areas) will be cleaned of leaves, weeds, trash, and any other winter debris during the first visit in the Spring [or in (month)] and Fall [or in (month)].

### INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

- 6.1. The Contractor shall be responsible for notifying the cemetery's representative as soon as practical after all work.
- 6.2. An inspection will be made by the cemetery's representative within 24 hours of notification by the Contractor that work has been performed.
- 6.3. The cemetery will notify the Contractor, in writing, of any work that is not deemed acceptable. The Contractor will have 72 hours to repair, replace, or redo the specified work. Any damage to monuments, markers, memorials, or fences will require professional conservation treatment by a conservator who is a member of the American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works and who is approved by the cemetery. The Contractor will be responsible for all charges incurred.
- 6.4. All work must meet the specifications of this agreement. The cemetery's representative will be the final authority on acceptance, as well as any damage to cemetery property, markers, monuments, fences, etc.

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### INSURANCE, LICENSES, PERMITS, AND LIABILITY

- 7.1. The Contractor will carry liability amounts and worker's compensation coverage required by law on his/her operators and employees and require the same of any sub-Contractors and provide proof of same to the cemetery.
- 7.2. The Contractor will carry general liability insurance in the amount of \$1,000,000.
- 7.3. The Contractor is also responsible for obtaining any licenses and/or permits (not limited to business licenses, pesticide licenses, etc.) required by law for activities on cemetery's property.
- 7.4. All work will be performed in a workmanship-like manner.
- 7.5. Situations which the Contractor may deem are his/her responsibility:
  - 7.5.1. Any damage due to the operation of his equipment in performing the contract, to include damage to stones, monuments, markers, fences, walkways, curbs, coping, plantings, or any memorial device in the cemetery.
  - 7.5.2. Failure to comply with all laws pertaining to protected plant species.
  - 7.5.3. Damage to plant material due to improper horticultural practices.
  - 7.5.4. Improper replacement or retrofitting of irrigation system components.
  - 7.5.5. Injury to non-target organisms due to application of pesticides.
  - 7.5.6. Any pollution to the cemetery or its groundwater caused by waste oil, herbicides, or pesticides used by the Contractor.
- 7.6. Situations which the Contractor may deem are not his/her responsibility:
  - 7.6.1. Death or decline of plant materials due to improper selection, placement, planting or maintenance done before the time of this contract.
  - 7.6.2. Damage due to improper irrigation components existing at the time of contract execution.
  - 7.6.3. Exposed cables/wires or sprinkler components/lines normally found below the lawn's surface.
  - 7.6.4. Flooding, storm, wind, fire or cold damages.
  - 7.6.5. Disease or damage to lawns or landscape plants caused by excessive irrigation or lack of water due to inoperative irrigation components provided he/she reported these to client, or irrigation restrictions imposed by civil authorities.
  - 7.6.6. Damage caused by or to any item hidden in the landscape and not clearly guarded or marked, excluding however, all stones, monuments, markers, fences, walkways, curbs, coping, or memorial devices.
  - 7.6.7. Damage due to vandalism.

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### PROPERTY DESCRIPTION, SERVICES PROVIDED, TERMS, CONDITIONS, AND CHARGES

8.1. This contract is for the maintenance of property at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and more specifically described as: \_\_\_\_\_

8.2. The contract term is for a period of 1-year with a beginning date of \_\_\_\_\_ and an ending date of \_\_\_\_\_.

The contract may be canceled by either party without cause with 30-days written notification. Upon such cancellation the Contractor remains responsible for any damages as outlined in 7.5.

8.3. This contract will be governed by the laws of [state]. Should the cemetery be required to engage the services of an attorney in connection with this agreement or to enforce its provisions, the cemetery shall be entitled to reasonable attorney's fees.

# APPENDIX D

## COMMON HEADSTONE REPAIRS

(From *Michigan Historic Cemetery Preservation Manual*. <http://www.michigan.gov>)

### Lifting and Moving the Stone

Headstones weigh 160 to 180 pounds per cubic foot. Use extreme care when lifting or moving stones to avoid personal injury or damage to the stone. When moving the stone, support the weight of the stone evenly, using nylon straps and boards to equalize the load. Larger stones can be moved by two persons using a lifting pole with nylon straps, or with lifting devices such as a portable crane, or a tripod with chain hoist. Stones should be protected from contacting chains or other metal lifting objects. Only experienced conservators should move heavy stones.

**Handling Cautions: Metal bars and shovels should not be used to pry or lift a monument or headstone. Do not try to lift heavy stones without the assistance of another person. Even when using lifting equipment, another person should be available to assist if needed.**

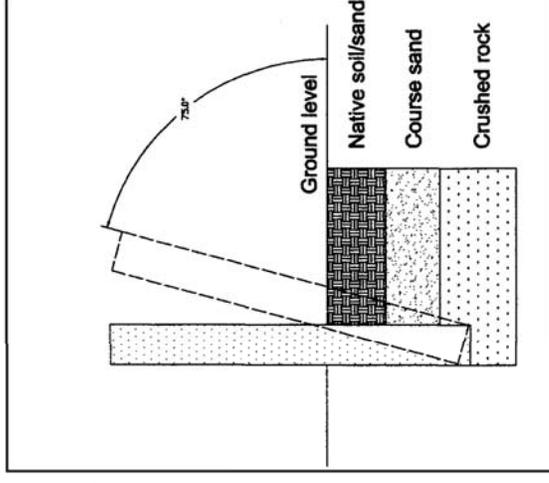
### Correcting Tilted Slab or Tablet Markers Set Directly in the Ground (Not in Bases)

Tilted markers are among the most common problems in older cemeteries. Slab or tablet markers, installed directly in the ground (with approximately one third of the stone below grade), may have been standing for a century or more. Stones, especially in sandy soil, may have tilted due to shifting or the effect of gravity; or may have sunk, partially concealing the inscription. A stone that is leaning may become warped. In the worst case, if not corrected, the stone could eventually fracture due to its own weight. Generally, if the marker is leaning less than fifteen degrees from the vertical, intervention to set it upright is not suggested. A stone that has sunk only minimally will usually not need to be removed unless the inscription is obscured below grade.

Straightening a tilted marker is fairly straightforward project and involves minimal cost. Trained and supervised volunteers can usually do it. Check to be sure that there are no unseen conditions that would preclude straightening the stone without damage. Removing the stone completely from the ground will usually not be necessary.

### Straightening Tilted Markers

- Hand-dig the ground around the stone. Remove the sod with a spade-shovel so that it can be easily replaced. Do not allow metal tools to contact the stone. Unless the stone has sunk so that the inscription is obscured or repairs to the stone are needed, it is usually not necessary to remove the stone from the hole. Excavate to the depth of the bottom of the stone. Assure that the sides of the hole are wide enough so that when the stone is straightened, the edges of the stone will not hang up on the sides of the hole, causing undue stress.
- Straighten the stone to vertical, checking for plumb. While supporting the stone, backfill the hole one-third full with heavy aggregate such as broken brick or 21-AA stone (from a cement yard) and tamp. Add coarse sand and gravel mix (aggregate) and tamp, leaving three to four inches for topsoil and sod. Place landscape fabric atop the aggregate, to maintain drainage by preventing dirt from filtering into the aggregate.
- Replace the topsoil and lightly tamp. Mound up soil to allow for settling. Replace the sod. After two or three weeks, check for settling around the base of the stone, adding more soil as required.



Straightening a marker is a common task done usually when the marker is out of plumb by 15 or more degrees. Always use caution when moving a stone. Trying to force a stone can cause it to snap.

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### Straightening Markers When The Stone is Removed

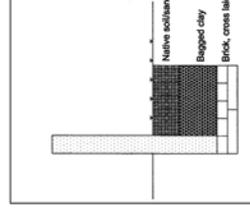
2 If the stone must be removed temporarily, additional preparation of the bottom of the hole is required to prepare for reinstallation. See the *Lifting* section for instructions on removing the stone from the hole.

- Excavate the existing hole to a rectangular shape, with vertical sides, and level bottom. The front wall of the hole remains at the original location of the front face of the stone. To achieve a solid base, tamp the bottom with a length of 4 x 4 lumber or other tamper.
- The depth of the hole is established by the desired height of the headstone above the ground. If possible, set the height so that the lowest inscription is visible – ideally a minimum of two inches above grade. The actual height at which the stone was previously set may be visible from staining on the stone (witness marks). The depth of the hole may vary depending on the following alternative “fill” method selected:

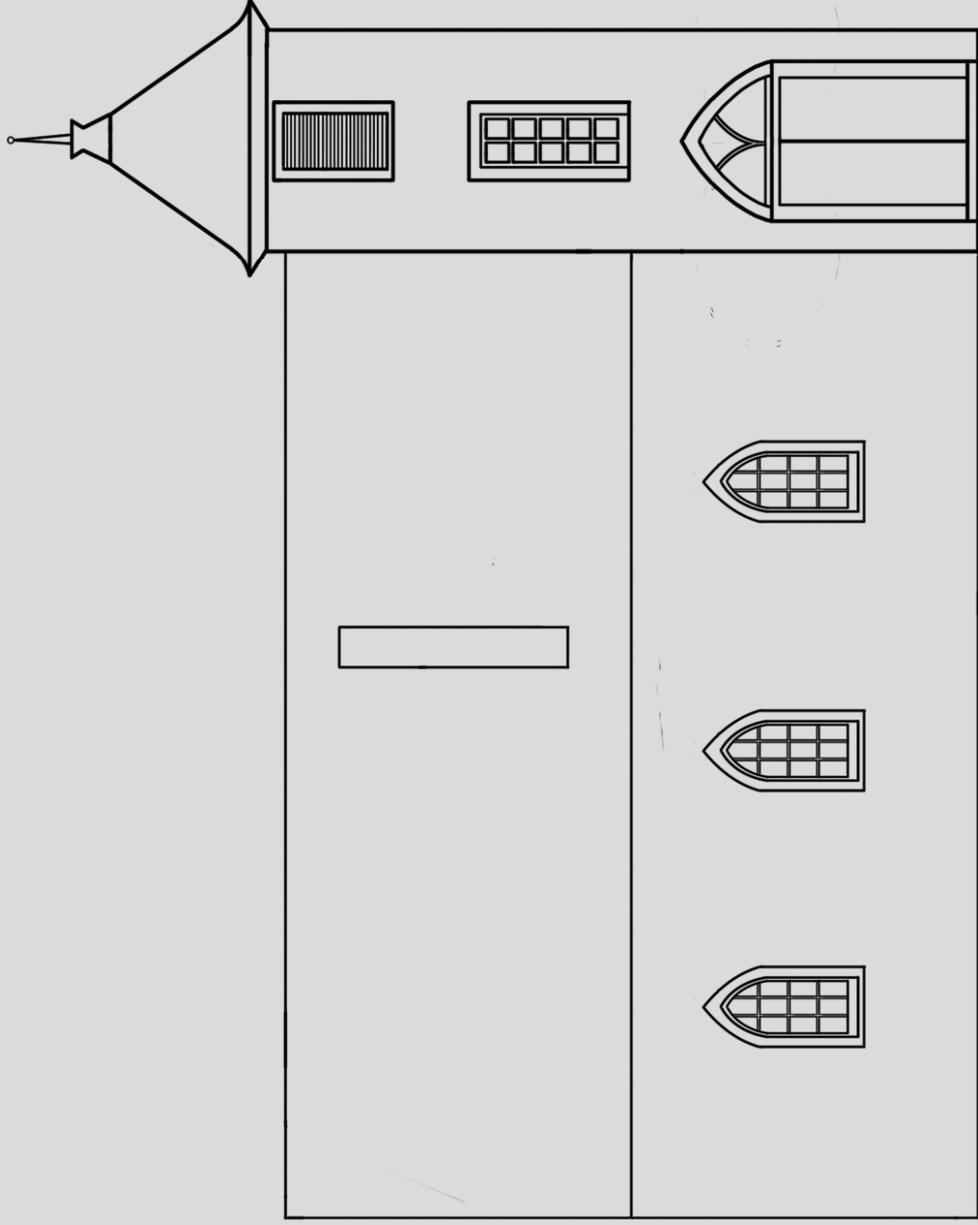
- **Alternative 1 – Stone and aggregate fill** – Lay dry flat stones in the bottom of the hole. Lower the headstone into the hole with the front face of the stone against the front wall of the hole, centered side-to-side. Straighten to vertical, checking for plumb. While holding or bracing the stone, backfill with heavy aggregate (such as broken brick or 21-AA stone from a cement yard) to half-fill the hole, and tamp. Next add coarse sand and gravel mix to within a few inches of the top, and tamp. Place landscape fabric atop the aggregate, to maintain drainage by preventing dirt from filtering into the aggregate.

- **Alternative 2 – Clay bricks and bagged clay fill** – As an alternative to aggregate fill products above, line the bottom of the hole with unfired clay bricks, and use bagged clay as backfill. A first course (layer) of unfired clay bricks is laid on the bottom, with a second course laid perpendicular to the first. Lower the headstone into the hole with the front face of the stone against the front wall of the hole, centered side-to-side. Straighten to vertical, checking for plumb. While holding or bracing the stone, backfill with bagged clay to half-fill the hole, and tamp. Add topsoil to within a few inches of the top and tamp until firm. Clay provides a concrete-like and extremely solid base and support for the stone, and is easier to transport and more volunteer-friendly than aggregate. Clay is used on baseball and softball fields; and may be available in municipalities’ parks departments, as well as commercial nurseries. (One of the authors of this text developed this technique using clay material in collaboration with other professional conservators.)

- Add more topsoil and lightly tamp. Mound up soil to allow for settling. Seed or replace the sod. After two or three weeks, check for settling around the base of the stone, and add more soil as required.



# CALLOWAY CEMETERY HISTORIC DISTRICT



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## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 1

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

Tablet       Tablet in base

Footstone       Bedstead

Bevel       Plaque

Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 2

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** It is unknown whether the stone marks a grave.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Margaret A. Hyson**

**Map Identification Number:** 3

**Deceased:** Margaret A. Hyson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone        | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bevel | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross            | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

Face of marker: MARGARET A/ HYSON

Top of marker: HYSON

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** The marker's resemblance to other markers in the cemetery from the 1915-1930 period indicates that the above marker is not Margaret Hyson's original 1891 marker.



