THE ARNOLD CEMETARY Pelham, Massachusetts

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The Arnold Cemetary is approached by a road leading off Amherst Road at the western end of Braysville. This road leads directly to the <a href="back">back</a> of the cemetary. Row one is farthest from theroad, row eleven is nearest. The stones are lettered from left to right.

#### ARNOLD CEMETARY

(along the walls)

A H.T.H.

B --

C I.O. A.H.

D L.A.

E S.H.J.

F C.H.J.

G E.B.

H --

I ??

J M.C.

K --

L (broken into several pieces) Welcome/ Arnold/ died Sept. 24 1826/ 1826/ Æt. 30/ years (epitaph illegible)

## ROW ONE

A --

B --

- C In memory of/Mr. Whelcome/Butterworth/who died/May 7 1831./在t. 37 yrs
- D In memory of / Capt. Abner/ Cundall/ who died/ June 11 1828/ in the 74. year of / his age

Peace to thy dust dear friend farewell

E (backwards) Sacred / to the memory of/ Mrsx. Frances W. Cundall/ wife of & Capt. John Cundall: / who died May 11, 1827. Æ 47 years

wipe off the tears from off your eyes,/ then cast a thought beyond the skies:/ there be assured this soul ofmine/ The brightest Sun it doth out x shine

F Miss/ Laura Jillson/ died/ April 27 1833/ in the 30<sup>th</sup> year ofher age

Farewellmy true and loving mate/ No longer for you can I want/ for Death doth call and I must go/ and leave you in this world below

Stop my young friends and look at me / As you pass by and think/ As you are now so once was I / As I am now so you must be/ prepare for death and follow me

G Lurena J./ wife of/ Collins Braley:/ Died/ July 19 1849/ 在。73 yrs

## ROW TWO

- A ---
- B W.B. (footstone to # 1 C)
- C E.A. (sunk into ground)
- D S.A. (same)
- E (four sided momument)(left) Savannah/ Arnold/ son of / Samuel Arnold/ Died July 30, 1849,/Aged 50 Y'rs/ 6 mo's.

Emeline/ wife of/ Savannah Arnold/ died Dec. 5, 1847, Aged 45 y'rs

(front) Samuel/ Franklin/ Arnold, son of / Savanah/ and Emiline Arnold/died/ June 3, 1898/ aged/ 68 years 6 months, 29 days

(Right) Frances/ Newell/ Arnold/ wife of / Samuel / Arnold/ died/ Sept 20, 1914/ aged/ 80 years, 7 months, 27 days

(back) there is rest in heaven.

- F S.F.A. (same as C)
- G F.C.N.A. ( same as C)

### ROW THREE

- A In/ memory of/ Zimri Cook/ son of Mr. Levi& Mrs. Rachel Cook/ died march 17./1819, in the 2 year of his age
- B Z.C. (foostone to above)
- C A.C. (# 1 D)
- D F.W.C. (# 1 E)
- E L.J. (# 1 F)
- F L.J.B. (#1 G)

## ROW FOUR

- A Welcome, / son of / Samuel & Rhoda / Arnold/ Died / Sept 24 1826/ Aged 30 years
  - (back) Erected/ by/ Frances G. Arnold/ August 1904

- B Leonard/ son of/ Samuel & Rhoda/ Arnold, / died/ Sept. 14 1806/ aged 17 years (back) Erected/ by/ Frances G. Arnold/ August 1904
- C Lucy/ Arnold/ widow of/ Nathan Armold/ died Dec 17, 1813/Æt. 81/years

  The sweet remembrance of the just shall flourish when they sleep in dust
- D Pliny Hannum J. Son of Mr Pliny & / Mrs Polly Hannum/ Died Sept 11, 1817 aged 2 years, 3 m. & 8 days
- E In memory of/ Wealthy W. Daugh. / of Mr. Pliny & Mrs/ Polly Hannum/ who died Sept 13/ 1824, Æt. 1 year/ 4 months, 20/ days (footstone)
- F (in a circle around the edge) Samuel Arnold died Nov. 19, 1838. Aged 78 yrs. (inside) Rhoda / Arnold/ wife øf/ Samuel Arnold:/ died May 6, 1826./ At. 70 / years

There was a time, that time is past, / When youth it bloom'd like thee; / A time will come, 'tis coming fast, / when thou shall fade like me

- G Polly/ widow of/ Pliny Hannum/ died April 17 1861/Æ. 73 yrs. She hath done what she could
- H Wealthy, / Daughter of Pliny& Polly / Hannum; / Died / Sept. 10.1850. / Æ. 20 yrs Sent by my Lord, on you I call / The invitation is to all / Come all the world: come sinner thou / All things in Christ are ready now.

