

# Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory

ID: 28



28 Merson Family Cemetery  
 Old Columbia Pike/Spencerville Rd  
 Burtonsville

Name: Merson Family Cemetery

Alternate name:

Address: southwest of intersection of  
 Old Columbia Pike & Spencerville Rd. next to Sandy Spring  
~~Nat Bank~~

Town: Burtonsville

ADC Map Page 32 Grid D-2

**Type**

Religious  
 Family  
 Private  
 Other

**Association**

Free black  
 Enslaved  
 Ethnic  
 Prehistoric

Setting  Rural  Urban  Suburban  Forested  Other

Condition  Excellent  Good  Fair  Poor (moved over)

Negative Impacts (vandalism, dumping, neglect, encroachment, etc) ENCROACHMENT OF RT. 198 WIDENING, ENDANGERED FROM DEVELOPMENT; ENLARGED FROM VANDALISM

Approximate no. of burials 70 Date range of burials 1850's - 1950's

Description (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

ROY MILES INDICATED ABOUT 70 GRAVESITES - 1960's, MANY SMALL  
 FIELD STONE MARKERS MISSING. 1 MAIN MONUMENT SAMUEL MERSON  
 5 OTHER HEAD STONES + LARGE OAK + MAPLE TREE B. 6/20/1874 - D 8/18/1892  
 JOHN HENRY & ELIZABETH CLARENCE E.  
 60' X 100'. Many overturned markers. B. 6/20/1878 - D 9/26/1908  
 Many funeral home markers (tiny plaques). Also - 4 plaques.

Surveyor(s) Cornel Leonard Survey date 3/27/04  
 Photographer Corn Date 3/27/04 Photo no. 5 photos

Current owner \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address/Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Historic Status  Locational Atlas ID \_\_\_\_\_  National Register  
 Master Plan ID \_\_\_\_\_  Other \_\_\_\_\_

UTM 2 pt. GPS & 1 Area GPS

Additional sources of information:

Leonard Becraft

- ④ graves in tree
- ⑤ "

- Photo Log.
- ① plaques by fire hydrant
  - ② graves in area
  - ③ monolith gravestone