**Virginia Slave Birth Index**

- In the 1850s, Margaret Hyson was listed as one of William Minor's slaves. Charlotte Hyson was born into slavery on November 10, 1853. <sup>1</sup>

**1870 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Margaret Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 44

Birth: Circa 1826

Occupation: Keeping house

Spouse: Thornton Hyson, 44

Children:

1. George Hyson, 19
2. Charlotte Hyson, 17
3. Ellen Hyson, 12
4. Thornton Hyson, 9
5. Cornelia Hyson, 6
6. Alice Hyson, 4
7. Mary Powell, unknown

**1880 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Margaret Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 53

Birth: Circa 1826

Occupation: Keeping house

Spouse: Thornton Hyson, 57

Children:

1. George Hyson, 28
2. Thornton Hyson, 20
3. Cornelia Hyson, 16
4. Martha A. Hyson 13

**Virginia Death Records<sup>4</sup>**

- In July 1891, Margaret Hyson died of paralysis in Alexandria County at the age of 66. She was the daughter of Lewis and Luvenia, and the mother of Charlotte Chinn.

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<sup>1</sup> Leslie Morales Anderson, *Virginia Slave Births Index H-L* (Westminster, Maryland: Heritage Books, Inc., 2007), 65.

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1870 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Wesley E. Pippenger, *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Death Records, 1853-1896* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 49.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Hesekiah Dorsey**

**Map Identification Number:** 4

**Deceased:** Hesekiah Dorsey

**Birth:** Illegible

**Death:** Illegible

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown                   |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

Illegible

**Iconography:** The three chain links are a Masonic symbol.

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** There is a cinder block providing support to the headstone. A large portion of the bedstead and a possible footstone is buried. The inscription has eroded due to weathering.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Hesekiah Dorsey**



**1880 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Hesakiah Dorsey

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Birth: Circa 1834

Occupation: Laborer

Spouse: Lavinia Dorsey, 30

Children:

1. Millie A. Dorsey, 7
2. Mary E. Dorsey, 5
3. Gurtie C. Dorsey, 3
4. Susan Dorsey, 1

Other household members:

1. Charrity Curtus, mother-in-law, 55

**1890 Veterans Schedule<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Hesakiah Dorsey

Age: 46

Rank: Private

Regiment: 31<sup>st</sup> Infantry New York

Date of enlistment: July 18, 1863

Date of discharge: December 15, 1865

Length of service: 1 year, 3 months, 27 days

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1890 Veterans Schedule*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Hesekiah Dorsey**



**1900 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Hezakiah Dorsey

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 62

Occupation: Laborer

Birth: May 1838

Birthplace: Maryland

Father's birthplace: Maryland

Mother's birthplace: Maryland

Spouse: Louvenia Dorsey

Number of living children: 5

Number of children: 17

Marriage year: 1870

Children:

1. Susie Dorsey, 20
2. Hezakiah Dorsey, 17
3. Charity Dorsey, 10

Grandchildren:

1. Arrina Lewis, 10
2. Alberta Dorsey, 1

**Hezekiah and Luvenia's Deceased Children**<sup>4</sup>

- Dorsey, [M]illie
  - Female
  - Died: October 12, 1886.
  - 13 years, 4 months old
- Dorsey, William H.
  - Male
  - Died: December 3, 1879
  - 7 years, 11 months, 15 days old
- Dorsey, \_\_\_\_\_
  - Male
  - November 25, 1891
- Dorsey, \_\_\_\_\_
  - Female
  - July 15, 1894
  - 1 month, 6 days old
- Dorsey, \_\_\_\_\_
  - Female
  - Died: June 15, 1895
  - 2 months old

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Pippenger, Wesley. *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Death Records, 1853-1896* (Westminster, Maryland: Family Line Publishing, 1994), 27.

**Other Records**

- The death records for their children stated that Hesekiah and Lovenia were freed slaves.<sup>5</sup>
- Hezekiah Dorsey's name is on the African-American Civil War Memorial, Washington, D.C., plaque number B-47.<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>5</sup> Ibid.

<sup>6</sup> Ancestry, *U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Etumetra Caphart**

**Map Identification Number:** 5

**Deceased:** Etumetra Caphart

**Birth:** March 3, 1906

**Death:** October 10, 1915

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

ETUMETRA CAPHART/BORN MAR 3 1906/DIED OCT 10 1915

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** There are multiple cracks along the top edge of the marker. The hole at the top is from the creation of the marker.



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 6

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Jefferson/Jackson Family**

**Map Identification Number:** 7

**Deceased:** Lucinda Jefferson, Lucinda Jackson,  
Mary Jefferson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** June 14, 1924 (Lucinda Jefferson)

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel         Plaque  
 Cross         Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Excellent

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

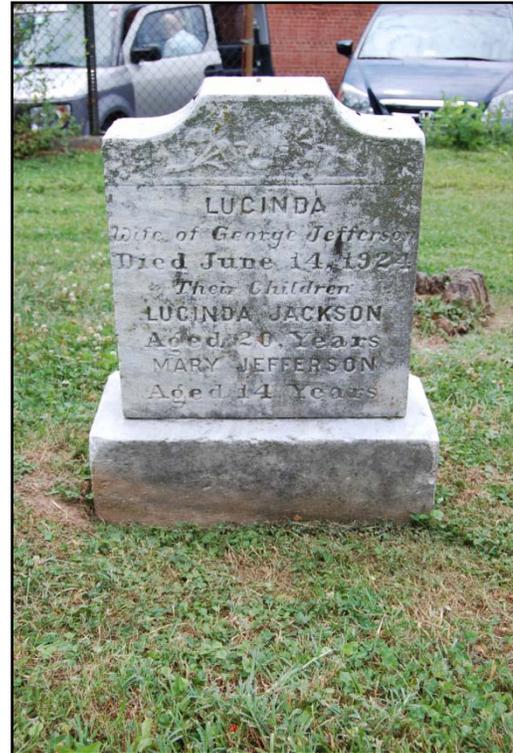
**Inscription:**

LUCINDA/Wife of George Jefferson/Died June 14,  
1924/Their Children/LUCINDA JACKSON/Aged 20 Years/MARY JEFFERSON/Aged 14 Years

**Iconography:** Floral.

**Ornamentation:** The carver utilized various fonts.

**Marker Notes:** None



**Virginia Marriage Record**<sup>1</sup>

- Lucinda Jefferson's maiden name was Lucinda Wallace. She was the daughter of Matt and Julia Wallace. On October 2, 1881, at the age of 21, she married George Jefferson of Alexandria County. Joseph Henry, the pastor of Calloway Church, performed the ceremony in Hall's Hill.

**1900 United States Census**<sup>2</sup>

Name: Lucy Jefferson

Age: 29

Birth: April 1871

Birthplace: Maryland

Occupation: N/A

Father's birthplace: Maryland

Mother's birthplace: Maryland

Living children: 7

Total children: 8

Spouse: George Jefferson, 32

Marriage year: 1882

Children:

1. *Lucinda Jefferson*, 16\*
  - a. Born: September 1883
  - b. Occupation: Servant
2. Fenton Jefferson, 14
3. Arlevie Jefferson, 10
4. Amos Jefferson, 10
5. Edgar Jefferson, 9
6. *Mary Jefferson*, 3\*
  - a. Born: December 1896

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<sup>1</sup> Wesley E. Pippenger, *Alexandria County (Arlington), Virginia Marriage Records, 1853-1895* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 129.

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Jefferson/Jackson Family**



**1910 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Lucy Jefferson

Age: 47

Birth: Circa 1863

Occupation: N/A

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Maryland

Spouse: George Jefferson

Children:

1. *Mary G. Jefferson, 12\**
2. George R. Jefferson, 9

Other household members:

1. Arthur Jefferson, 13 [boarder]

**1920 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Lucinda Jefferson

Age: 50

Birth: Circa 1870

Birthplace: Maryland

Occupation: Laundress

Father's birthplace: Maryland

Mother's birthplace: Maryland

**Notes**

- Lucinda Jackson, daughter of Lucinda Jefferson, died circa 1904.
- Mar y Jefferson, daughter of Lucinda Jefferson, died circa 1912.

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 8

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Eliza Ricks**

**Map Identification Number:** 9

**Deceased:** Eliza Ricks

**Birth:** 8/1/1865

**Death:** 6/10/1925

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base  
 Footstone       Bedstead  
 Bevel       Plaque  
 Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

ELIZA RICKS/BORN AUG 1 1865/DIED JUNE 10 1925

**Iconography:** Floral pattern

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** None



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Eliza Ricks**



**1880 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Eliza Mooney

Location: Washington, Alexandria County, Virginia

Age: 16

Born: Circa 1864

Occupation: At home

Mother: Lucy Mooney

Mother's Birthplace: Maryland

Father: Charles Mooney

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: N/A

Other household members:

1. Charles Mooney, 46 [father]
2. Lucy Mooney, 35 [mother]
3. Sarah Ann Mooney, 14 [sister]
4. Mary Jane Mooney, 12 [sister]
5. Richard Mooney, 8 [brother]
6. Susan Ann Mooney, 6 [sister]
7. William Mooney, 44 [father's brother]

Other Records:

- "Suddenly on Wednesday, June 10, at 12 a.m., at her residence at Hall's Hill, Va., Eliza Ricks, loving sister of Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mrs. Susie Newman, and Richard Mooney, and elder daughter of the late Charles Mooney and Lucy Mooney. Funeral at Calloway A.M.E. Church, Sunday, June 14, at 1 p.m."<sup>2</sup>
- Lucy A. Mooney, Eliza's mother, died of dropsy (swelling from excessive accumulation of watery fluid in cells) on October, 4, 1894. Her death record stated that she was a freed slave.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> "Obituary 1," *The Washington Post*, June 13, 1925, <http://www.proquest.com> (accessed November 10, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Pippenger, Wesley. *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Death Records, 1853-1896* (Westminster, Maryland: Family Line Publishing, 1994), 67.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Ruth E. Ferguson**

**Map Identification Number:** 10

**Deceased:** Ruth E. Ferguson

**Birth:** 1903

**Death:** 1920

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

FERGUSON/RUTHE/BORN 1903/DIED 1920

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** There is biological growth, mold, and evidence of a failed repair/cleaning of the marker on the lower front surface.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Ruth E. Ferguson**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>1</sup>

Name: Ruth E. Ferguson

Location: Washington, Alexandria County, Virginia

Age: 17

Born: Circa 1903

Occupation: None

Mother: Augustine Ferguson

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Father: Daniel W. Ferguson

Father's Birthplace: Maryland

Other household members:<sup>2</sup>

1. Daniel W. Ferguson, 47 [father]
2. Augustine Ferguson, 45 [mother]
3. Daniel W. Ferguson, 14 [brother]
4. Walter W Ferguson, 9 [brother]
5. Clara T Ferguson, 1 [sister]

**Other Records**

- Daniel Ferguson and Augustine Ferguson were both born in Maryland.<sup>3</sup>
- In 1900, Augustine Ferguson had zero children living, but six were born.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> All of her siblings were born in Virginia except Clara who was born in Washington, D.C. For more information see, *Ibid.*

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> *Ibid.*

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 11

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plaque |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown           |

**Material:** Metal

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Alice M. Jones**

**Map Identification Number:** 12

**Deceased:** Alice M. Jones

**Birth:** Circa 1866

**Death:** 11/10/1920

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel         Plaque  
 Cross         Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

ALICE M./Wife of/Charles A. Jones/Died/Nov. 10.  
1920/Aged 54 Years./At rest.

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** Carver utilized various fonts.

**Marker Notes:** Lichen is evident on the face of the stone, which may lead to disfiguration, staining, blistering, and spalling of the marble.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Alice M. Jones**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>1</sup>

Name: Alice Jones

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Age: 48

Birth: Circa 1872

Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Charles A. Jones, 48

Occupation: Cook

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Louise S. Bolden**

**Map Identification Number:** 13

**Deceased:** Louise S. Bolden

**Birth:** Circa 1865

**Death:** 6/1/1921

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet
- Tablet in base
- Footstone
- Bedstead
- Bevel
- Plaque
- Cross
- Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

MOTHER/LOUISE S. BOLDEN/Died/June 1 1921/ Aged 56  
Years./At rest.

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** Carver utilized three distinct fonts. Also, note the rounded cut stone at the top of the marker.

**Marker Notes:** The tablet is broken on the bottom right corner. The broken section needs to be reattached to marker. Lichen and fungi are evident on the face of the stone, which may lead to disfiguration, staining, blistering, and spalling of the marble.

**Other Photographs:** Displaced footstone located between Bolden and Chinn.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Louise S. Bolden**



**1920 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Louisa Bolden

Location: Washington, Alexandria County, Virginia

Age: 50

Born: Circa 1870

Occupation: None

Spouse: Widow

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Other household members:

1. Joseph H. Barnes, 21 [son-in-law]
2. Nellie E. Barnes, 21 [daughter]
3. Alice L. Barnes, 6 months [granddaughter]

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Charlottie A. Chinn**

**Map Identification Number:** 14

**Deceased:** Charlottie A. Chinn

**Birth:** 10/8/1871

**Death:** 6/7/1921

**Marker Type:**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel                | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross                | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown                   |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Excellent

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

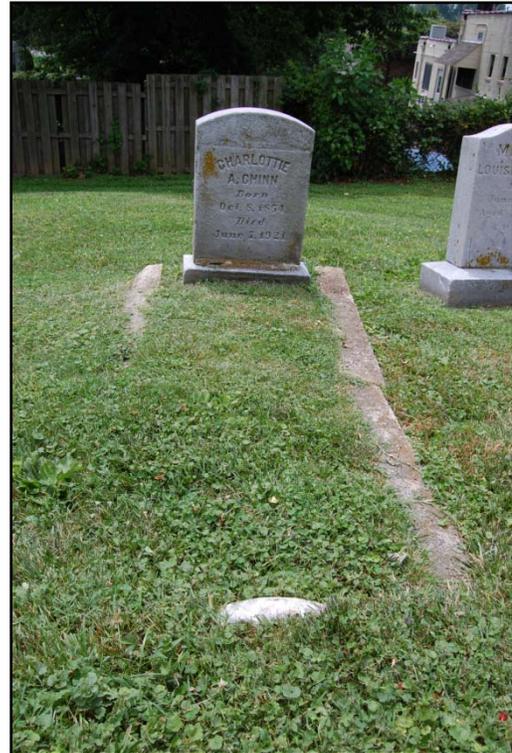
**Inscription:** CHARLOTTIE/A. CHINN/Oct. 8. 1854./Died/  
June 7. 1921./MOTHER (Headstone)

C.A.C (Footstone)

**Iconography:** Floral patterns.

**Ornamentation:** Carver curved the name "Charlottie."

**Marker Notes:** The concrete bedstead is cracked. There is evidence of epoxy near the bottom of the tablet connecting it to the base. Lichen and fungi are evident on the face of the stone, which may lead to disfiguration, staining, blistering, and spalling of the marble.