Prepare to meet me in Heaven. / Farewell.

- I John Shaw/ Died/ Oct 13, 1892/ Aged 66 yrs 6 mos Lydia H. / his wife/ died/ Oct 21 1893/ Aged 72
- J Henry L./ son of/ John & Lydia Shaw/ died Oct 9, 1870./Æ 19 yrs

  Be ye also ready for the son of/ man cometh at an hour to ...???
- K (on top) Ada May (on front) Daug. of/ E.J. & L.A. shaw/ died/ Nov. 24, 1882/ Aged 2 yrs 9 mos.

Gone with the angels

#### ROW FIVE

- A --
- B L.A. (footsone # 4 C )
- C Joseph Howard/born/Nov 30 1769/ died Sept 13/ 1841

- D Cecil H. / son of E&S.H. Jewett/ died/ April 13, 1811/ Aged 10 m's/ & 3 days
- E Sara H. / wife of Edwin Jewett/ died/ Sept 6, 1870/ Aged 33 yrs
- F S.A./ P.A. (footstone # 4 F)
- G (# 4 H)
- H In memory of/ Doct<sup>r</sup> Cullen Potter/ son of / Doct<sup>r</sup> Olney & Amey / Potter/ who died Jan<sup>y</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 1821/ Aged 26 years

Life how short; / Eternity how long

- I L.H.S. (footstone # 4 I)
- J Doctor Potter (Olney Potter)
- K J.S. (#4I)
- L H.L.S. (# 4 J)

### ROW SIX

- A Nathan Jillson Jr/ Died/ Oct 19, 1820/ Ag. 34 yrs
  Cynthia,/ his wife, died/ June 11, 1817/ Ag. 30 years
  Erected by John Braley
- B --
- C --
- D Albert L. / Son of Amasa & Ester Jillson/ Died/ Sept. 23, 1831/Æ. 8 yrs
  This lovely bud so young is fair/ Call'd hence by early doom;/ Just come
  to show how sweet a flower/ In paradice would bloom
- E In memoryof/ Edward %xxxxxx Ballou/ who died/ Feb 22, 1823./ Aged 76/ years
- F Leonard Ballou/died/ Sept 3, 1880/Æ. 90 yrs
- G Phebe,/ wife of/ Leonard Ballou;/ Died/ April 19,1854./Æ 62 y's
- H Levi H. Ballou/ died/ Sept 18 1844/ Æ 23 ys
- I Adaline A. / Daughter of / Leonard & Phebe / Ballou. / died / Oct. 24, 1844/
- J Angeline E. Daughter of / Leonard & Phebe/ Ballou/ died/ Oct/ 21, 1850 Æ 20 ys

### ROW SEVEN

- A (# 6A)
- B (# 6D)
- C (# 6E)

D (# 6J)

### ROW EIGHT

- A (sunk into the ground) A.M.H.
- B (same) W.H.
- C (same) H.C.H.
- D (same) J.Q.H.
- E (four sided monument)(left) Henry C. Hannum,/ June 19, 1838/ April 6 1845 (front) Grove W. Hannum,/ July 16 1791,/ June 6 1858

  Amelia B. Hannum/ December 15 1799/ March 28 1885
  - (Right) William/ Hannum, / Dec, 12, 1820/ Oct, 8, 1887

    J. Quincy/ Hannum, / July 25 1823/ Dec 25, 1825

(back) Amelia M./ Hannum, Jan. 1, 1829/ May 4, 1911

- F (same as #8A) A.B.H.
- G (same) G.W.H.
- H (broken) Amasa C. / son of Amasa &/ Mahitable Cook,/ Died/April 3, 1852/Æ 2 mo.