3 NE  
76°55'00"

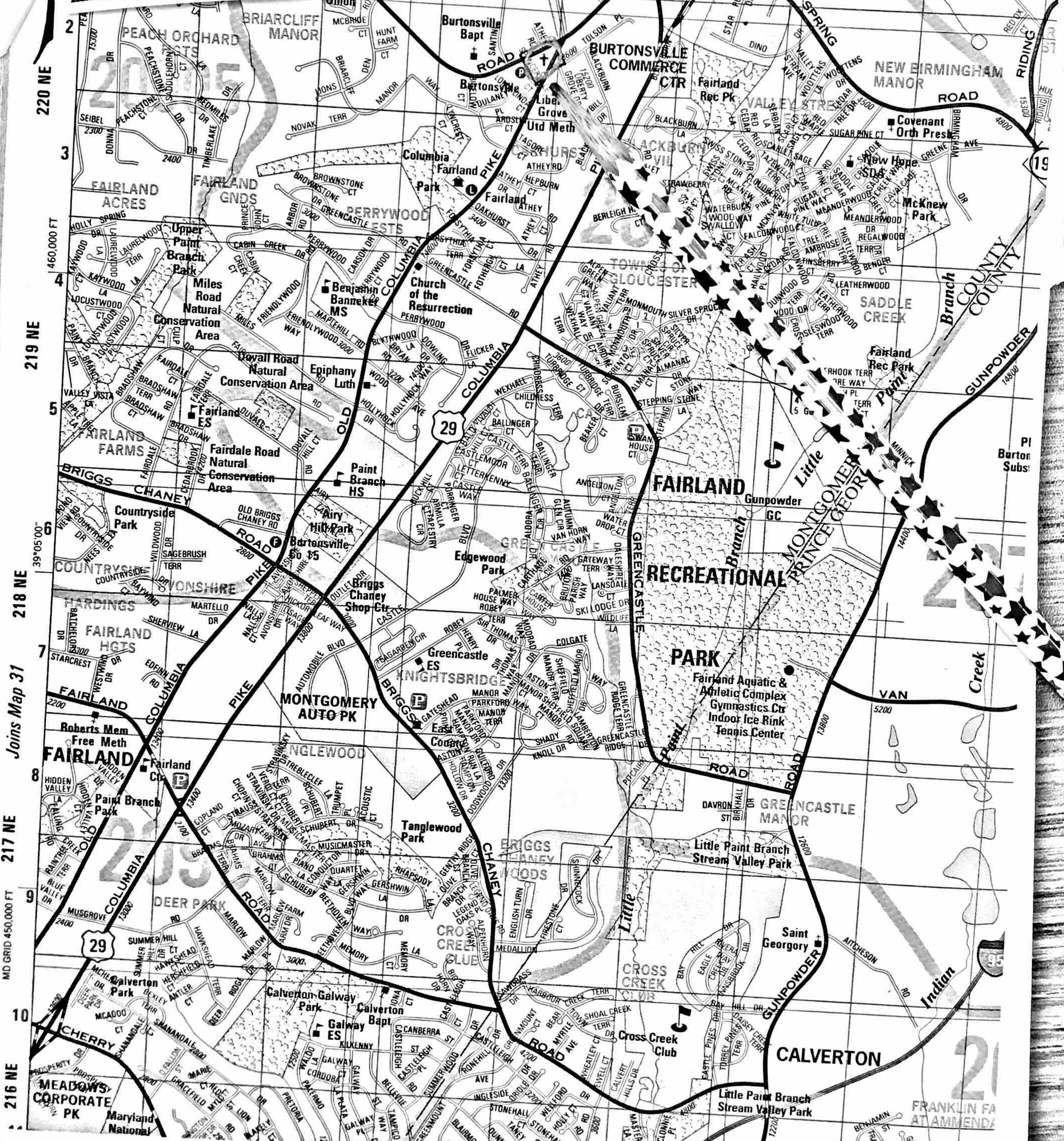
ON FAMILY BURYING GROUND NEAR BURTONSVILLE  
ions: Old Columbia Pike North to Spencerville Road, cemetery at  
rsection. [A.D.C. Map: Montgomery, page 27, grid coordinates A-9.]  
ndition of cemetery: Unknown. Inactive cemetery. Earliest known  
death: 1872. Most recent death: 1940. Date transcribed: 1982. Location  
of transcribed records: Montgomery County Historical Society Library, 42  
West Middle Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20850. Comments: At least 16  
marked graves.

Joins Map 23  
820,000 FT

5 NE

76°55'00"

28  
NORTH COLUMBIA PIKE/SPENCERVILLE RD



220 NE  
219 NE  
218 NE  
217 NE  
216 NE  
MD GRID 450,000 FT

Joins Map 31

BURTONSVILLE

BURTONSVILLE COMMERCE CTR

BURTONSVILLE IND PK

FAIRLAND

RECREATIONAL PARK

CALVERTON

FRANKLIN FA AT AMMEND



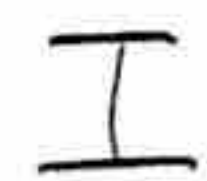
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 Inventory 1988 (June) by Md. State Hwy Adm.  
 Presented on 2016 Oct 12

HEADSTONE

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13 x 18 cm

HEADSTONE



SAMUEL A.  
 JUNE 20, 1874  
 AUG. 18, 1892.

C. E. M.

20 x 23 cm

HEADSTONE

headstone

SAMUEL E

III

OF GEORGE MERSON

BORN

APRIL 20 1901

DIED

APRIL 25 1908

40 x 32 cm

CLARENCE E.  
 JUNE 20, 1878.  
 SEPT. 26, 1908

S. A. M.

150 x 53 cm

32 x 19.5 cm

S. E. M

14 x 18 cm

HEADSTONE

WALTER BYRON MERSON  
 "TOOEY"  
 MAY 30, 1908 - AUG. 1, 1934

METAL 17 x 12 cm

OLIVER F. MERSON  
 NOV. 3, 1871 - FEB. 8, 1934

METAL 17 x 12 cm

CHARLES W. MERSON  
 "BUCK"  
 JAN. 18, 1906 - SEPT 29, 1930

METAL 17 x 12 cm

MARY CATHERINE MERSON  
 SEPT. 13, 1913 - MAY 13, 1934

METAL 17 x 12 cm

Alice Virginia  
 MERSON QUINLAN  
 April 22, 1916 - July 19

METAL 17 x 12 cm

NETTIE MERSON

MARCH 1914