**Virginia Slave Birth Index**

- On November 10, 1853, Charlotte Hyson was born into slavery in Alexandria County. Margaret Hyson, her mother, was William Minor's slave.<sup>1</sup>

**1870 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Charlotte Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria (Independent City), Virginia

Age: 17

Birth: Circa 1853

Birthplace: Virginia

Occupation: Domestic servant

Father: T. Hyson, 45

Mother: Margaret Hyson, 44

Siblings:

1. George Hyson, 19
2. Ellen Hyson, 12
3. Thornton Hyson, 9
4. Cornelia Hyson, 6
5. Alice Hyson, 4

Other household members:

1. Mary Powell, 21

**1880 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Charlotte Chinn

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 25

Birth year: Circa 1855

Birthplace: Virginia

Occupation: Keeping house

Spouse: Charles Chinn, 27

Children:

1. Mary E. Chinn, 8
2. Ida V. Chinn, 6
3. Margaret Chinn, 4
4. Charles Chinn, 3
5. Robert W. Chinn, 1 month

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<sup>1</sup> Leslie Morales Anderson, *Virginia Slave Births Index H-L* (Westminster, Maryland: Heritage Books, Inc., 2007), 65.

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1870 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Charlottie A. Chinn**



**1900 United States Census<sup>4</sup>**

Name: Lottie Chinn

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 50

Born: Circa 1849

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Number of living children: 4

Number of total children: 4

Marital Status: Widow

Household members:

1. Charles Chinn, 23 [son]
2. Edith Chinn, 22 [daughter-in-law]
3. Horace C. Chinn, 10 months [grandson]
4. George Chinn, 20 [son]
5. Mabel Chinn, 13 [daughter]
6. Robert Chinn, 15 [son]
7. Viola Chinn, 5 [boarder]
8. John Myers, 32 [boarder]

**1910 United States Census<sup>5</sup>**

Name: Latte Chinn

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 54

Born: Circa 1856

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Marital Status: Widow

Household Members:

1. Charlie Chinn, 32 [son]
2. Edith Chinn, 32 [daughter-in-law]
3. Harish Chinn, 10 [grandson]
4. Fannie Chinn, 9 [granddaughter]

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<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Rachel V. Coleman**

**Map Identification Number:** 15

**Deceased:** Rachel V. Coleman

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone        | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bevel | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross            | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

Face of marker: AT REST

Top of marker: RACHEL V. /COLEMAN

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** A piece of the upper right corner of the marker has broken off. The inscription has eroded due to weathering.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Rachel V. Coleman**



**1880 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Rachel V. Coleman

Location: Alexandria, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 24

Born: Circa 1856

Birthplace: Virginia

Occupation: Domestic servant

Marital Status: Widow

Children:

1. John H. Coleman, 2

Household members:

2. Sidney Dodson, 60 [father-in-law]
3. Rebecca Dodson, 50 [mother]
4. Sarah Shelton, 15 [step-sister]

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Mattie E. Bell**

**Map Identification Number:** 16

**Deceased:** Mattie E. Bell

**Birth:** 9/16/1889

**Death:** 2/26/1952

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plaque |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown           |

**Material:** Metal

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

MATTIE E. BELL/BORN – SEPT 16, 1889/

DIED – FEB 26, 1950/REST IN PEACE

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** The marker has been buried underground for up to twenty years.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Mattie E. Bell**



**1900 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Mattie Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 10

Born: September 1889

Birthplace: Virginia

Father's name: Shirley Snowden, 42

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's name: Clara E. Snowden, 31

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Siblings:

1. Cora Snowden, 16
2. Frank Snowden, 15
3. Hattie Snowden, 12
4. Ernest Snowden, 5

**1910 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Mattie Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 20

Born: Circa 1890

Father's name: Shirley Snowden, 52

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's name: Clara E. Snowden, 40

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Marital Status: Single

Siblings:

1. Ernest Snowden, 17

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Mattie E. Bell**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Mattie E. Bell

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 30

Born: Circa 1890

Occupation: None

Spouse: Charles T. Bell, 30

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Other household members:

1. Doris V. Bell, 1
2. Clementine D. Bell, 4 months
3. Celestine V. Bell, 4 months

**1930 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Mattie Bell

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 39

Born: Circa 1891

Birthplace: Virginia

Occupation: None

Spouse: Thomas, 39

Children:

1. Doris Bell, 12
2. Viola Bell, 3
3. Thomas R. Bell, 2

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Lester Lee**

**Map Identification Number:** 17

**Deceased:** Lester Lee

**Birth:** 1910

**Death:** 9/30/1923

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown                   |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

LESTER/Son of/CAS & LOUISA LEE/Grandson of/C.A. &  
M.A. JONES/Died/Aug. 30 1923/Age 13 years

**Iconography:** A lamb is commonly found on 19<sup>th</sup>  
century markers for children. The lamb, usually

crouching, symbolizes innocence. Christians associate the animal with Jesus, the Lamb of God.

**Ornamentation:** Carver utilized various fonts.

**Marker Notes:** The lamb has eroded considerably since its surface area is more exposed to weathering. There is a large crack on the bottom left corner of the tablet. Lichen and fungi are evident on the face of the stone, which may lead to disfiguration, staining, blistering, and spalling of the marble.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 18

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 19

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

Tablet       Tablet in base

Footstone       Bedstead

Bevel       Plaque

Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** The cherub represents a heaven-bound soul or spiritual resurrection. Typically found on children's headstones.

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 20

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 21

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**William and Walter Evans**

**Map Identification Number:** 22

**Deceased:** William and Walter Evans

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone        | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bevel | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross            | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Displaced

**Inscription:** WALTER EVANS/AND/WILLIAM/EVANS

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** The marker was knocked over or moved. It is unknown whether Walter's father or brother is buried at this location.



**1900 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: William Evans [father]

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 48

Born: April 1852

Occupation: Day laborer

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Alice Evans, 48

Married: 1873

Number of living children: 4

Number of children: 6

Children:

1. William Evans, 26
2. Walter Evans, 21
3. Bernard Evans, 20
4. Robert Evans, 12
5. Edith Evans, 5 [adopted]

**1900 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: William Evans [son]

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 26

Born: October 1873

Occupation: Day laborer

Father's name: William Evans, 48

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's name: Alice Evans, 48

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Marital status: Single

Siblings:

1. Walter Evans, 21
2. Bernard Evans, 20
3. Robert Evans, 12
4. Edith Evans, 5 [adopted]

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**1900 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Walter Evans

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 21

Born: August 1878

Occupation: Day laborer

Father's name: William Evans, 48

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's name: Alice Evans, 48

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Marital status: Single

Siblings:

1. William Evans, 26
2. Bernard Evans, 20
3. Robert Evans, 12
4. Edith Evans, 5 [adopted]

**1910 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: William Evans [father]

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Born: 1854

Occupation:

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Alice Evans, 54

Years married: 39

Children:

- Robert Evans, 21

**World War One Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918**<sup>5</sup>

Name: Walter Evans

Address: 2619 Green's Court, Washington, D.C.

Born: August 8, 1877

Age: 41

Occupation: Driver

Nearest relative: Mr. Robert Evans

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**William and Walter Evans**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>6</sup>

Name: Walter Evans

Location: Washington, Washington, District of Columbia

Age: 43

Born: Circa 1877

Birthplace: District of Columbia

Occupation: Driver

Father: [William Evans], Deceased.

Father's birthplace: West Virginia

Mother: Alice Evans, 65

Other household members:

1. Mary Lewis, 75 [aunt]
2. Geneva Evans, 19 [sister]
3. James Winfield, 20 [lodger]
4. Daniel Johnson, 19 [lodger]

**Other records**

- On June 23, 1922, the Washington Post reported that Walter Evans of Hall's Hill died.

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<sup>6</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 23

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The stone between the asphalt and the fieldstone appears to be vertically situated. There is a possibility that it may mark a grave.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**T.W. Hyson**

**Map Identification Number:** 24

**Deceased:** T.W Hyson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** 3/6/1938

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base  
 Footstone       Bedstead  
 Bevel       Plaque  
 Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

T.W. HYSON/DIED/APRIL 6 1938

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None



**Marker Notes:** A portion of the inscription is no longer evident due to weathering and erosion. Lichen is evident on the face of the stone, which may lead to disfiguration, staining, blistering, and spalling of the marble.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**T.W. Hyson**



**1870 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Thornton Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 9

Born: Circa 1861

Birthplace: Virginia

Mother: Margaret Hyson

Father: T Hyson

Siblings:

1. George Hyson, 19
2. Charlotte Hyson, 17
3. Ellen Hyson, 12
4. Cornelia Hyson, 6
5. Alice Hyson, 4
6. Mary Powell, 21 [boarder]

**1880 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Thornton Hyson

Location: Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 20

Birth: Circa 1860

Occupation: Laborer

Marital Status: Single

Father: Thornton Hyson, 57

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother: Margaret Hyson, 53

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Siblings:

1. George Hyson, 28
2. Thornton Hyson, 20
3. Cornelia Hyson, 16
4. Martha A. Hyson 13

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1870 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**T.W. Hyson**



**1900 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Thornton W. Hyson

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 39

Born: March 1861

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Sarah Hyson

Married: 1875

Occupation: Public school teacher

Children:

1. Claude H. Hyson, 14
2. Walter R. Hyson, 9
3. Viola P. Hyson, 7
4. Anita E. Hyson, 3

Other household members:

1. Emaliee Ferguson, 66 [mother-in-law]

**1910 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Thornton W. Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 45

Born: 1865

Spouse: Sarah F. Hyson, 42

Children:

1. Claude H. Hyson, 20
2. Wallie R. Hyson, 18
3. Viola P. Hyson, 16
4. Elnede [Anita] N. Hyson, 13

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Biographical Information

T.W. Hyson



### 1920 United States Census<sup>5</sup>

Name: Thornton W. Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 58

Born: Circa 1862

Occupation: Laborer, Government services

Spouse: Sarah Hyson, 56

Children:

1. Claudius Hyson, 34
2. Ernest Snowden, 26 [son-in-law]
3. Anita E. Snowden, 22 [daughter]

### 1930 United States Census<sup>6</sup>

Name: T Hyson

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 59

Born: Circa 1871

Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Sarah Hyson

Children:

1. Viola Balling, 35

Grandchildren:

1. Bessie Wright, 19
2. Mignon Balling, 14
3. Lewis Balling, 8

### Other records:

- In 1903, T.W. Hyson was a teacher in Falls Church.<sup>7</sup>
- In 1927, T.W. Hyson was principal of Chesterbrook High School.<sup>8</sup>

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<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>6</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>7</sup> "Hyson T.W. Falls Church Teacher," *Fairfax Herald*, August 21, 1903.

<sup>8</sup> "Hyson T.W. Chesterbrook School Principal," *Fairfax Herald*, October 14, 1927.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Priscilla Nickerson**

**Map Identification Number:** 25

**Deceased:** Priscilla Nickerson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

MRS/PRISCILLA/NICKERSON

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** Biological growth is evident on the face of the marker. Remnants of a concrete bedstead were revealed during the 2010 probing fieldwork (see next photograph).



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Priscilla Nickerson**

**Other Photographs:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Priscilla Nickerson**



**1920 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Priscilla Nickerson  
Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 32  
Born: Circa 1888  
Birthplace: Virginia  
Occupation: Laundress  
Spouse: Robert Nickerson, 34  
Mother's Birthplace: Virginia  
Father's Birthplace: Virginia  
Children: Herman L Nickerson, 8

**Information on Robert Nickerson:**

**World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Robert Nickerson  
Address: Cherrydale, Alexandria, Virginia  
Born: May 4, 1884  
Age: 34  
Occupation: Chauffeur  
Employer: Paper Mill Co., District of Columbia  
Nearest Relative: *Priscilla Nickerson*  
Date of Registration: September 12, 1918

**World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Robert Nickerson  
Address: 2006 N. Culpepper, Arlington, Virginia,  
Born: May 5, 1885  
Age: 54  
Contact: C.W. Chinn, 4830 N. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, Arlington, Virginia  
Registration: 4/27/1942

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> By 1942, Priscilla Nickerson is no longer listed on Robert's registration card. Ancestry, *World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 26

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

Tablet       Tablet in base

Footstone     Bedstead

Bevel           Plaque

Cross           Unknown

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The bedstead is buried.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Shirley Snowden**

**Map Identification Number:** 27

**Deceased:** Shirley Snowden

**Birth:** 1857

**Death:** 9/29/1929

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Block in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel         Plaque  
 Cross         Unknown

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

Face of marker:

SHIRLEY/SNOWDEN/DIED/SEPT.26 1929/

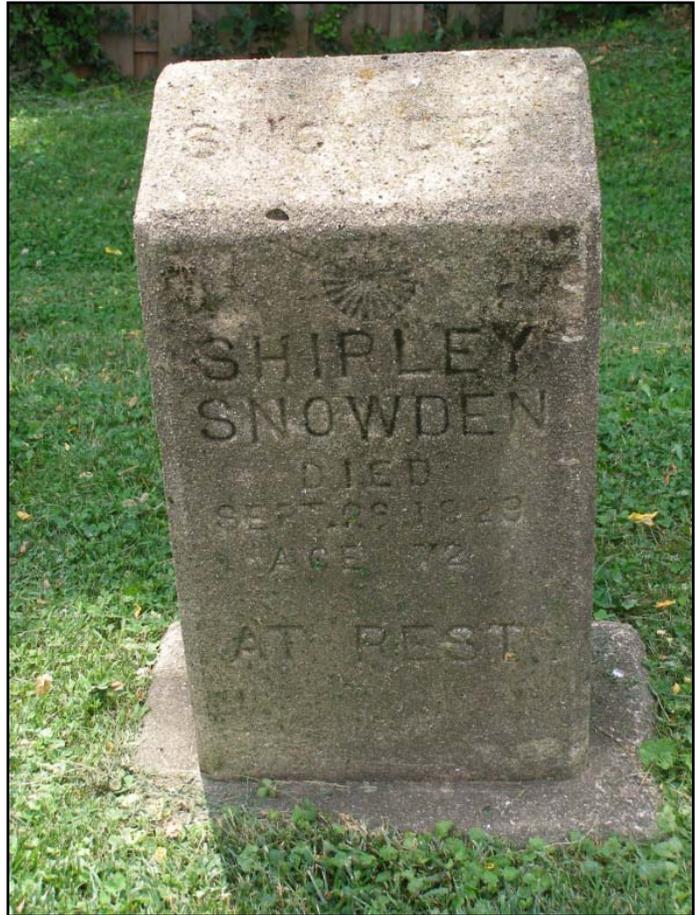
AGE 72/AT REST

Top of marker: SNOWDEN

**Iconography:** Sun.

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** None



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Shirley Snowden**



**1880 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Shirley Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 23

