

THOSE WHO SERVED
The Cuttyhunk Cemetery

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Listed by row for ease of flag placement

Section/Row/Marker	Name	Birth/Death	Military service
Old Section 1:			
1A3	Isaiah H Tilton	1862-1893	MA Humane Society
1B 2+	Harold S Veeder	1885–1917	Ensign, U.S. Navy, WWI
1B4	Raymond H Bauer	1912-1997	Capt. US Army, WWII
1B 6+	Russell W Rotch	1863–1949	US Navy, WW I US Lifesaving Service
1C 1+	Charles W Tilton Sr.	1898-1991	US Navy, WWI
1C 3	Josiah G H Tilton	1870-1910	US Lifesaving Service
1C 7	Timothy Akin Jr	1857–1893	Capt. Humane Society
1C 11	Alpheus P Tilton Sr	1866–1935	US Lifesaving Service
1C 11+	Alpheus P Tilton Jr.	1918–1988	US Army, WW II Panama/Europe
1C 13+	Isaiah C Tilton	1895–1961	US Navy, WWI
1C 14+	Wilfred R Tilton	1920–1996	US Coast Guard, WWII/ Pacific
1C 14	Robert R Tilton	1897–1982	US Navy, WWI
1C 17	Allan Potter	1914–1995	US Coast Guard, WWII/Pacific, (Decorated)
1C 18	Milton O Jacques Jr.	1923-2013	US Coast Guard WWII, Iwo Jima
1D 14	Capt. Irwin C Hall	1879–1954	US Coast Guard, WWI, Lt. JG Naval reserve
1D 15+	Irwin Winslow Hall	1904–1983	Pvt. US Army, WWII
1D 16	David P Bosworth	1863-1939	Capt. US Lifesaving Service
1D 17	Roland S Snow	1881–1960	Capt. US Coast Guard, WWI, US Lifesaving Service

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1D 18+	Emery W Ackerman	1908–1989	US Coast Guard, WWII
1D 19	Alvin Basnight	1915–1959	BMI, US Coast Guard, WWII
1D 21+	Norman W Ricketson	1909–1968	US Coast Guard, WWII
1E 4	Clarence W Allen	1899–1975	US Coast Guard
1E 16	Richard O Cornell	1931-2002	US Navy
1E19+	Bruce Newton	1897–1946	US Coast Guard, WWII, Merchant Marine
1E 23+	Edward K Cornell	1892–1965	SI, US Navy, WW I US Coast Guard
1E 24	Octave Ponsart	1899–1972	US Lifesaving Service/ US Coast Guard, US Lighthouse Service
1E 26	Wally Ketcham	1917-2000	US Army, WW II
1E 27	Alexander C Brown	1913-2000	Capt., US Army, WWII
1F 3	Timothy P House	1925–1962	Ensign, US Navy, WWII European/Asian Theaters
1F 18+	Carlton O Veeder	1921–1967	US Marine Corps, WWII Iwo Jima, Purple Heart, Bronze Star.
1F18	Courtney Veeder	1950-2003	Pvt. US Marine Corp.
1F 19	John Stubbs	1900–1962	Co. X, US Navy, WWI, Merchant Marines
1G 1	Francis E House Jr	1889–1971	First Lt. US Army, WW I Field Artillery
1G 6	Cpt. Humphrey Jamieson	1868–1937	US Lightship Service
1G 8	Theodore M Brown	1919–1984	US Army, WWII
1G 9	Peter Smith	1913-2000	US Army, WWII
1G10	Stephen Baldwin	1921-1994	US Army Air Corp., WWII
1H 2	Robert A Lazear	1923-1999	US Army/Air Force, WWII
1H 3	Harris Huey	1916-2006	US Navy, WWII

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1H 5	Morris M Quint	1907–1957	2 nd Lt., US Army, WWII
1H 10	Newell Garfield Sr.	1895–1975	US Army, WW I, decorated
1H 11	William C Munds	1892–1976	Corporal, US Army, WWI

Section 2:

2A7	Ralph Stuart Waugh	1923-2003	US Navy, WWII
2A 11	Benjamin H Walker	1921–1995	Army Air Corp/WWII Air Force/Korean War
2A 19	James P House	1928-2003	Pvt. 1 st Class, US Army WWII
2B 8	Oliver Stevens	1918-2004	S.Sgt US Army, WWII Silver Star/Purple Heart
2B 18	Robert V Bauer	1947–1995	US Coast Guard
2C11	Peter Coope	1923-2011	Lt. Cmdr., US Navy, WWII
2D 3	John Wilder	1923-2004	SOM2, US Navy, WWII
2D 4	Robert Wilder Larmey	1948-2013	US Navy, Submarine Chaser
2D9	David C Twichell	1918-2013	US Navy pilot, WWII
2D11	Frederick P Goodrich	1925-2009	Corporal, US Army, WWII Quartermaster Corps
2E 3	William R Wilder	1919–1982	Lt. JG, US Navy, WWII
2E 4	Donald C Wilder	1917–1998	ETMI, US Navy, WW II
2E 18	Charles Nelson Shane	1919-2000	Capt., US Navy, WWII
2F 1	Elliott Ladd Thurston Jr	1921–1987	US Navy, WWII
2F 17	Albert Abby	1908-1980	US Army, WWII
2G1	Douglas S Dodge	1920-2010	Ensign, US Navy, WWII
2G 11+	Howard A Cornell	1904–1986	Merchant Marine, WWII
2G 13	Walter C Dean	1925-2001	Ensign, US Navy, WWII
2G 16	Oscar J Lodter	1912–1986	BTGC, US Navy, WWII

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Section 3: (Shed Row- Lower S/E)

3AA 2 Canon H Boone Porter 1925-2009 T.Sgt. US Army, WWII

Section 4: (Upper SW Corner/ cremains only)

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Additions:

Gordon MacLeod	US Army
A. Dix Leeson, Sr.	US Navy, WWII, SilverStar PT Boat in New Guinea

Service information provided by family members, military record research and from the files of the Cuttyhunk Historical Society.

Revisions or additions are appreciated. Contact: Shelly Merriam sjmerr22@gmail.com
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+Cuttyhunk men who served in World War II or World War I and are listed on the monument in front of the Gosnold Town Hall.

“Members of the US Lifesaving Service, US Lighthouse Service, US Lightship Service and Massachusetts Humane Society were all government employees and the organizations eventually rolled up into the US Coast Guard, therefore it is appropriate to place American Flags on their graves.” (US Lifesaving Service Historical Association)

Pawlonia tomentosa- Empress tree, Princess tree- (Planted by A.P. Tilton in the cemetery) was named after Princess Anna Pavlovna, daughter of Paul I, the czar of Russia, legend has it. Clusters of purple blossoms resembling Wisteria, bloom around Memorial Day. (Source: Allie Thurston, naturalist)

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No verification of service could be found (including Ancestry.com) for those listed below. We will continue to try and contact suggested individuals to provide appropriate information.

*Flag on the grave in the cemetery at the time of the photographic survey, 1996. Military service not confirmed. Caretaker: Richard Cornell.

1A 2*	?John Black	1851–1913	
1B 12*	?Edward A Nielsen	1928-1980	(ask Chas Tilton)
1C 16*	?Paul Ceresole	1904–1983	Colby Page Ceresole So. Dartm
1D 11*	?George A Stetson	1890–1917	
1E 8*	?John L Daggett	1869–1890	
1G 5*	?Capt. HB Miller	1852–1889	
1H 9*	?Robert Channing Pickett	1935–1994	Anita Cornell, wife