There is rest in Heaven

- I Anggline/ wife of/ John Lovett/ Died/ Feb 15, 1851,/~E 69 yrs
- J John Lovett/ Died Oct 27 1877,/ Aged 93 yrs 3 mos

## ROW NINE

- A (sideways) Martha A./ wife of/ Edward Wilder/ Oct 11, 1843/ Dec 6 1886
- B Solomon Brailey/ died/ March 28, 1854/Æ 92 Yrs
- C Ester/ wife of/ Solomon Braley;/ Died/ Dec 26 1850/Æ 88 Yrs
- D -- (lying behind 9B + 9C)
- E D.J.
- F N.J.
- G Estella
- H Harris / Embert A. / 1856-1943/ His Wife/ Ida Arnold/ 1858-1917/ Estella F., Daug. / 1879-1904
- I --

## ROW TEN

- A Wid./ ?? Crozier/ died/ June 5th 1834./ aged 79
- B Arthur Crozier/ died/ Nov 30 1843/Æ. 59/ Prepare to meet thy God
- C Martha Crozier/ died/ March 25, 1855./ Ag'd 73 Yrs

## ROW ELEVEN

A (top) Father/ Mother

(Masonic emblem) Col. Chas. C. C. Mower/ formerly of Northamton/ Died in N.Y.City of Cholera/ June 9 1849/ Age 49 Yrs/ Intered in Greenwood Cem.

Parthenia, / his wife and Dau. of / Pliny Hannum. / Died Jan 14 1885 Aged 75 yrs.

# (epitaph illegible)

B Juliette P./ Daughter of/ Cha. C. C. & Pathenia Mower/ died/ March 31, 1851/ Aged 19 yrs

A time to die

C Ada A. Mower/ Died/ April 25, 1891/ Aged 53 years

# Knight's Burial Ground

### ROW ONE

A Warren Gibbs/ died by arsenic poison/ Mar. 23. 1860./Æ 36 yrs. 5 mos./ 23 dys.

Think my friends when this you see/ How my wife hath dealt by me/
She in some oysters did prepare/ Some poison for my lot and share/
Then of the same I did partake/ And nature yielded to its fate/ Before
she my wife became/ Mary Felton was her name./ Erected by his brother/
Wm. Gibbs.

(This stone is a replica of the original, which is in the museum of the Pelham Historical Society, after having been stolen several times)

- B (broken, top missing)
- C Sarah/ daughter of/ Zachariah &/ Emeline Weston/ died Sept. 1, 1838/ aged 3 yrs.
- D Alden V. W.
- E Zachariah W. Jr.
- F (front broken, illegible)
- G Caroline/ daughter of Zachariah &/ Emeline Weston/ died April 20, 1850/ Æ 12 yrs (epitaph illegible. The Lord...)
  - ? Zachariah Jr. died/ Aug. 17, 1842, Æ 2 yrs.

Alden V. died Nov 14, 1848. /Æ. 5 yrs. Angelo B. died/ May 7, 1849 Æ 2 yrs

Farewell sweetest children/ Cares are now erected/ But we must here mourn o'er/ the graves of the loved/ Yet on earth's...??

- H Miss/Susan Stone/died/Nov.8.1859/Æt. 41 yrs At rest
- I (nothing)

K Warren Allen/ Co. 5/ (rest buried)

### ROW TWO

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- A Alamun L. Pratt/ Nov 6. 1863/ May 8 1931
- B Warren R./ Son of Virgil + Mary Pratt/ Died Feb 23. 1855/Æ 5 yrs 1 m
- C Ella V./ dau. of/ Virgil & Mary A./Pratt/ Died Aug 20, 1862/ Æ 2 yrs 8 mos
- D Edgar S./ son of/ Virgil & Mary A./ Pratt/ died Occt 3 1853/ Æ 1 yr 4 mos
- E Mary Ann/ wife of Virgil Pratt/ Apr 14/ 1823/ Nov 12 1886
- F Virgil Pratt/ Dec 4 1816/ Sept 30 1899
- G George E./ Son of/ A. & H. M. Lovell/ died/ Jan 19, 1875/Æ 15 yrs 10mos
- H Eunice/ wife of Phillip Lovell: / died May 27, 1853. Æ 54 yrs Farewell, farewell, my children dear/ ...??
- I Persis/ wife of Phillip Lovell/ died March 31, 1880/ Æ 76 yrs? mos She is not dead but sleeping
- J Elisha Randall/ died/ Sept 5, 1862/ Aged 74 y's 10 m's
- K Bethiah, / Wife of / Elisha Randall: / died July 5, 1853. / Aged 58 yrs.
  10 ms. & 18 D's
- L Brother/ Henry M./ son of Warren (?) & Asenath (?) P./ Randoll/ died Jan. 28, 1862

