

With gratitude, we remember our veterans in the Bryson City Cemetery

The storm has passed; a mist lingers in the valley.

May 25, 2020



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| 1. Hol Rose | 2. Ralph Beck (WWI) | 3. Bertie Beck Sigmon (WWI) | 4. Charlie Beck (S-A, POW) |
| 5. Everett Thomas (WWII) | 6. Clyde Meadows, Jr (WWI) | 7. Samuel Roy Beck (WWI) | 8. Oscar M. Beck (WWI) |
| 9. Henry Ellett (WWI) | 10. Jackson L. Wilson (Civil) | 11. Joseph Robison (Civil) | 12. W.K. McLean (Civil) |
| 13. Richard P. Beard (WWI) | 14. Ralph Woody (WWI) | | |

Four Beck siblings – Ralph, Bertie, Samuel Roy, and Oscar – all served in WWII. Their older brother, Charlie, served in the Spanish-American War.

Jim Sneed, WWII





Civil War veterans who were healers, Drs. E.M. Scruggs and Joel A. Cooper



From Civil War to Vietnam (L-R)

- Alfred Cline (Civil)
- Harold DeBord (WWII)
- Ronnie Shattles (Vietnam)

The Myers family



L-R: James Paxton Myers (WWII), his brother Taylor Norton Myers (WWII), their father Cannie Feldon Myers (WWI). Background, far right is Dabney Sandidge (Civil).



1. Frank Fry (Spanish-American)

4. Noah Seay (Spanish-American, POW)

2. Bob Varner (WWII)

5. Ralph P. Williams (WWII)

3. Harry Seay (WWII)



Great Smoky Mountains, from the resting place of Civil War veteran James Metillas Seay, father of Noah Seay and grandfather of Harry Seay (previous slide). J.M. Seay is also grandfather of WW II and Vietnam veteran Emmett James Seay (Swain Memorial). Emmett's son and FBCC member, John Seay, is a Desert Storm veteran.



1. Jonathan Hill (Civil) 2. John W. Cline (Civil) 3. McKinley Edwards (WWI) 4. Willard Stallcup, Jr (WWII)



1. Paul Banner Williams (WWII) 2. Crawford J. MeHaffey (WWI) 3. Daniel Decatur Wood (WWII)
4. Joel Alexander Gibson (WWI) 5. Dallas Eugene Hyatt (WWII) 6. Frank Arthur Farrell (WWII)

“Let us cross over the river and
rest beneath the shade of the trees.”