Birth: Circa 1857

Occupation: Laborer

Marital Status: Single

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Household members:

1. Moses Jackson, 38 [uncle]
2. Martha Jackson, 35 [aunt]
3. Benjamin Brice, 16 [boarder]

**1900 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Shirley Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 42

Birth: May 1858

Birthplace: Virginia

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Clara E. Snowden, 31

Married: 1883

Occupation: Farm laborer

Children:

1. Cora Snowden, 16
2. Frank Snowden, 15
3. Hattie Snowden, 12
4. Mattie Snowden, 10
5. Ernest Snowden, 5

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Shirley Snowden**



**1910 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Shirley Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 52

Born: Circa 1858

Birthplace: Virginia

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Clara E. Snowden, 40

Children:

1. Mattie Snowden, 20
2. Ernest Snowden, 17

**1920 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Shirley Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 58

Birth: Circa 1862

Occupation: Gardener

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Clara V. Snowden, 48

Household members:

1. Ernest Snowden, 26 [son]
2. Anita Snowden, 23 [daughter-in-law]

**Other records**

- On December 15, 1886, Shelley [Shirley] Snowden of Alexandria, 28 years old, son of Frank and Ester Snowden, married Clara Williams of Alexandria County, 18 years old, daughter of Frank and Harriet Williams. J.H. Jackson, minister of Calloway church, performed the services in at the M.E. Church in Halls' Hill.<sup>5</sup>
- Shirley Snowden's will book listed the following children.<sup>6</sup>
  - Cora Snowden Hill
  - Ernest Snowden
  - Mattie Snowden Bell
  - Hattie Snowden Wilson
  - Frank Snowden

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> Wesley E. Pippenger, *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Marriage Records, 1853-1895* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 241.

<sup>6</sup> Arlington County Probate Records, *Will Book 14* (Arlington County Court House, Virginia), pp. 321-322.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Godfrey Carrington**

**Map Identification Number:** 28

**Deceased:** Godfrey Carrington

**Birth:** N/A

**Death:** 11/26/1929

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Block in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel         Plaque  
 Cross         Unknown

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

Face of marker: GODFREY CARRINGTON/DIED/NOV.  
26 1929/AGE 49/AT REST



**Iconography:** The farewell handshake, or clasped hands iconography, typically symbolizes a final farewell or the bonds of marriage. Often one hand is male and the other female, which is typically differentiated by the sleeves. Also, clasped hands are a symbol of the fraternal Order of Odd Fellows.

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** The top of the marker is at a low angle and features the shaking hands iconography.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Godfrey Carrington**



**1910 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Godfrey Carrington  
Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 29  
Born: Circa 1881  
Occupation: Farmer  
Father's birthplace: Virginia  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Spouse: Carrie Carrington, 28  
Children:

1. Dorothy Carrington, 10
2. Thelma Carrington, 8

Cousins:

3. John Berrey, 23
4. Lila Berrey, 17

**1920 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Godfrey J. Carrington  
Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 41  
Born: Circa 1879  
Birthplace: Virginia  
Occupation: Laborer at dairy farm  
Father's birthplace: Virginia  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Spouse: Carrie Carrington, 40  
Children:

1. Dorothy E. Jones, 21 [widow]
2. Gwendolyn G. Jones, 1 [grand-daughter]
3. Wilfred White, 21 [adopted son]

**World War One Draft Card<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Godfrey J. Carrington  
Address: East Falls Church, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 41  
Born: July 15, 1877  
Occupation: Teamster  
Employer: John Carpenter  
Employment address: East Falls Church, Alexandria, Virginia

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

Charles Thomas Bell

**Map Identification Number:** 29

**Deceased:** Charles Thomas Bell

**Birth:** 08/01/1889

**Death:** 02/07/1957

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Metal

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** CHARLES T. BELL/BORN – AUG 1, 1889/  
DIED – FEB 7, 1957/REST IN PEACE

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup> It has been buried underground for up to twenty years.



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Charles Thomas Bell**



**1910 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Thomas Bell

Location: Alexandria Ward 3, Alexandria (Independent City), Virginia

Age: 21

Born: Circa 1889

Birthplace: Virginia

Marital status: Single

Siblings:

1. Margaret Bell, 23
2. Tena Bell, 25

**1920 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Charles Thomas Bell

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 30

Born: Circa 1890

Occupation: Caulker, shipyard

Spouse: Mattie E. Bell

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Other household members:

1. Doris V. Bell, 1
2. Clementine D. Bell, 4 months
3. Celestine V. Bell, 4 months

**1930 United States Census<sup>4</sup>**

Name: Thomas Bell

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 39

Born: Circa 1891

Birthplace: Virginia

Occupation: General Laborer

Spouse: Matte Bell, 39

Children:

1. Doris Bell, 12
2. Viola Bell, 3
3. Thomas R. Bell, 2

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<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Charles Thomas Bell**



**World War II Draft Registration Card<sup>5</sup>**

Name: Thomas Bell

Born: August 1, 1890

Age: 52

Address: 5007 22st N. Arlington, Virginia

Place of birth: Halls Hill, Arlington, Virginia

Contact person: Charles W. Chinn, 5004 22<sup>nd</sup> Street N., Arlington, Virginia

Employer's name: Tony Gaddy, 3618 1<sup>st</sup> Road South, Arlington, Virginia

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<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 30

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Displaced

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Orze Jones**

**Map Identification Number:** 31

**Deceased:** Orze Jones

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** June 14, 1933

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plaque |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown           |

**Material:** Brass

**Condition:** Good

**Marker Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

ORZE JONES/DIED JUNE 14, 1933/REST IN PEACE

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** Orze Jones is buried beneath Donald Washington. This marker has been buried underground.



**1880 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Orze Jones

Location: Broad Run, Loudoun, Virginia

Age: 23

Born: Circa 1857

Occupation: None

Marital Status: Single

Sibling: Ann Jones, 45

Household members (Ann's children):

1. Richard Jones, 28
2. Maria Jones, 26
3. Fannie Jones, 21
4. Garrison Jones, 18
5. Phillip Jones, 11
6. Hattie Jones, 10
7. Bettie Jones, 3 [granddaughter]
8. Carrie Jones, 2 [granddaughter]

**1930 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Orze Jones

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 63

Born: Circa 1867

Occupation: Laborer

Spouse: Fannie Jones, 52

Children:

1. George Jones, 11

**Other Records**

- George Jones, the son of Orze Jones, stated that his father was born near Leesburg circa 1855. George's mother, Fannie Jones, [formerly Fannie Evans], originally Fannie King, was born near Cherrydale, Arlington, Virginia. When Orze and Donald Washington, his nephew, died within a few weeks of each other, the family buried Donald Washington above Orze Jones. In the 1970s, George made the brass plaque for his father. Fannie Jones was not buried at Calloway Cemetery since it was full when she passed. Her grave is located at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1880 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Interview with George M. Jones, Sr., by Patrick O'Neill and John Liebertz, Arlington, VA, 18 October 2010.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Donald S. Washington**

**Map Identification Number:** 32

**Deceased:** Donald S. Washington

**Birth:** February 13, 1931

**Death:** June 19, 1937

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Block    |

**Material:** Granite

**Condition:** Excellent

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

BELOVED SON/DONALD S.WASHINGTON/  
FEB . 12, 1931/JUNE 19, 1937

**Iconography:** Floral Patterns. The two daisies flanking “beloved son” symbolize the innocence of children and young people.

**Ornamentation:** Ornate border and various textures.

**Marker Notes:** This is the only granite marker located in the cemetery. In the 1930s, granite, a durable and hard stone, replaced marble as the choice material for grave markers when technology allowed an easier method for carving. Also, Orze Jones’s marker, Donald Washington’s relative, is located within the bedstead.



**Other Records**

- Donald Washington, the grandson of Orze Jones, died within a few weeks of his grandfather and was buried above Orze Jones.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Interview with George M. Jones, Sr., by Patrick O'Neill and John Liebertz, Arlington, VA, 18 October 2010.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**George Jefferson**

**Map Identification Number:** 33

**Deceased:** George Jefferson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

GEORGE/JEFFERSON/DIED



**Iconography:** Three chain links are a symbol of the Fraternal Order of Odd Fellows.

**Ornamentation:** The carver placed decorative elements above and to the sides of the chain links.

**Marker Notes:** The marker appears to be partially buried. It is unknown if the marker has any additional inscription hidden below ground.

**Virginia Marriage Record<sup>1</sup>**

- On October 2, 1881, George Jefferson of Alexandria County, a 23 year-old farmer, married Lucinda Wallace of Maryland, 21 years old. Joseph Henry, a minister of Calloway Methodist Church in Hall's Hill, performed the wedding services.

**1900 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: George Jefferson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 32

Born: Virginia

Occupation: None

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Lucy Jefferson, 29

Marriage year: 1882

Living children: 7

Total children: 8

Children:

1. Lucinda Jefferson, 16
2. Fenton Jefferson, 14
3. Arlevie Jefferson, 15
4. Amos Jefferson, 10
5. Edgar Jefferson, 9
6. Mary Jefferson, 3

**1910 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: George Jefferson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 55

Occupation: Farm laborer

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Maryland

Spouse: Lucy Jefferson, 47

Children:

1. Mary G. Jefferson, 12
2. George R. Jefferson, 9

Other members:

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<sup>1</sup> Wesley E. Pippenger, *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Marriage Records, 1853-1896* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 129.

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**George Jefferson**



1. Artha Jefferson, 13 [boarder]

**1920 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: George Jefferson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 62

Born: 1858

Occupation: Farm laborer

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Lucinda Jefferson, 50

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<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Viola V. Epperson**

**Map Identification Number:** 34

**Deceased:** Viola V. Epperson

**Birth:** 1/07/1929

**Death:** 5/12/1951

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Block in base |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

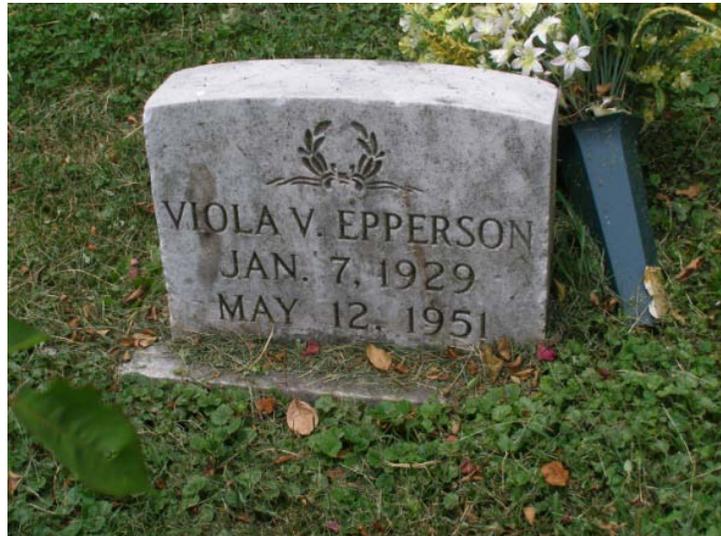
**Inscription:**

VIOLA V. EPPERSON/ JAN. 7, 1929/MAY 12, 1951

**Iconography:** A wreath typically stands for victory in death.

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Mervin Williams identified the deceased as his sister. Their parents were Abraham and Irene Williams.



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 35

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 36

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 37

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 38

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Thelma C. Newman**

**Map Identification Number:** 39

**Deceased:** Thelma C. Newman

**Birth:** March 29, 1900

**Death:** September 16, 1933

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plaque   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Block    |

**Material:** Granite

**Condition:** Excellent

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

THELMA C. NEWMAN/  
MARCH 29 – 1900/SEPTEMBER 16 -1933

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None



**Marker Notes:** The inscription is on a metal plaque that is attached to the stone. The marker rests on a stone base which appears to be older, suggesting that this is a replacement marker. Remnants of a concrete bedstead were revealed during the 2010 probing fieldwork (see next photograph).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Thelma C. Newman**

**Other Photographs:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Thelma C. Newman**



**1910 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Thelma Carrington

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 8

Birth: Circa 1902

Birthplace: Pennsylvania

Father's name: Godfrey Carrington, 29

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's name: Carrie Carrington, 28

Mother's birthplace: Ohio

Siblings:

1. Dorothy Carrington, 10

Other household members (cousins):

2. John Berry, 23
3. Lila Berry, 17

**1930 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Thelma Newman

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 29

Birth: Circa 1901

Birthplace: Pennsylvania

Occupation: None

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Kentucky

Spouse: Unknown

Household members:

1. Charles W. Points, 37 [brother-in-law]
2. Dorothy Points, 31 [sister]
3. Gwendolin Points, 11 [niece]
4. Charles Points, 7 [nephew]
5. Carrie Carrington, 49 [mother]

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 40

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

Tablet       Tablet in base

Footstone       Bedstead

Bevel       Plaque

Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Cobble

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Displaced

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 41

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Slate

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 42

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 43

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Fieldstone

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Displaced

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Carrie M. Carrington**

**Map Identification Number:** 44

**Deceased:** Carrie M. Carrington

**Birth:** 09/06/1878

**Death:** 05/10/1953

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Block in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel         Plaque  
 Cross         Unknown

**Material:** Granite

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** CARRIE M. CARRINGTON/  
SEPTEMBER 6 – 1878/MAY 10 – 1953

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** Replaced a wooden marker.