## ROW THREE

- A Ellen L./ Wife of/ Homer S. Pratt/ Jan 17 1860/ Feb. 4. 1886
- B Minnie F/ Wife of/ Homer S. Pratt/ July 16 1868/ Mar. 29 1896
- C Homer S. Pratt/ May 26, 1856/ Sept 30, 1925

- D Husband/ Solon A. Witters/ 1843-1901
- E Father/ Horatio W. Seagrave/ 1803-1880
- F Sephia/ wife of/ Horatio Seagrave/ died/ Feb 18, 1850/ Aged 82/ (Epitaph illegible)
- G John Ward/ died/ Aug 23 1863/Æ 76 yrs. & 9 mos
- H Polly/ wife of / John Ward/ died/ Mar 4, 1848/ Æ 64
- I John Ward Jr/ son of John and Polly Ward/ was drowned/ July 1, 1832/

The first buried in this yard

Sudden my life was snatched away/ From friends and everything/ But now I reign in endless day/ No more to sin no more to die

- J E. R.
- K (nothing)
- L (nothing)
- M Elisebeth E. Peeso/ died March 3, 1872/ Æ 45/ Freddie/ Born Nov 7, 1861/ died Sept. 1863/ Andrew/ Born Oct 1864/ Died Aug 1868

### ROW FOUR

- A (backwards) SEAGRAVE Chapin M. Seagrave/ May 15, 1823-Oct 6, 1876/ Sallie E. Brown, his wife/ June 1, 1830-Aug 24, 1905/ Connie, their infant son/ Mar. 29, 1866-Nov 18, 1866/ Buried in Half Moon Bay, Cal. Earth has no sorrow that heaven can not heal
- B (backwards) Abel Brown/ died/ Aug 25, 1869/ Aged 66 years.
  Gone but not forgotten
- C (backwards) Hannah/ wife of Abel Brown, died Oct 4, 1877, Aged 70 years.

There is rest in heaven

- D Lucretia, / wife of Nath'l K. Bacheller/ died June 30 1849, Aged 32/ I am weary and must sleep/ When will the morning dawn?
- E (nothing)

- F Lewis C. Barnes/ died/ Oct 14, 1857/ Aged 22 yrs. Stop blooming youth and...??
- G Edward L./ Son of/ Spencer S &/ ? Shaw/ died/ Feb 5, 1851, A 4 ms & 15 d
- H Venus D. Ramsdell/ died/ march 19, 1901/ Aged 64 yrs.

  (back) Laura A. Belden/ died/ March 16, 1901/ Aged 84 yrs. 8 mos & 1 day

  ROW FIVE
- A (lying down, broken) ?
- B Dwight Barnes/ died/ May 27, 1855,/ Aged 63 yrs.

  Friends and physicians could not save/ My mortal body from the grave/

  Nor could the grave confine me here/ When Christ shall call me to appear

  ROW SIX
- A Sarah/ Gamwell/ 1820-1905
- B Hannah/ wife of/ Samuel Kimball/ died/ Sept 10, 1891./ Æ 94 yrs. 11 mos. 18 days
- C Samuel Kimball Jr/ died/ April 30, 1873,/ 65 61 yrs 10 mos 7 ds
- dearest husband + parent/ how sudden was the call/ still do we feel that all is well/ his love is ever all
- D (corner stone) D
- E (backwards) David (back) 1867 Frank Langall David 1948/ his wife/
  1873 Arabelle Irene Knight 1962/ Their son/ 1896 Harold Eugene David
  1968
- F Fannie A./ dau of A. I. & M. B./ Knight/ died Jan 1, 1881,/ age 3 mos
- G (same as D)

## ROW SEVEN

- A 1st Co. Coast Artillery U. S. A./ Harold Eugene David/ Sept 17, 1896-June 26, 1968/ World War 1
- B Arabelle Irene Knight April 5, 1873-oct 11, 1962
- C Frank Langell David / July 24 1867-June 22 1948