Final words of Stonewall Jackson



1. Arthur Wold (WWI)

2. Maud Thomasson Wold (WWI)

3. James Nathan Lipscomb (Civil)

4. James L. Leatherwood (WWI)

5. Lyndon Conley (WWI)

6. Robert J. Leatherwood (WWII)

7. James L. Farley (Civil)



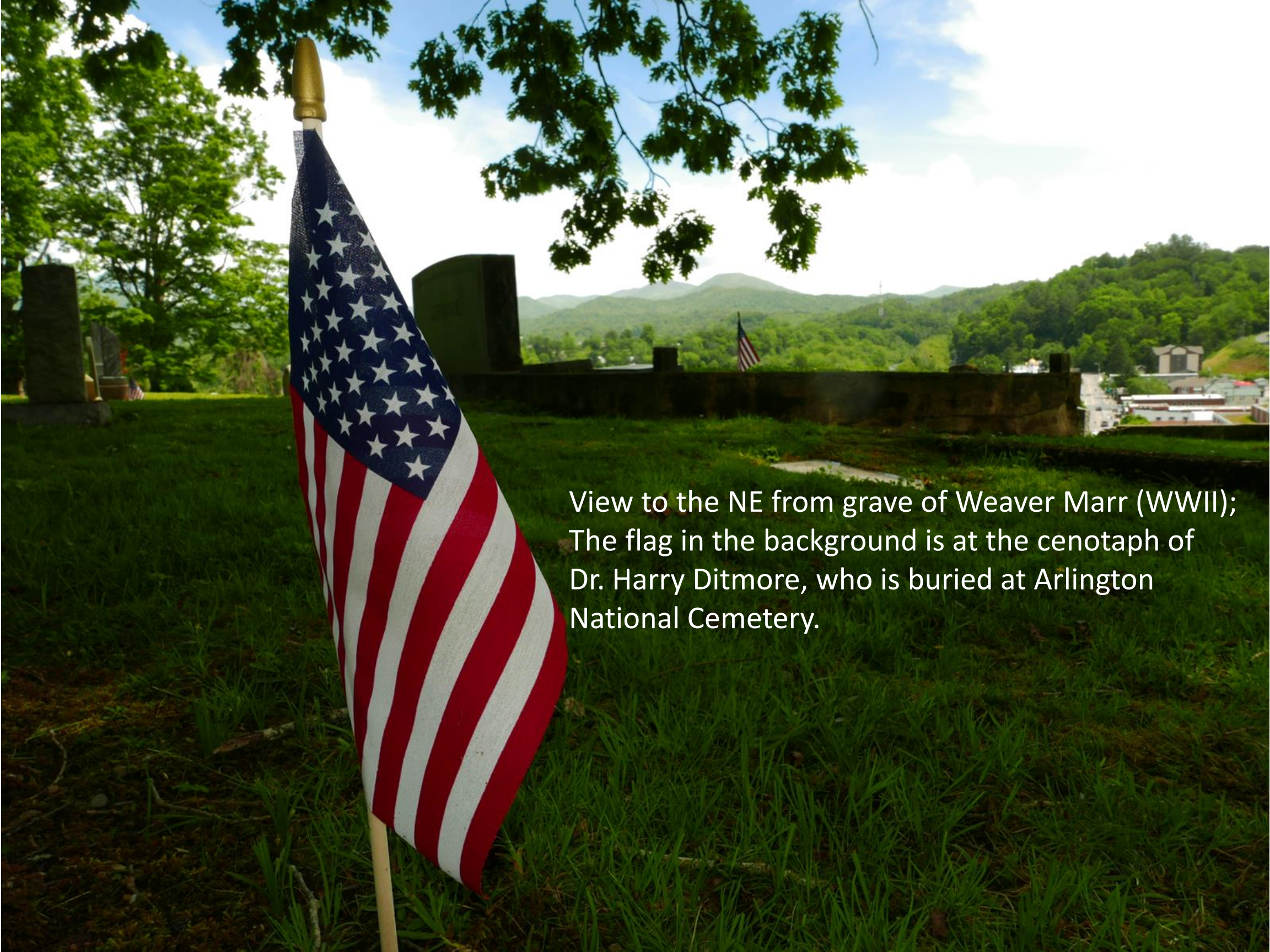
1. Queve Woody, III (Vietnam) 2. Jeremiah Shank (Civil) 3. Walter Nichols (WWI)



Robert Thayer (WWII); in the left background is Clinton Crisp (WWII)



Charles D. and Stephen A Womack, brothers in blood and battle (WWII)
rest on either side of their mother, Minnie Anna DeHart Womack



View to the NE from grave of Weaver Marr (WWII);
The flag in the background is at the cenotaph of
Dr. Harry Ditmore, who is buried at Arlington
National Cemetery.



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MUEL R. JR. 25. 1928 23. 2003	MARY ETHEL DEC. 14. 1929 FEB. 19. 2003
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L-R: William Perley Hyde (WWII) and son, John Thomas Hyde

WILLIAM P.
HYDE
1908 — 1990

JOHN T.
HYDE
1906 — 1988



John Constant (Civil)

George Morris (WWII)



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1. William F. Cooper (Civil)
2. William C. Angel (Korea)
3. Helen Angel Sherrill (WWII)

Helen is the granddaughter of William F. Cooper; William C is his great-grandson.

