

APPENDIX II

A SELECTED CHRONOLOGY OF NOTABLE AMERICAN "RURAL" OR "GARDEN" CEMETERIES AND MAJOR DESIGNERS



Date of founding reflects incorporation or dedication rather than first use for burials, as a few of the sites had previous burials. Many are listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

- 1831
Mount Auburn. Boston (Cambridge/Watertown), Massachusetts; 72 acres (now 175). Gen. Henry A. S. Dearborn; Dr. Jacob Bigelow.
- 1836
Mount Hope. Bangor, Maine; 100 acres (now 264). Charles G. Bryant.
Laurel Hill. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; 20 acres (now 200). John Notman; John Jay Smith; James C. Sidney.
- 1837
Green Mount. Baltimore, Maryland; 60 acres (now 68). Benjamin Henry Latrobe Jr.; Robert Carey Long.
- 1838
Green-Wood. Brooklyn, New York; 178 acres (now 478). Major David Bates Douglass; Henry Evelyn Pierrepont; Almerin Hotchkiss.
Mount Hope. Rochester, New York; 54 acres (now 196). Designer unknown.
Rural Cemetery. Worcester, Massachusetts; 24 acres (now 40). James Barnes; Timothy Paine.
- 1839
Harmony Grove. Salem, Massachusetts; 35 acres. Francis Peabody; Alexander Wadsworth.
- 1841
Rural Cemetery. Springfield, Massachusetts; 20 acres (now 26). George Eaton with Rev. William B. O. Peabody; Apollos March.
- Rural Cemetery. Albany, New York; 120 acres (now 467). Consecrated 1844. Major David B. Douglass.
- 1842
Woodland. Dayton, Ohio; 40 acres (now 200). John Van Cleve; Adolph Strauch; Samuel Forrer.
- 1844
Allegheny. Pittsburgh (Lawrenceville), Pennsylvania; 100 acres (now 360). John Chislett; William Falconer.
Mount Pleasant. Newark, New Jersey; now 40 acres. Horace Baldwin.
- 1845
Spring Grove. Cincinnati, Ohio; 166 acres (now 733). Howard Daniels with Joseph Earnshaw; Adolph Strauch; William Salway.
- 1847
Cypress Hills. Kings and Queens Counties, Long Island, New York; 25 acres (now 400). Enlarged in 1873 with a national cemetery section. Designer unknown.
Swan Point, Providence, Rhode Island; 60 acres (now 200). Dr. Thomas C. Hartshorn; Niles Bierragaard Schubarth; H. W. S. Cleveland.
- 1848
Cave Hill. Louisville, Kentucky; 47 acres (now 300). Edmund Francis Lee; David Ross; Robert Ross; Robert Campbell; Benjamin Grove.
Woodland. Xenia, Ohio. Howard Daniels.