**1910 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Carrie Carrington

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 28

Born: Circa 1882

Occupation: None

Father's birthplace: Ohio

Mother's birthplace: Kentucky

Spouse: Godfrey Carrington, 28

Children:

1. Dorothy Carrington, 10
2. Thelma Carrington, 8

Cousins:

3. John Berrey, 23
4. Lila Berrey, 17

**1920 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Carrie M. Carrington

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 40

Born: Circa 1880

Birthplace: Kentucky

Occupation: None

Father's birthplace: Kentucky

Mother's birthplace: Kentucky

Spouse: Godfrey Carrington, 41

Children:

1. Dorothy E. Jones, 21 [widow]
2. Gwendolyn G. Jones, 1 [granddaughter]
3. Wilfred White, 21 [adopted son]

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**1930 United States Census**<sup>3</sup>

Name: Carrie Carrington

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 49

Born: Circa 1881

Birthplace: Kentucky

Occupation: House servant

Household Members:

1. Charles W. Points, 37 [son-in-law]
2. Dorothy Points, 31 [son-in-law]
3. Gwendolin Points, 11 [granddaughter]
4. Charles Points, 7 [grandson]
5. Thelma Newman, 29 [daughter]

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 45

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bedstead |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown             |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 46

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Fair

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 47

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Poor

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Elizabeth Tenner**

**Map Identification Number:** 48

**Deceased:** Elizabeth Tenner

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tablet | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone         | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross             | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown        |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Excellent

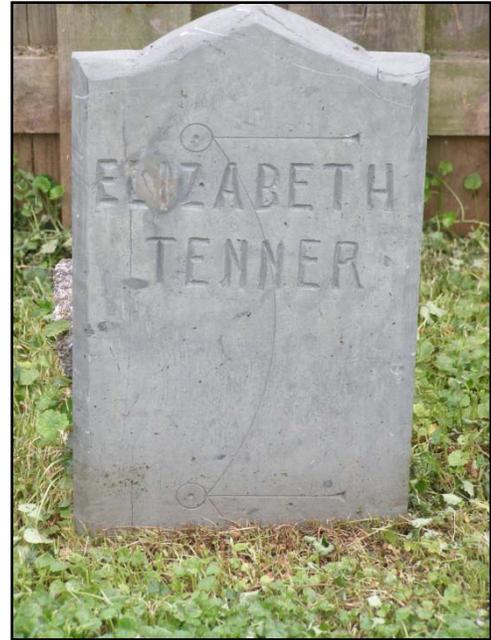
**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:** ELIZABETH/TENNER

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** Note the large ornate design on the face of the stone. It is possible that the symbol is a large stylized "E" for Elizabeth.

**Marker Notes:** Marker material might be slate rather than marble.



**Virginia Marriage Record**<sup>1</sup>

- On April 27, 1893, William Tinner of Alexandria County, 23 years old, son of Alfred and Julia, married Elizabeth Williams of Alexandria County, 19 years old, daughter of Daniel and Julia. The marriage was located in Hall's Hill and presided by John Barnett, a pastor of Calloway Church.

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<sup>1</sup> Wesley E. Pippenger, *Alexandria (Arlington) County, Virginia Marriage Records, 1853-1896* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 256.

## Calloway Cemetery Survey Marker Information

**Map Identification Number:** 49

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker could possibly be a building material remnant.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Irving C. Lewis**

**Map Identification Number:** 50

**Deceased:** Irving C. Lewis

**Birth:** 1888

**Death:** 1959

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base  
 Footstone     Bedstead  
 Bevel           Plaque  
 Cross           Unknown

**Material:** Concrete

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** In-Situ

**Inscription:**

IRVING C LEWIS/BORN 1888 DIED 1959

**Iconography:** None

**Ornamentation:** None

**Marker Notes:** The lettering on the cross is nailed into the concrete.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Irving C. Lewis**



**1910 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Irving Lewis  
Location: Precinct 3, Washington, District of Columbia  
Age: 27  
Born: Circa 1883  
Occupation: Driver, soap wagon  
Father's birthplace: Virginia  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Spouse: Lillie Lewis, 28  
Children:  
1. Helen Lewis, 9

**World War I Draft Registration Card<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Irving Crockrel Lewis  
Age: 37  
Born: 9/2/1881  
Address: 1422 36 Street Washington, D.C.  
Occupation: Chauffeur  
Employer: Hugh Riley Co.  
Nearest relative: Lillie Lewis  
Registration date: 09/12/1918

**1930 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Ervin Lewis  
Location: Maple Avenue, Washington, Arlington, Virginia  
Age: 46  
Born: Circa 1884  
Birthplace: Virginia  
Occupation: Laborer, glass house  
Marital Status: Widow  
Year of first marriage: 17  
Children:  
1. Helen Lewis, 22

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Irving C. Lewis**



**World War II Draft Registration Card, 1942**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Irving Lewis

Age: 60

Address: 1950 North Culpepper St., Arlington, Virginia

Born: 9/22/1882

Birthplace: Mclean, Fairfax County

Contact: Mrs. Ophelia Lewis

**Irving Lewis' Will**

- April 21, 1943<sup>5</sup>
  - Lavina Faggan, housekeeper, will receive entire estate if she stays with him until his death. If she leaves, Preston Miles, his half-brother, receives the estate.
  - Will noted that Helen Raby, his daughter, had already received financial benefits.
- Oct 2, 1959<sup>6</sup>
  - Irving Lewis died in Washington, D.C.
  - Lavina Faggan now his wife, Lavina Faggan Lewis
  - Heirs:
    - Lavina Faggan Lewis, 44 [wife] 1951 N. Culpepper Street, Arlington, Virginia
    - Hellen Raby, 52 [daughter] 1951 N. Culpeper Street, Arlington, Virginia
    - Ada Brown, 29 [daughter] 1950 N. Culpeper Street, Arlington, Virginia
    - Virginia Waters, 24 [daughter] Washington, D.C.

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<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> Arlington County Probate Records, *Will Book 40* (Arlington County Court House, Virginia), 99.

<sup>6</sup> *Ibid.*, 102.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 51

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 52

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- Tablet       Tablet in base
- Footstone       Bedstead
- Bevel       Plaque
- Cross       Unknown

**Material:** Marble

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** Stone is leaning forward. The symbol on the front face possibly could be a willow tree.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Map Identification Number:** 53

**Deceased:** Unknown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Good

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:**



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Leroy Brown**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Leroy Brown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

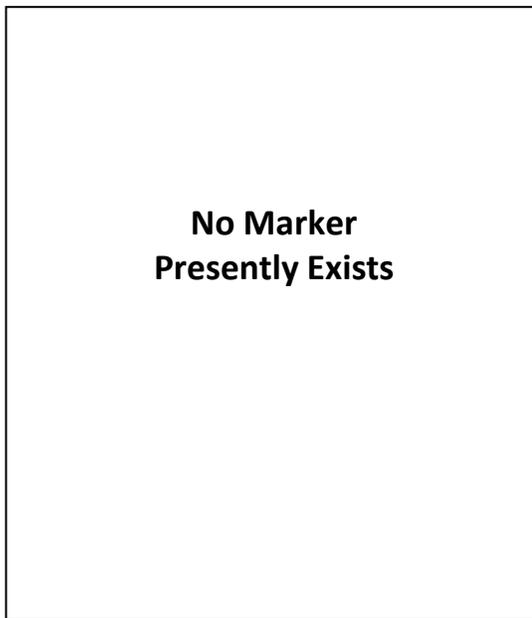
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In November 2011, members of the Brown family identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Leroy Brown**



**1930 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Leroy Brown

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 25

Occupation: Chauffeur for a private house

Parents: Richard Brown, 42 and Josephine, 45

Siblings:

1. Catherine Brown, 14
2. Richard Brown, 12
3. Oliver Brown, 8
4. Clifton Brown, 3

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Richard A. Brown**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Richard A. Brown

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

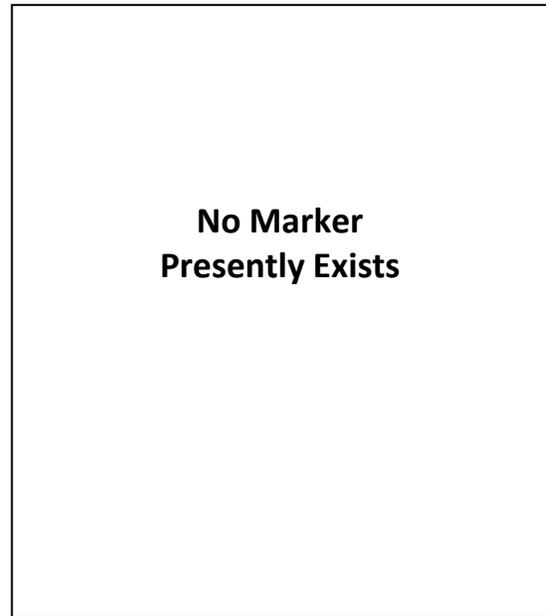
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, grandchildren of the James Brown family identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Richard A. Brown**



**1930 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Richard Brown

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 42

Born: Circa 1888

Occupation: General laborer

Spouse: Josephine, 45

Children:

1. Leroy Brown, 25
2. Catherine Brown, 14
3. Richard Brown, 12
4. Oliver Brown, 8
5. Clifton Brown, 3

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Aaron Russell Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Aaron Russell Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as the brother of John J. (JJ) Carpenter.

**No Marker  
Presently Exists**

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Aaron Russell Carpenter**



**1920 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Aaron Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1665 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 51

Occupation: Laborer, paper mill

Spouse: Julia Carpenter, 40

Children:

1. Marie Carpenter, 22
2. Alberta Carpenter, 18
3. Oscar Carpenter, 15
4. Aaron Carpenter, 14
5. Beulah Carpenter, 11
6. Duachey? Carpenter, 7
7. Lillian Carpenter, 3
8. Eleanor Carpenter, 1

**1930 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Aaron Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1688 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 56

Born: Circa 1874

Occupation: Carpenter, of his own accord

Spouse: Julia Carpenter, 52

Children:

1. Alberta Carpenter, 30
2. Dorothy Carpenter, 18
3. Juanita Carpenter, 15
4. Eleanor Carpenter, 11
5. Mary L. Carpenter, 7
6. Robnetta Robinson, 6 (granddaughter)
7. Erwin Carpenter, 24

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Buella Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Buella Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as a daughter of Aaron Russell Carpenter and Julia Ann Carpenter.

**No Marker  
Presently Exists**

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Buella Carpenter**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>1</sup>

Name: Beulah [Buella] Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1665 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 11

Parents: Aaron and Julia Carpenter

Siblings:

1. Marie Carpenter, 22
2. Alberta Carpenter, 18
3. Oscar Carpenter, 15
4. Aaron Carpenter, 14
5. Duachey? Carpenter, 7
6. Lillian Carpenter, 3
7. Eleanor Carpenter, 1

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Juanita Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Juanita Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

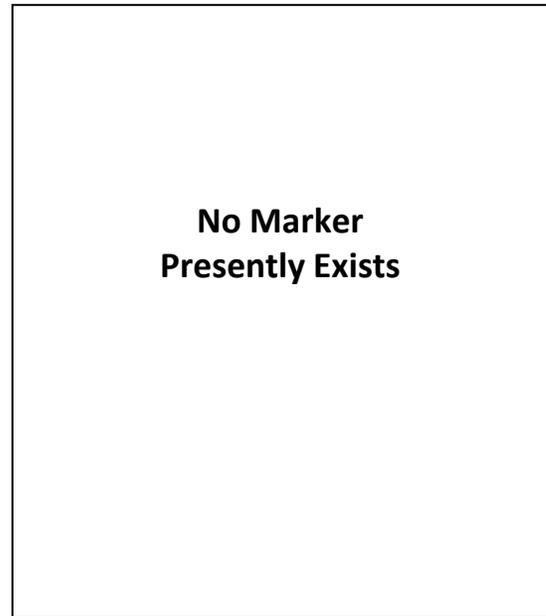
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as a daughter of Aaron Russell Carpenter and Julia Ann Carpenter.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Juanita Carpenter**



**1930 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Juanita Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1688 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 15

Parents: Aaron and Julia Carpenter

Siblings:

1. Alberta Carpenter, 30
2. Dorothy Carpenter, 18
3. Eleanor Carpenter, 11
4. Mary L. Carpenter, 7
5. Erwin Carpenter, 24

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Julia Ann Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Julia Ann Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as the wife of Aaron Russell Carpenter.

**No Marker  
Presently Exists**

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Julia Ann Carpenter**



**1920 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Julia Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1665 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 40

Spouse: Aaron Carpenter, 51

Children:

1. Marie Carpenter, 22
2. Alberta Carpenter, 18
3. Oscar Carpenter, 15
4. Aaron Carpenter, 14
5. Beulah Carpenter, 11
6. Duachey? Carpenter, 7
7. Lillian Carpenter, 3
8. Eleanor Carpenter, 1

**1930 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Julia Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1688 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 52

Spouse: Aaron Carpenter, 56

Children:

1. Alberta Carpenter, 30
2. Dorothy Carpenter, 18
3. Juanita Carpenter, 15
4. Eleanor Carpenter, 11
5. Mary L. Carpenter, 7
6. Robnetta Robinson, 6 (granddaughter)
7. Erwin Carpenter, 24

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Oscar Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Oscar Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as a son of Aaron Russell Carpenter and Julia Ann Carpenter.

**No Marker  
Presently Exists**

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Oscar Carpenter**



**1920 United States Census**<sup>1</sup>

Name: Oscar Carpenter

Location: Washington, District of Columbia

Address: 1665 32<sup>nd</sup> Street

Age: 15

Parents: Aaron and Julia Carpenter

Siblings:

1. Marie Carpenter, 22
2. Alberta Carpenter, 18
3. Aaron Carpenter, 14
4. Beulah Carpenter, 11
5. Duachey? Carpenter, 7
6. Lillian Carpenter, 3
7. Eleanor Carpenter, 1

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Wilbur Carpenter**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Wilbur Carpenter

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Bernard Carpenter identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery and as a son of Aaron Russell Carpenter and Julia Ann Carpenter. He was not listed in any census records.

