



MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED

BURIAL SITE INFORMATION

Name: Bronson Drive Cemetery	Inventory ID: 217
Alternate name: Possibly Offutt or Bradley Family Cemetery	
Address: Vicinity of 9029 Bronson Drive, Potomac (access via right-of-way between 9025 and 9029)	
Website:	
GPS coordinates: Latitude: 39.004828	Longitude: -77.195672
FindaGrave: https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/2675013	

BURIAL SITE TYPE

Category: ☐ Religious ☐ Community ☒ **Family** ☐ African American ☐ Other: Veteran

BURIAL SITE EVALUATION

Setting/location description: <input type="checkbox"/> Rural <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suburban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wooded <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
General condition (See conditions sheet): <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> None		
Is there a formal entrance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Accessibility: <input type="checkbox"/> Inaccessible <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By foot <input type="checkbox"/> By car	
Is cemetery active (recent burials)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is there a cemetery sign: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Is cemetery being maintained? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Minimal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)		
Are there visible markers? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers: 10+	Date ranges: N/A
Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)		
• Burial site is completely wooded with fallen trees, leaves, and ivy		
• Only one gravestone base is visible. All other markers are randomly placed field stones		

NOTE: Spoke with neighbor at 9029 Bronson Drive, Paul Nolan. He says nobody visits this cemetery.

BURIAL SITE CONTACT

Name: Montgomery County		
Relationship to burial site: Owner	Advocacy contact:	
Address: Mont. Co. Executive Office Building, 101 Monroe St		Phone:
City: Rockville	State: MD	ZIP Code: 20850

BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR

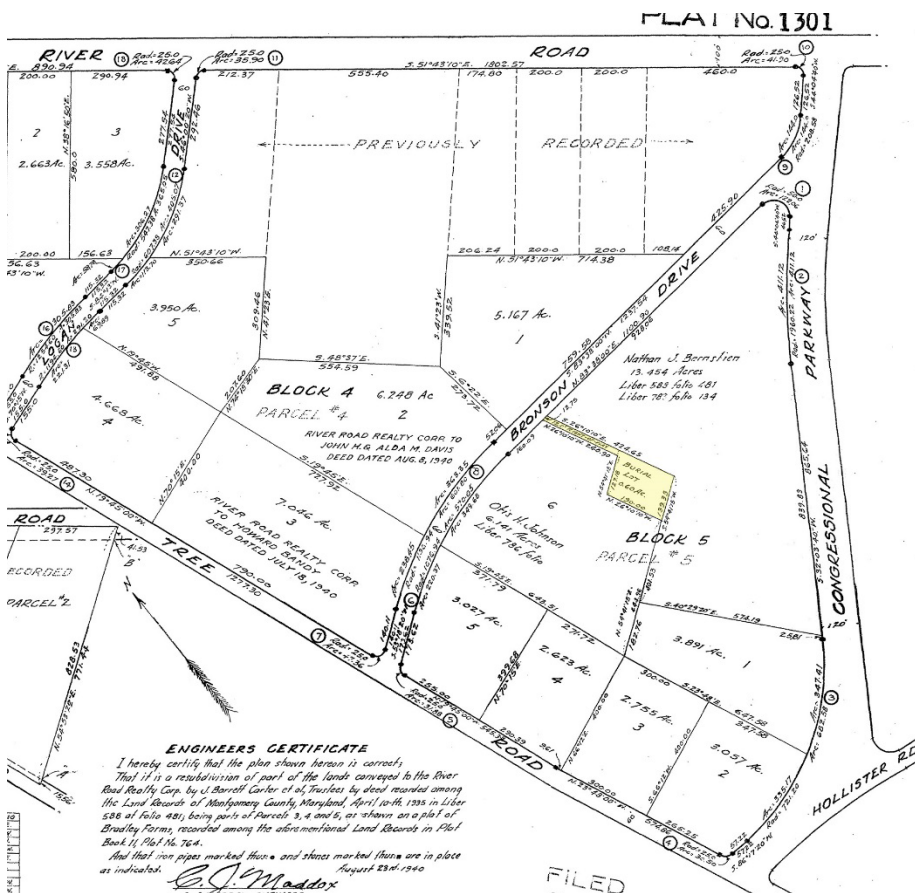
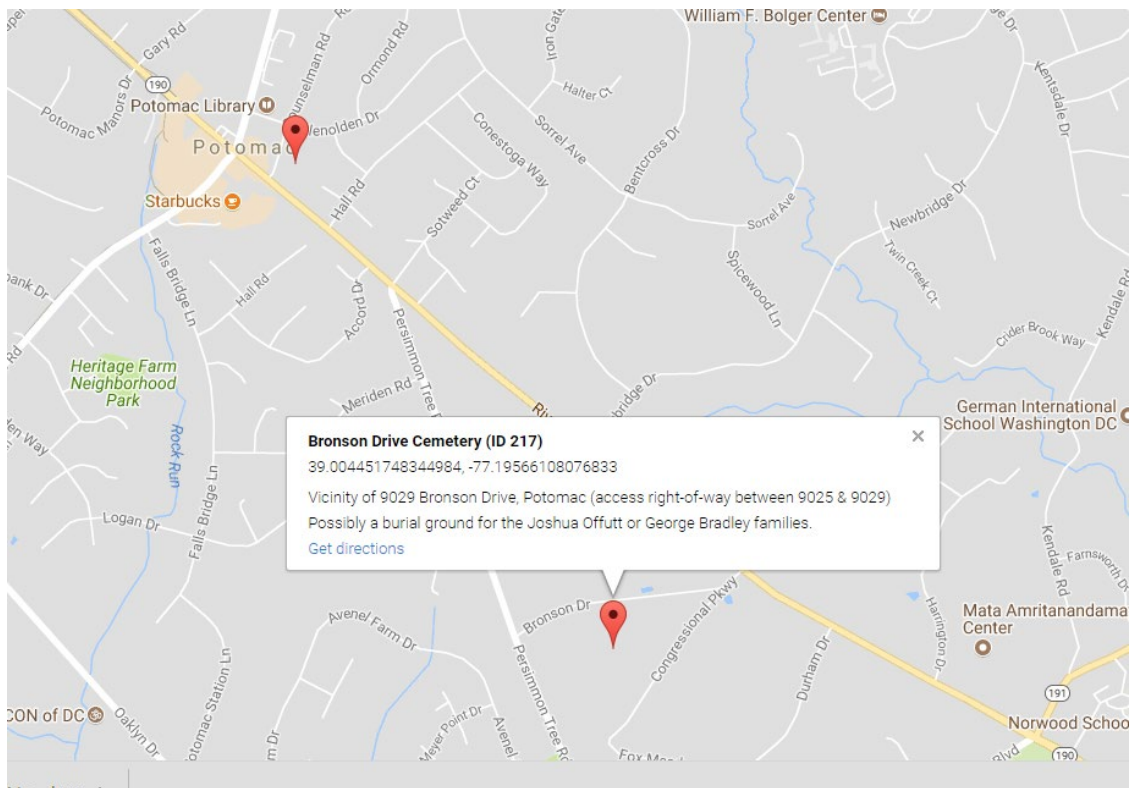
Name: Glenn Wallace	Survey Date: 1/27/2018	Time spent: 20 min
Address:		Phone:
Email: mococems@gmail.com		
Photographer: Glenn Wallace		