- D Willie E/ son of/ J. F. & A. A. / Canterbury,/ drowned June 14 1887 / Æ 21 y'rs 8 mo's

  Gone but not forgotten
- E Father

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- F Mother
- G BAKER (front) Leonard Baker/ died Dec 19 1910/ £ 86 yrs/ Esther M/
  his wife/ died Dec 30, 1892, £ 65 yrs

  (right) Alice S./ Dau. of Leonard & Esther M. Baker/ died Oct 3. 1937

  Æ 84 yrs

  (back) Mem. Co. I., / 3.Rd. Reg./ Hvy. Arty./ Mass. Vols.
- H Daughter
- I Albert W. Avery/ died Sept 17, 1887/Æ 38 yrs 3 mo's
- J Harriet L. Barnes/ wife of/ Albert W. Avery/ died/ Nov 30, 1929/ 63
- In the far (right) wall, between rows 7 and 8, opposite the entrance, is a plaque- In memory of/ Alice Baker

## ROW EIGHT

- A Father/ Theodore L. Gold/ died an 4, 1889/ E. 50 yrs 11 mos
- B Mother/ Almira T. Cook/ wife of Theodore L. Gold/ died/ Feb 11, 1932/ Æ 84 yrs 10 mos Asleep in Jesus
- C Daughter/ Alma R. Gold/ Dau of Theo. L. And Almira T.Gold/ died/
  April 15, 1933/Æ 50 yrs. 4 mo's/
  Asleep in Jesus
- D Fred H./ Son of E. H. & M. A./ Barnes/ Oct. 24 1853/ Dec 15, 1898
- E Estus H. Barnes/ died/ Jan 6, 1895/ Aged 64 yrs. 9 m's & 9 D's
- F Maryann A. Brown/ wife of/ Estus H. Barnes/ Aug 18, 1832/ May 5, 1907

## ROW NINE

- A Palma
- B Father
- C Mother
- D Ruth
- E Dr Manford
- F SPALDING (back) William H. Spalding/Oct 6, 1860-Sept 27, 1934/his wife/L. Dora Knight/Sept 11, 1877-July 5, 1859/Baby Dora R. Aug 28, 1905/Dr Manford R. Spalding,/Mar 2, 1902-/His wife/Ruth E. Maynard/Jan 9, 1899-/Baby Lois R. Sept 11 1930/his wife/Apr 16 1916 Palma L. Spalding
- G (backwards) Dora R./ dau. of/ Wm & D. K. Spalding/ died/ Aug 28 1905/ Age 1 day
- H Tophelia Plant 1862-1925
- I (backwards) Paddock/ 1854 Oakley Paddock 1908/ 1865 Emma, his wife,
  1957/ 1889 Rae O Paddock 1964/ 1905 F. A. Bundy 1933/ 1890 H. H. Damon
  1 1961/ 1915 Lucille L. Knight 1916
- J Oakley Paddock 1854-1908
- K Emma Paddock 1865-1957
- L Rae O. Paddock 1889-1964
- M H. H. Damon 1890-1961
- N Frederick A. Bundy 1905-1933
- O KNIGHT (front) John W. Knight/ Feb 15 1847/ May 1, 1913/ Laura Tupper/ his wife/ March 1, 1844/ July 29, 1903
  - (right) Robert E. Knight / April 17, 1878/ Feb 12, 1903/ Mary E Knight/
    April 10, 1854/ Dec 9, 1937
  - (back) Myron J. Knight/ July 27, 1875/ April 21, 1949/ Ana A. Knight/ Sept 8, 1875/ Sept 1, 1951/ Elliot T./ 1904-1961
  - (left) Philander Knight/ Dec 24 1810/ Feb 4, 1891/ Mary Ward/ his wife April 30, 1810/ May 31, 1897

# ROW TEN

- A VAILL/ William Henry/ son of Wm. K. & Julia T/ Vaill/ Born April 29, 1854/ Died July 17, 1892
- B Vaill/ Sarah W./ Daur. of/ William K. & Julia T./ Vail/ Born Dec 7, 1850/ Died Oct 26, 1921
- C Vaill/ Julia Turner/ wife of Rev. Wm. K. Vaill/ Born/ June 5, 1820/ Died April 7, 1896
- D Vaill/ Rev. Wm. K. Vaill/ Born/ April 29, 1815, died June 18, 1889