**No Marker  
Presently Exists**

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Edward A. Felder**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Edward A. Felder

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

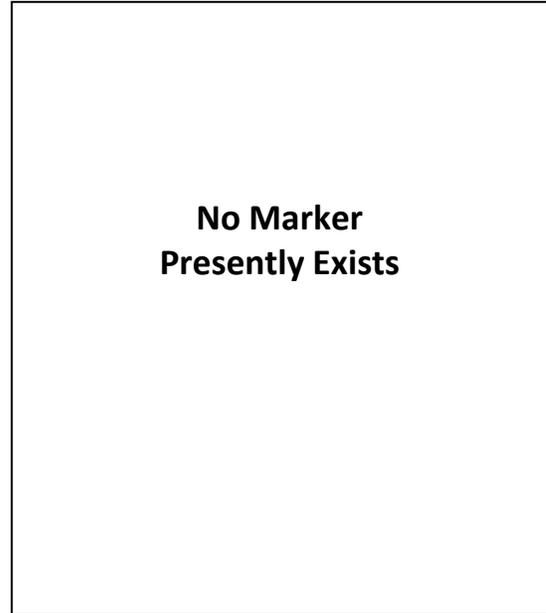
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Edward A. Felder**



**World War I Draft Registration Card<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Edward Alonzo Felder

Address: Box 67, Ballston, Virginia

Age: 39

Born: June 4, 1879

Occupation: Brick mason

Employer: Harry Wardman, War Brick Ins., United States Government

Wife: Irene Pansy Felder

**1920 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Edward A Felder

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 40

Born: Circa 1880

Occupation: Brick layer

Spouse: Irene P. Felder, 38

Children:

1. Stella F. Felder, 13
2. Naomi I. Felder, 11
3. Ruth Felder, 9
4. Inez E. Felder, 7
5. Edna Z. Felder, 5
6. Edward A. Felder, 3 years 3 months
7. David A. Felder, 2

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<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Baby Ferguson**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Baby Ferguson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

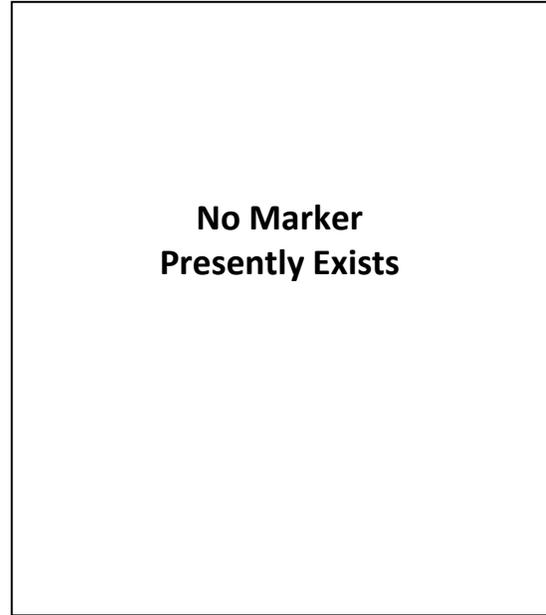
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Booker T. Forman**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Booker T. Foreman

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

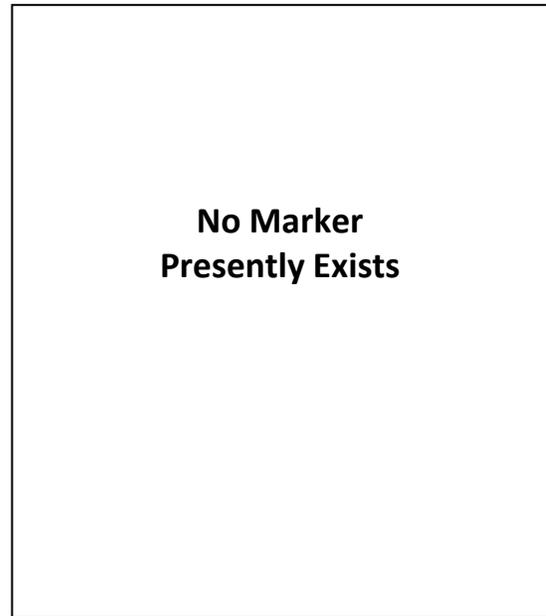
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, nephew Alfred Forman identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Booker T. Forman**



**1930 United States Census<sup>1</sup>**

Name: Booker T. Foreman [note different spelling of surname]

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 20

Born: Circa 1910

Occupation: Assistant cook, Pullman cars

Listed as a boarder with the Frank Williams household

Mother: Josephine, widow, 35

Sister: Marion, 15

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 8, 2011).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Sarah Hyson**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Sarah Hyson

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

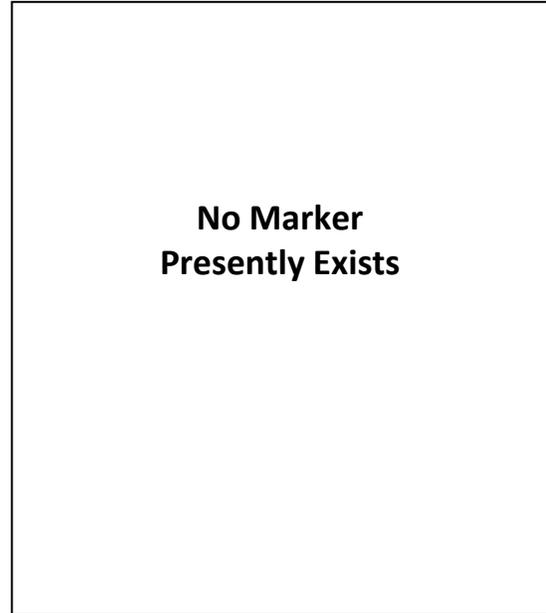
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Sarah Hyson**



**1870 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Sarah Ferguson

Location: Eastern District, Loudoun, Virginia

Age: 7

Born: Circa 1863

Father: Lemuel Ferguson, 48

Mother: Emeline Ferguson, 37

Siblings:

1. Robert Ferguson, 19
2. Elias Ferguson, 17
3. Thomas Ferguson, 9
4. Sarah Ferguson, 7
5. Annie Ferguson, 3
6. Mary Ferguson, 1

**1900 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Sarah Hyson

Location: Arlington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 37

Born: March 1863

Father's Birthplace: Virginia

Mother's Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Thornton T.W., 39

Married: 1875

Occupation: Public school teacher

Children:

1. Claude H. Hyson, 14
2. Walter R. Hyson, 9
3. Viola P. Hyson, 7
4. Anita E. Hyson, 3

Other household members:

1. Emaliee Ferguson, 66 [mother]

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<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1870 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Sarah Hyson**



**1910 United States Census**<sup>4</sup>

Name: Sarah F. Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 42

Born: Circa 1868

Spouse: Sarah F. Hyson, 45

Children:

1. Claude H. Hyson, 20
2. Wallie R. Hyson, 18
3. Viola P. Hyson, 16
4. Elnede [Anita] N. Hyson, 13

**1920 United States Census**<sup>5</sup>

Name: Sarah Hyson

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 56

Born: Circa 1864

Occupation: Laborer, Government services

Spouse: Thornton W., 58

Children:

1. Claudius Hyson, 34
2. Ernest Snowden, 26 [son-in-law]
3. Anita E. Snowden, 22 [daughter]

**1930 United States Census**<sup>6</sup>

Name: Sarah Hyson

Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia

Age: 65

Born: Circa 1865

Birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: T Hyson, 59

Age at first marriage: 20

Children:

1. Viola Balling, 35

Grandchildren:

1. Bessie Wright, 19
2. Mignon Balling, 14
3. Lewis Balling, 8

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<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>6</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Sarah Hyson**



**Other records:**

- On October 23, Sarah Ferguson's older brother Robert Ferguson of Loudoun County married Ellen Hyson of Arlington County. Winston Calloway presided over the ceremony in Hall's Hill.<sup>7</sup>

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<sup>7</sup> Wesley Pippenger, *Alexandria County (Arlington), Virginia Marriage Records 1853-1895* (Westminster, MD: Family Line Publications, 1994), 79.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Martha Mansfield**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Martha Mansfield

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

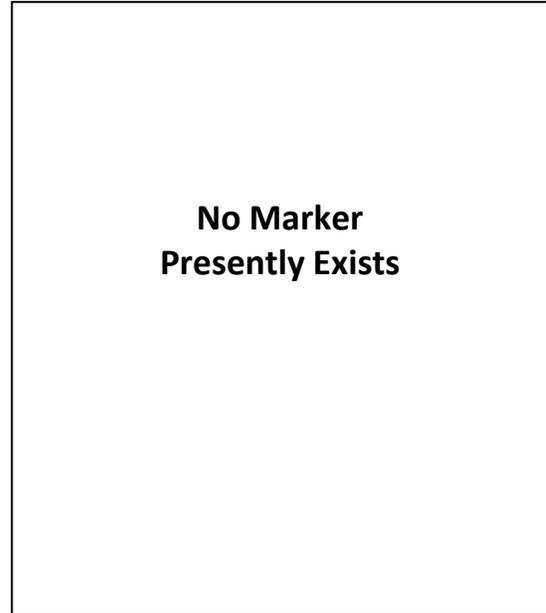
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Martha Mansfield**



**1910 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Martha Mansfield  
Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 40  
Birth: Circa 1870  
Birthplace: Virginia  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Father's birthplace: Virginia  
Occupation: None  
Marital status: Widow  
Children:  
1. Harry Mansfield, 20

**1920 United States Census<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Martha E. Mansfield  
Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 42  
Birth: Circa 1878  
Birthplace: Maryland  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Father's birthplace: Maryland  
Occupation: Domestic  
Marital status: Widow

**1930 United States Census<sup>4</sup>**

Name: Martha Mansfield  
Location: Washington, Arlington, Virginia  
Age: 45  
Born: Circa 1885  
Birthplace: Maryland  
Occupation: Servant  
Father's birthplace: Washington, D.C.  
Mother's birthplace: Virginia  
Marital Status: Widow

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<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1910 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Other Records**

- Harry Mansfield's World War I draft registration card listed a mother, wife, and two children as dependent on him for financial support. Harry's birth date was June 23, 1889 and lived in Hall's Hill.<sup>5</sup>
- Note, in the 1930s United States Census, Harry and Lucy Mansfield had a 9 month old child named Martha Mansfield. It is possible that the grave is for Harry's child and not his mother.

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<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Edlow Moten**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Edlow Moten

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

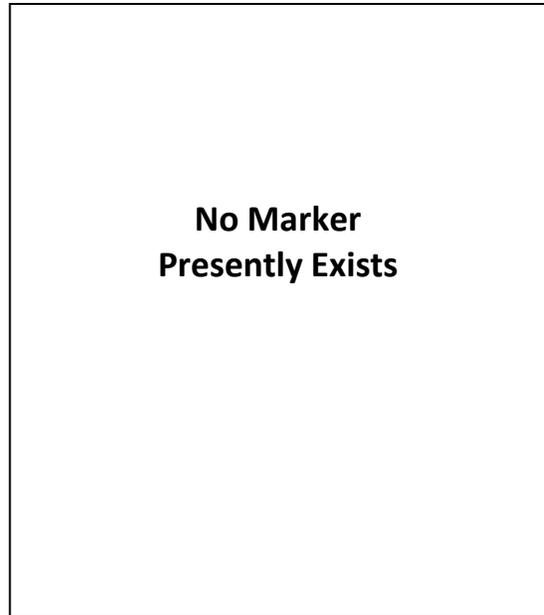
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, sister Earline Hurley identified the deceased as being buried in Calloway Cemetery.



**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Margaret Moten**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Margaret Moten

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

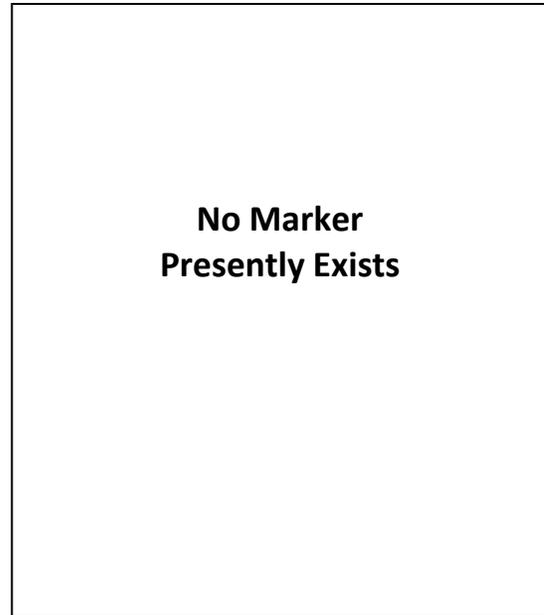
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**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup> In the October 2010 cemetery questionnaire, Mervin Williams identified the deceased as his mother-in-law.