WILLIAM F.
COOPER 1845
JUNE 14 1928
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Descendants of Rev. Joseph H. and Sarah Welch Wilson (center gravestone):

1. Son Clyde Wilson (WWI)
2. Grandson Jack Wilson Sherrill (WWII, Korea)
3. Grandson Rev. Robert Edward Sherrill (Korea, Vietnam)

(the gravestone of Ethel Wilson, mother of Jack and Bob Sherrill, is 2nd from left.

The flag in the background at the left is John Lewis Orr (WWI)

Four veterans buried in the BC
Cemetery died during WWs I and II

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT HAS TWO SISTERS HERE

The name of James L. Leatherwood, of Waynesville, appears in the list of dead as a result of the railroad accident near Camp Jackson yesterday morning. Mr. Leatherwood is a Bryson City boy, his mother living at that place.

He is a brother of Thurman L. Leatherwood, of Waynesville, and is also survived by two sisters who live in Asheville. The sisters are Mrs. Frank L. McLean, of Vance street, and Miss Carrie Leatherwood, of 25 North French Broad avenue.

A report reached the city last night that W. C. Bryson, of Candler, R. F. D. No. 3, one of the seriously injured men, had died at a late hour last night, but this news has not been confirmed by the Associated Press.



JAMES L. LEATHERWOOD
JUNE 12 1892
MAY 10 1918

LEATHERWOOD



T-5 Brogden's Body Is Being Brought Home

FRANKLIN—The body of T-5 James M. Brogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brogden of the Wests Mills section of Macon county, is en route to the United States, according to information received by his parents.

T-5 Brogden died June 15, 1945, on

Luzon from wounds received in action. He entered service Dec. 26, 1942, and received training at Camp Crowder, Mo. He went overseas in August, 1943.

In addition to the parents, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. H. P. Robinson of Jacksonville, Fla., Mrs. W. T. Muse and Mrs. E. J. Garrison of Belmont and Mrs. J. P. Norton of Franklin; six brothers, Frank and Lesley of Newport News, Va., Billy of Kinzua, Ore., Milton of San Diego, Calif., and Ed and Jimmie of Franklin, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hupp of Bryson City.

Funeral services and burial will be held in Bryson City.



Meadows Rites Slated Sunday

BRYSON CITY — The body of Flight Officer Clyde Meadows, Jr 25, killed in action in Germany, January 21, 1945, will arrive at Moody Funeral Home here Saturday morning.

Meadows was the husband of Mrs. Catherine Meadows of Atlanta, Ga., and the son of Mrs. Clyde Meadows Sr., and the late Mr. Meadows formerly of Bryson City.

He had lived in Atlanta prior to entering the service, received his training in Mississippi, Texas and Ohio and went overseas in 1949 as a navigator on a B-17.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the graveside in Bryson City Cemetery.

The Rev. Horace McSwain, pastor of the Bryson City Methodist Church, will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Kenneth Grant, Max Grant, Terrell Grant, Wayne Beard, Rex Meadows and Charles Moffitt.

Besides the widow and the mother, he is survived by a son, Clyde III.



rites will be held today for Clyde Wilson

HAYESVILLE, July 16. (Special) Funeral services for Clyde Henderson Wilson, 21, son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, of Hayesville, who was killed instantly in the crash of a training plane at Shaw field near Sumter, S. C., Wednesday morning, will be held at the Hayesville Baptist church Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Burial will be in a cemetery in Bryson City at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Active pallbearers will be: P. L. Anderson, Hugh Anderson, Bert Bristol, Harold Anderson, Clyde Bracken, and Vernon Martin.

Mr. Wilson, a native of Bryson City, was an aviation cadet. He enlisted in June, 1941.

Surviving are his parents; two brothers, and six sisters.

His father has been pastor of the Hayesville Baptist church for three years.

The flag at top left is for Frank Farrell (WWII)