COMMENTS

Suggestions for follow-up:
• Get Scouts to rake this cemetery to possibly uncover more stones
Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:
• Fallen trees everywhere
Anything of significance about this cemetery?

SOURCES

Cite sources used and resources available:
• Plat of Blocks 3, 4, and 5 of Bradley Farms subdivision, August 30, 1940 (attached)





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Photograph Log

- Before you begin, create a folder in your photo app on your mobile device. Name the folder to match the ID number of that cemetery, i.e., 059 or 254. Each cemetery you are assigned should have its own folder. All photos should be stored in this folder.
- Please take a variety of photos that capture the proximity from the main road, size, and vicinity of the burial site. Move in a clockwise direction through the cemetery to capture your movement chronologically.
- If your mobile device has a panoramic function, take two panoramic photos from the **center** of the cemetery. Establish where true North is and take one panoramic from West-North-East and the second from East-South-West.
- List the time and date of each photograph and include the direction you are facing.
- Photo files (***and a photo of this completed form***) may be emailed to mococems@gmail.com or uploaded to <https://tinyurl.com/mococems>

Cemetery Name: Bronson Drive Cemetery		Inventory ID: 217
Photographer: Glenn Wallace		Date: 1/27/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing (Ex: detail of wall around Carr plot facing North)
8:45 am	1	Approach from Bronson Drive right-of-way along tree line at left
8:36 am	2	Panoramic from entry boundary toward center of cemetery
8:26 am	3	Panoramic from center of cemetery toward right-of-way
8:26 am	4	Panoramic from center of cemetery facing south
8:37 am	5	Solitary grave base close to right-of-way entrance
8:29 am	6	Field stone along southern edge
8:30 am	7	Facing north from southern edge
8:33 am	8	Field stones facing east

CHECKLIST OF REQUIRED IMAGES

- ☐ Photo 1 taken from the roadside approach to the cemetery—the view the public would see while driving by. If the cemetery is not visible from the road, please take a series of photos as you approach the cemetery—from the road to the parking area, through a field, woods, etc.
- ☐ Photo 2 taken toward the center of the cemetery from the cemetery main entrance, gate, or first boundary you come to.
- ☐ Photo 3 panoramic taken from the center of the cemetery, starting from West to North to East.
- ☐ Photo 4 panoramic taken from the center of the cemetery, starting from East to South to East.

If you have any extra time and would like to photograph some or all of the gravestones, please do so. Remember not to physically touch, move, or clean the stones.



1. Approach from Bronson Drive right-of-way along tree line at left



2. Panoramic from entry boundary toward center of cemetery



3. Panoramic from center of cemetery toward right-of-way



4. Panoramic from center of cemetery facing south



5. Solitary grave base close to right-of-way entrance



6. Field stone along southern edge



7. Facing north from southern edge



8. Field stones facing east