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Della Rhubottom**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Della Rhubottom

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

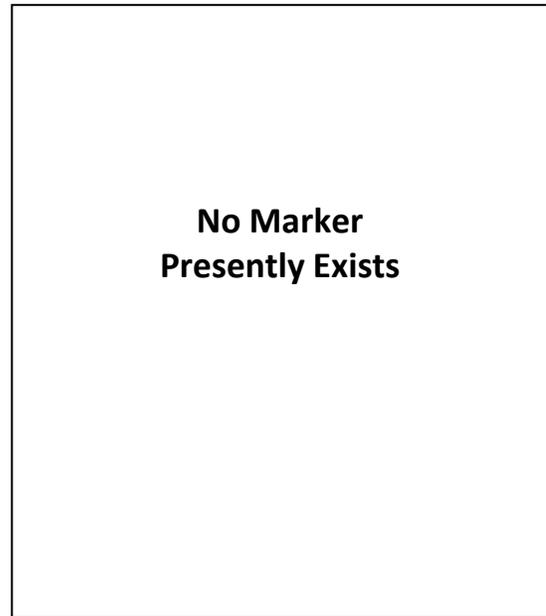
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Della Rhubottom**



**Other Records**

- In the 1920 United States Census, there is a William H. and Katie Elliot Rhubottom with adopted son Hilton listed in Hall's Hill. However, records of a Della Rhubottom were not found.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Marker Information**

**Ernest Snowden**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Ernest Snowden

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

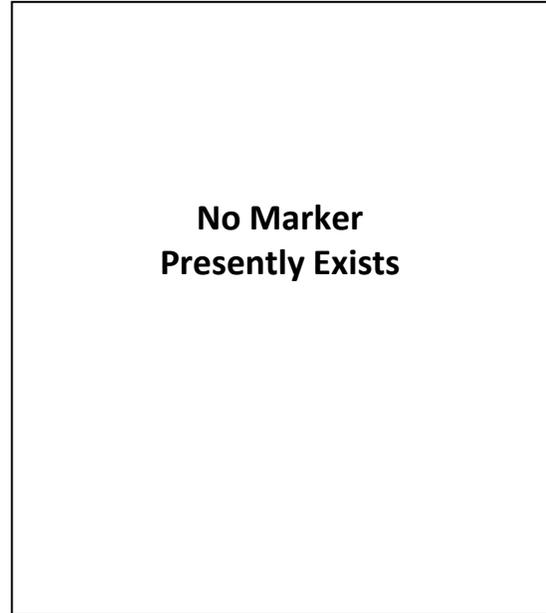
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Ernest Snowden**



**1900 United States Census<sup>2</sup>**

Name: Ernest Snowden  
Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia  
Age: 5  
Born: July 1894  
Birthplace: Virginia  
Father's name: Shirley Snowden, 42  
Father's birthplace: Virginia  
Mother's name: Clara E. Snowden, 31  
Mother's birthplace: District of Columbia  
Siblings:

1. Cora Snowden, 16
2. Frank Snowden, 15
3. Hattie Snowden, 12
4. Mattie Snowden 10

**World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918<sup>3</sup>**

Name: Ernest O. Snowden  
Address: Hall's Hill, Virginia  
Born: July 18, 1894  
Age: 23  
Occupation: Student  
School: Howard University, Washington, D.C.  
Marital Status: Single

**World War One Service<sup>4</sup>**

Private, 32 Sanitation Squad, 317 Sanitation Train, 92 Division (Buffalo Soldier)

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<sup>2</sup> Ancestry, *1900 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>3</sup> Ancestry, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry, *United States Veterans Gravesites, ca. 1775-2006*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**1920 United States Census<sup>5</sup>**

Name: Ernest Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 26

Born: 1894

Occupation: Waiter, private family

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Anita E. [Hyson] Snowden, 22

Household members:

1. Thornton W. Hyson, 58 [father-in-law]
2. Sarah F. Hyson, 56 [mother-in-law]
3. Claudius Hyson, 34 [brother-in-law]

**1930 United States Census<sup>6</sup>**

Name: Ernest Snowden

Location: Washington, Alexandria, Virginia

Age: 36

Born: 1894

Occupation: Messenger, State War and Navy

Father's birthplace: Virginia

Mother's birthplace: Virginia

Spouse: Anita Snowden, 33

Age at first marriage: 24

Veteran: World War One

Children:

1. Vivian Snowden, 6
2. Phyllis Snowden, 3
3. Chesley Snowden, 1 ½

**World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942<sup>7</sup>**

Name: Ernest Snowden

Address: 4815 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia

Born: July 18, 1893

Age: 50

Birthplace: Halls' Hill, Arlington, Virginia

Contact: Anita Snowden [wife]

Date of Registration: January 3, 1944

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<sup>5</sup> Ancestry, *1920 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>6</sup> Ancestry, *1930 United States Census*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

<sup>7</sup> Ancestry, *World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Ernest Snowden**



**Burial Information**<sup>8</sup>

Service Information: PVT 32 SAN SQD, 317 SAN TRAIN, 92 DIV

Birth date: July 18, 1894

Death date: June 4, 1959

Internment date: June 9, 1959

Cemetery: Arlington National Cemetery

Buried: Section 44, Site 59

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<sup>8</sup> Ancestry, *United States Veterans Gravesites, ca. 1775-2006*. <http://www.ancestry.com> (accessed November 15, 2010).

**Calloway Cemetery Survey  
Biographical Information**

**Leon Snowden**



**Map Identification Number:**

**Deceased:** Leon Snowden

**Birth:** Unknown

**Death:** Unknown

**Marker Type:**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tablet in base     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Footstone | <input type="checkbox"/> Bedstead           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bevel     | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaque             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

**Material:** Unknown

**Condition:** Unknown

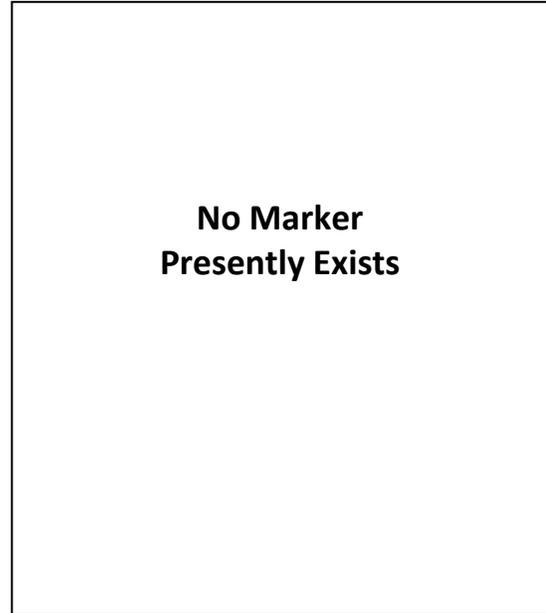
**Stone Location:** Unknown

**Inscription:** Unknown

**Iconography:** Unknown

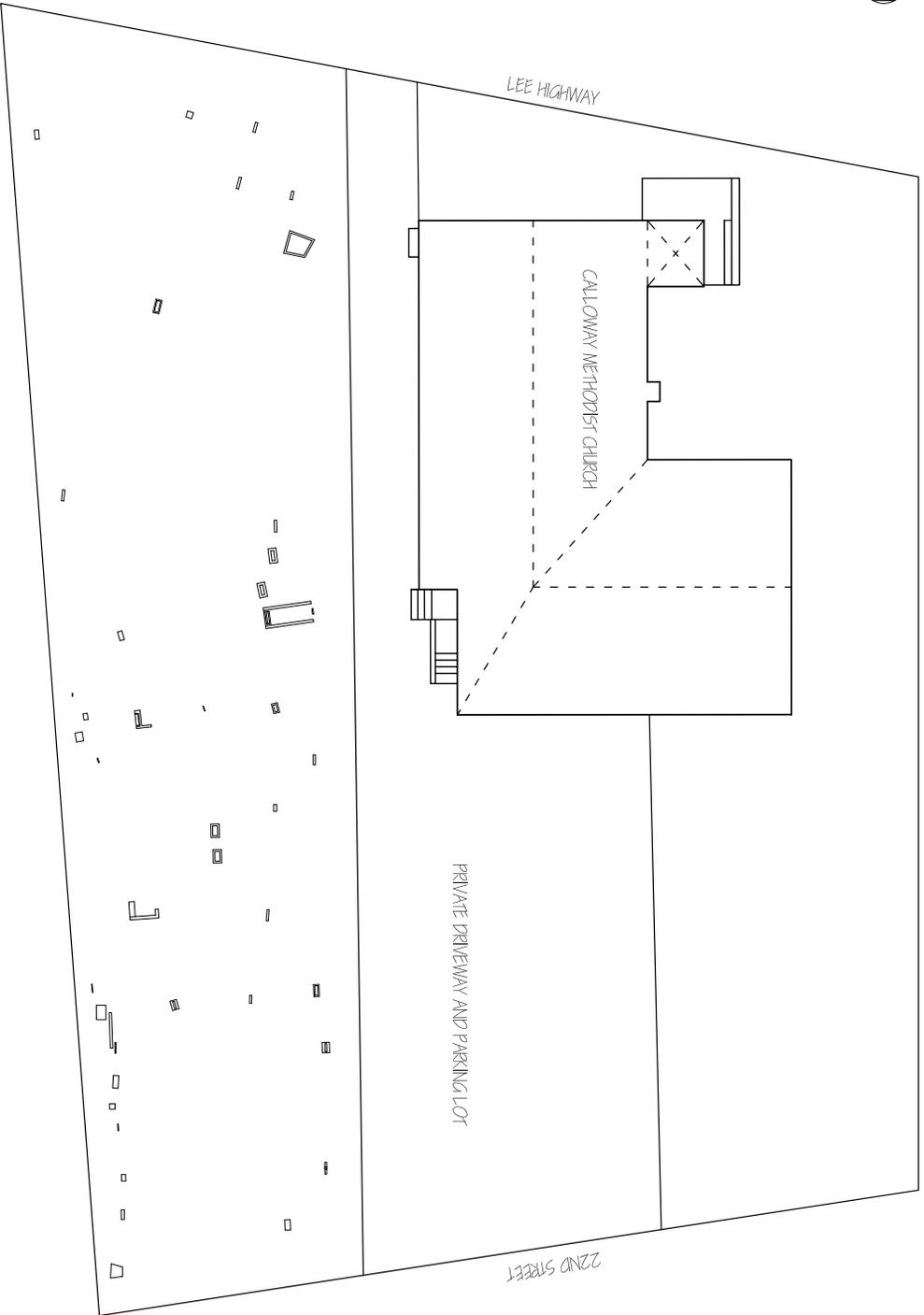
**Ornamentation:** Unknown

**Marker Notes:** The marker was listed in a 1985 cemetery survey.<sup>1</sup>



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<sup>1</sup> Arlington Genealogy Club, *Graveyards of Arlington County Virginia* (Arlington, Virginia: National Genealogical Society, 1985), 81.



**Arlington  
County  
Historic  
Preservation  
Office**

LOCATION NAME:  
CALLOWAY  
METHODIST CHURCH  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

DRAWING TITLE:  
CALLOWAY  
CHURCH  
SITE PLAN

NOTES:  
Visible grave markers  
had pre archaeological  
probos.

MEASUREMENTS  
WERE TAKEN ON  
SITE.

SCALE:  
1/16" = 1"

DRAWN:  
John Liebertz

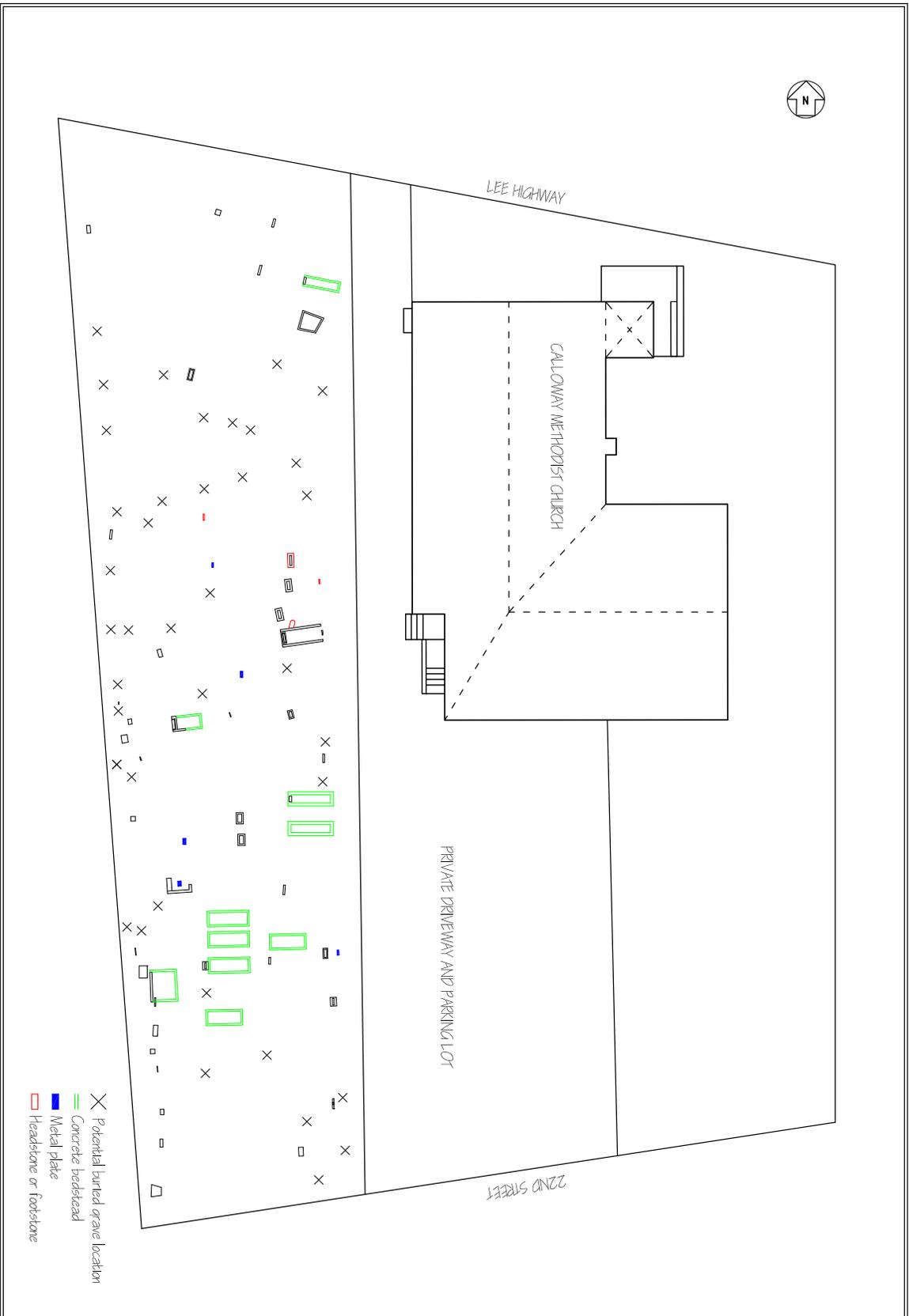
REVIEWED:  
John Liebertz

DATE: 06/16/10

MEASURED BY:  
John Paul Liebertz,  
Cynthia Leese-Torres,  
Lara Liebertz,  
Marlene Orsato

SHEET No.:  
A-1





- X Potential buried grave location
- ▭ Concrete headstead
- ▭ Metal plate
- ▭ Headstone or footstone



**Arlington County Historic Preservation Office**

LOCATION NAME:  
CALLOWAY  
METHODIST CEMETERY  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

DRAWING TITLE:  
CALLOWAY  
CEMETERY  
SITE PLAN

NOTES:  
An "X" indicates buried material - cobbles, quartz, brick, marble, slate - that may potentially mark a grave. The green rectangles are headsteads constructed from concrete; some are only partially visible. The purple squares indicate a metal plate. Red squares indicate a headstone or footstone.

MEASUREMENTS WERE TAKEN ON SITE.

SCALE:  
1/16" = 1'

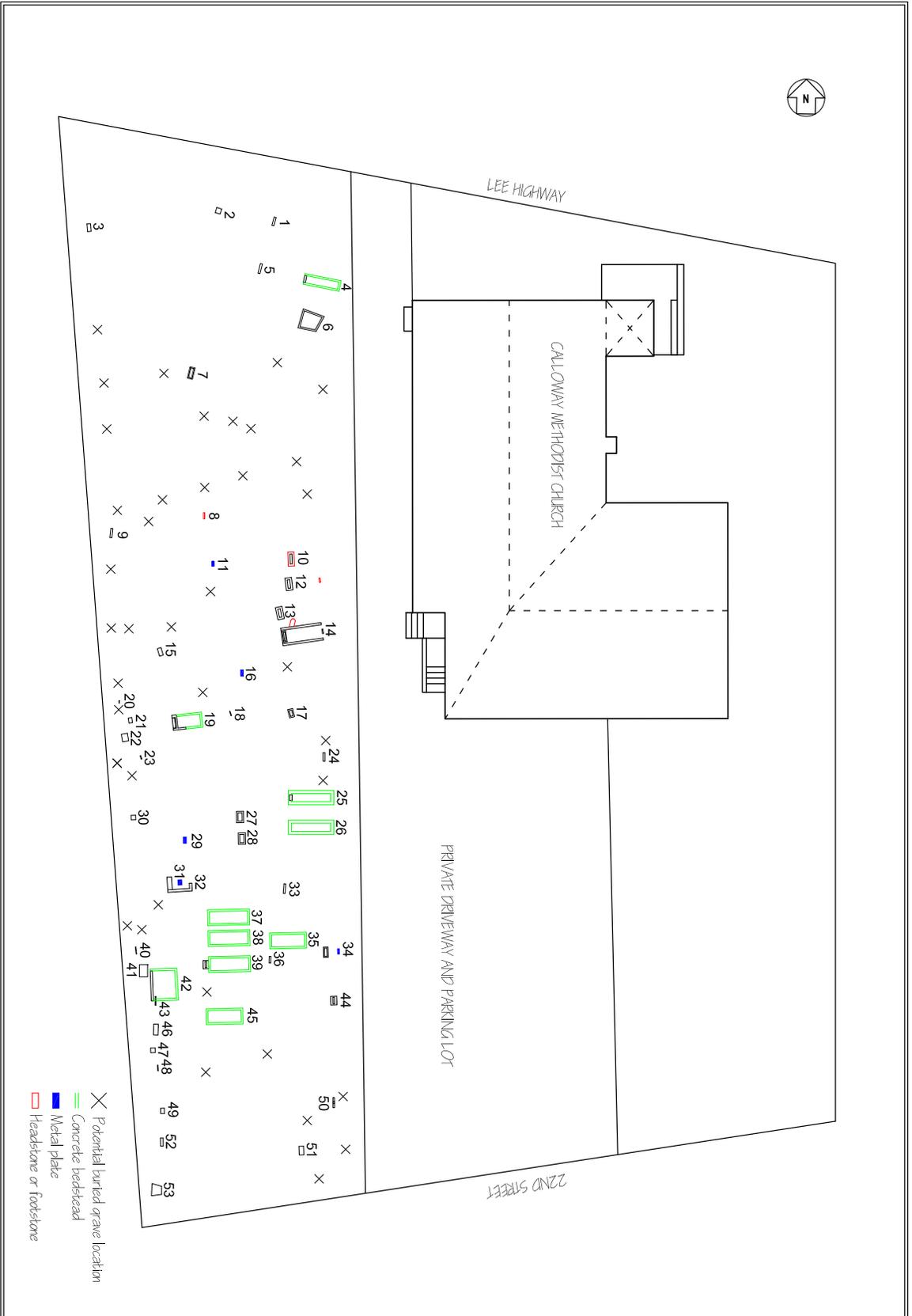
DRAWN:  
John Libertz

REVIEWED:  
John Libertz

DATE: 05/12/11

MEASURED BY:  
John Paul Libertz,  
Cynthia Lutzer-Toms,  
Laura Libertz,  
Melanie Orms

SHEET No:  
**A-2**



- X Potential buried grave location
- Concrete headstons
- Metal plate
- Headstone or footstone

Sheet No:  
**A-3**

<p><b>Arlington County Historic Preservation Office</b></p>
<p>LOCATION NAME: CALLOWAY METHODIST CEMETERY ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA</p>
<p>DRAWING TITLE: CALLOWAY CEMETERY SITE PLAN</p>
<p>NOTES: Any "X" indicates buried material -- cobble, quartz, brick, marble, slate -- that may potentially mark a grave. The green rectangles are headstons constructed from concrete; some are only partial, visible. The blue squares indicate a metal plate. Red signifies a headstone or footstone.</p> <p>The numbers correlate to the map identification number on the individual grave/stone reports.</p>
<p>MEASUREMENTS WEBER TRENCON SITE.</p>
<p>SCALE: 1/16" = 1'</p>
<p>DRAWN: John Libbertz</p>
<p>REVIEWED:</p>
<p>DATE: 05/12/11</p>
<p>MEASURED BY: John Libbertz, Caroline Lutzer-Forness, Leana Libbertz, Markus Orsato</p>

**Arlington  
County  
Historic  
Preservation  
Office**

LOCATION NAME:  
CALLONWAY  
METHODIST CEMETERY  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

DRAWING TITLE:  
CALLONWAY  
CEMETERY  
SITE PLAN

**NOTES:**

Views of Callonway  
Cemetery after prodded  
and partial reveal of  
buried concrete  
pedestals.



**View 1**



**View 2**



**View 3**



**View 4**



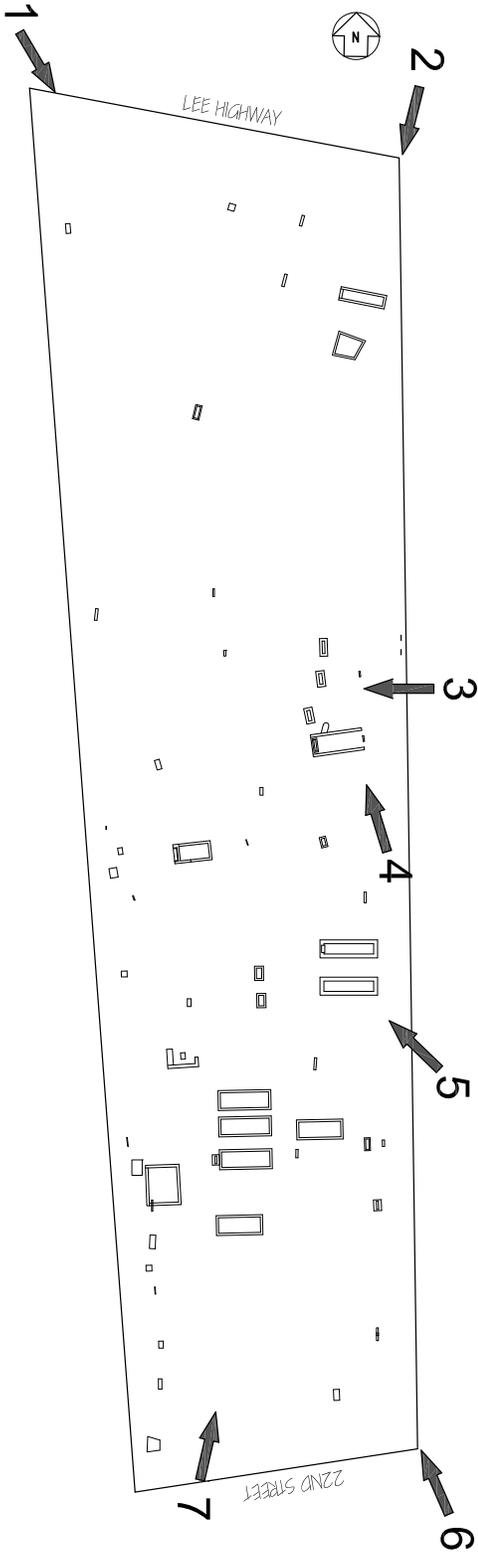
**View 5**



**View 6**



**View 7**



MEASUREMENTS  
WERE TAKEN ON  
SITE.

SCALE:  
1/16"=1"

DRAWN:  
John Libertz

REVIEWER:  
John Libertz

DATE: 09/12/11

MEASURED BY:  
John Libertz,  
Cynthia Kasser-Fores,  
Laura Libertz,  
Madeline Orsini

SHEET No.:

A-4



# Calloway United Methodist Church

Rev. Sonja Flye Oliver, Pastor

Bro. Bernard Carpenter, Lay Leader

Sis. Cryillene C. Clark, Administrative Council Chair., ~ Bro. Robert Bell, Staff/Pastor Parish Relations, Chair., ~ Bro. Alfred Forman, Trustee Chair., ~ Bro. Michael Jones, Treasurer, ~ Sis. Bernice Sherman, Church Secretary.

December 21, 2011

Ms. Nancy Iacomini  
Chairperson  
Historic Affairs and Landmark Review Board  
2100 Clarendon Blvd, Suite 300  
Arlington, VA 22201

Dear Ms. Iacomini:

Thank you for your consideration of the Calloway United Methodist Church cemetery as a local historic district. This letter is to express the support of the undersigned and the full support of Calloway's congregation for the proposed designation.

Our church cemetery has always been an important part of Calloway's history and is certainly of tremendous significance to the Hall's Hill/High View Park community. In addition to being invaluable in generating the proposal for your consideration of this designation, the wonderful research and surveying team that assisted us has already made an impact on those community members. Through this process church members and other community natives have learned more about their genealogy and embraced a commitment to learn even more.

We applaud your work in ensuring the preservation of important Arlington historical sites and thank you for your consideration of the cemetery at Calloway United Methodist Church. We look forward to the possibility of joining the thirty local historic districts in Arlington County, ensuring the preservation of this important reminder of our collective history.

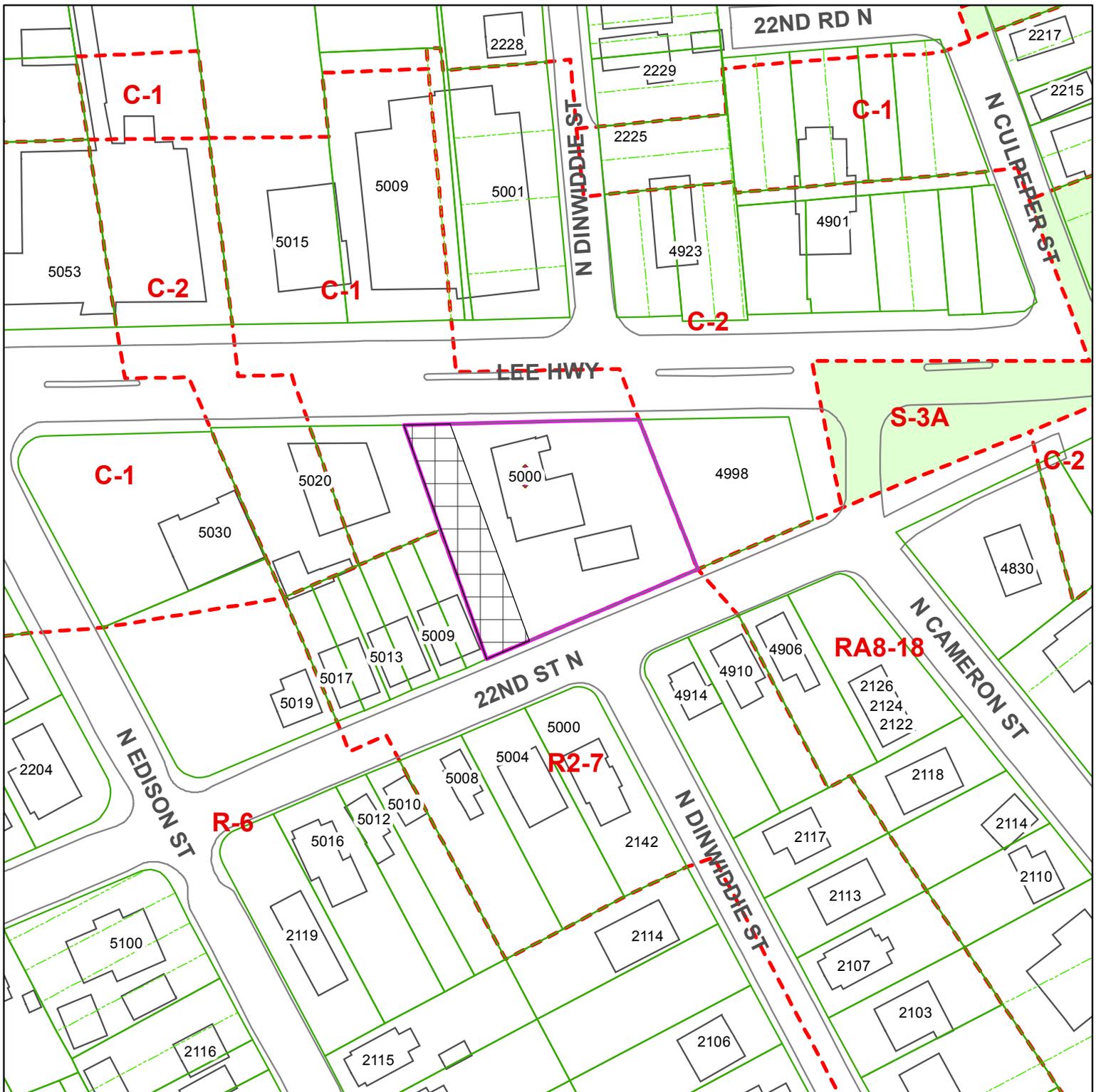
Sincerely,

Sonja F. Oliver, Pastor, Calloway UMC

Alfred Forman, Chairperson,  
Calloway UMC Board of Trustees

Cyrillene Clark, Chairperson,  
Calloway UMC Administrative Council

Church Address: 5000 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22207  
Phone Numbers: Area Code (703) Church 525-4472 ~ Parsonage: (703) 243-9792  
Fax: 525-0820 ~ E-mail: [callowayumc@verizon.net](mailto:callowayumc@verizon.net) ~ Website: [www.gbgm-umc.org/calloway](http://www.gbgm-umc.org/calloway)



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5000 Lee Hwy

RTA - Local Designation and Historic District Zoning Overlay

Calloway Cemetery

  
  
 Case Location(s)  
 Scale: 1:1,200

Note: These maps are for property location assistance only. They may not represent the latest survey and other information.