- Oakwood. Troy, New York; 150 acres (now 625). John Clarke Sidney; Major David Bates Douglass; John Boetcher.
- Forest Hills. Boston (Roxbury), Massachusetts; 71 acres (now 275). Gen. Henry A. S. Dearborn.
- Lexington. Lexington, Kentucky; 40 acres (now 170). Charles S. Bell; John Lutz.
- Bonaventure. Savannah, Georgia; 70 acres. Designer unknown.
- 1849
- Elmwood. Detroit, Michigan; 42 acres (now 86). Original designer unknown; Frederick Law Olmsted.
- Green Lawn. Columbus, Ohio; 83 acres (now 360). Howard Daniels.
- Oak Hill. Georgetown, District of Columbia; 15 acres (now 35). Capt. George F. de la Roche; William W. Corcoran.
- Bellefontaine. St. Louis, Missouri; 138 acres (now 333). Almerin Hotchkiss; Frank Hotchkiss.
- Mountain Grove. Bridgeport, Connecticut; now 125 acres. Phineas Taylor ("P. T.") Barnum.
- Forest Lawn. Buffalo, New York; 80 acres (now 269). Charles E. Clarke; Adolph Strauch.
- Holly-Wood. Richmond, Virginia; 45 acres (now 135). John Notman.
- South Laurel Hill. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. James Clarke Sidney; John Jay Smith; James P. W. Neff.
- Easton. Easton, Pennsylvania. James Clarke Sidney.
- Magnolia. Charleston, South Carolina; now 128 acres. Edward C. Jones.
- The Evergreens. Brooklyn-Queens, New York; 184 acres (now 225). Andrew Jackson Downing; Alexander Jackson Davis; Calvert Vaux; Samuel Parsons.
- 1850
- Forest Home. Milwaukee, Wisconsin; 72 acres (now 200). Increase Latham
- Mount Feake. Waltham, Massachusetts; now 4 acres. Robert Morris Copeland.
- Oakland. Atlanta, Georgia; 6 acres (now 88). Originally City Burial Place; named 1872. Designer unknown.
- 1851
- Cedar Grove. New London, Connecticut; 39 acres (now 55). Dr. Horatio Stone.
- Erie. Erie, Pennsylvania. Howard Daniels.
- Woodlawn. Chelsea-Everett (Boston), Massachusetts; 100 acres (now 178). H. Weld Fuller.
- Ryder. Ossining, New York. Howard Daniels.
- 1852
- Dale. Claremont, New York. Howard Daniels.
- Greenwood. New Orleans, Louisiana. Designer unknown.
- Elmwood. Memphis, Tennessee; 40 acres (now 80). Designer unknown.
- 1853
- Woodland. Cleveland, Ohio. Howard Daniels.
- Spring Forest. Binghamton, New York. Howard Daniels.
- Rome. Rome, New York; 25 acres. Howard Daniels.
- Brookside. Watertown, New York. Howard Daniels.
- Riverside. Waterbury, Connecticut. Howard Daniels.
- Rural. Poughkeepsie, New York; 54 acres (now 200). Howard Daniels.
- Evergreen. Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. David McConaughy.
- 1854
- Oak Woods. Chicago, Illinois; 180 acres (now 300). No burials until 1860. Adolph Strauch.
- Cambridge City. Cambridge, Massachusetts; now 66 acres. Designer unknown.
- 1855
- Sleepy Hollow. Concord, Massachusetts. H. W. S. Cleveland and Robert Morris Copeland; John Shepard Keyes.
- Newton. Newton, Massachusetts; now 100 acres. Designer unknown.
- Mount Wollaston. Quincy, Massachusetts; 25 acres (now 57). Daniel Brims; Dr. William Pattee; Luther Briggs; Daniel Briggs.
- Oak Grove. Gloucester, Massachusetts. H. W. S. Cleveland and Robert Morris Copeland.
- Chippiannock. Rock Island, Illinois; 62 acres (now 85). Almerin Hotchkiss.
- Green Mount. Montpelier, Vermont; now 35 acres. Designer unknown.
- Evergreen. Portland, Maine; now 239 acres. Designer unknown.
- Fairmount. Newark, New Jersey; 60 acres (now 150). Designer unknown.
- Spring Hill. Lynchburg, Virginia. John Notman.
- 1856
- Laurel Grove. Port Jervis, New York; 35 acres. Howard Daniels with B. F. Hattaway.
- 1857
- Woodlands. Cambridge, New York. James C. Sidney.
- Holyhood. Brookline, Massachusetts; 31 acres (now 36.2). Patrick Charles Keeley.
- Lake Forest. Lake Forest, Illinois; 32 acres. Almerin Hotchkiss; William LeBaron Jenny; Ossian Cole Simonds.
- Wyoming. Melrose, Massachusetts; 49 acres. H. W. S. Cleveland and Robert Morris Copeland.
- 1858
- Calvary. St. Louis, Missouri; 323 acres (now 477). Archbishop Peter Richard Kenrick.
- Mount Olivet. District of Columbia. Designer unknown.
- 1859
- Oakwood. Syracuse, New York; 92 acres (now 147). Howard Daniels with Elias B. Leavenworth and Hamilton White; Olmsted & Vaux.
- Lindenwood. Fort Wayne, Indiana; 152 acres (now 175). John Chislett; John Doswell; Henry Doswell.
- Rosehill. Chicago, Illinois; now 350 acres. William Saunders.
- 1860
- Oak Ridge. Springfield, Illinois; 29 acres (now 300). William Saunders; parts by Adolph Strauch after President Lincoln's death.
- Graceland. Chicago, Illinois; 86 acres (now 119). Swain Nelson with

- William Saunders; H. W. S. Cleveland and William M. R. French; William Le Baron Jenney; Ossian Cole Simonds.
- 1861
Hillside. Middletown, New York. Calvert Vaux.
Evergreen. Rutland, Vermont. Designer unknown.
- 1863
Cedar Hill. Hartford, Connecticut; 250 acres (now 270). Jacob Weidenmann; William Salway.
Woodlawn. Bronx, New York; 313 acres (now 400). James C. Sidney; John Jay Smith.
Mountain View. Oakland, California; now 226 acres. Frederick Law Olmsted.
Soldiers' National. Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. William Saunders; David Wills; David McConaughy.
- 1864
Crown Hill. Indianapolis, Indiana; 265 acres (now 555). John Chislett; Frederick Chislett; Adolph Strauch; George Kessler.
Arlington National. Arlington, Virginia; now 612 acres. Gen. Montgomery Meigs.
- 1867
Cedar Lawn. Paterson, New Jersey. Gen. Egbert L. Viele.
West Laurel Hill. Philadelphia (Bala Cynwyd), Pennsylvania; now 187 acres. John Jay Smith.
- 1869
Woodmere. Detroit, Michigan. Adolph Strauch.
Lake View. Cleveland, Ohio; 200 acres (now 285). Adolph Strauch; John Boddy; Olmsted Brothers; A. D. Taylor.
Highland. Covington, Kentucky; 104 acres (now 300). Adolph Strauch.
Oak Hill. Cedar Rapids, Iowa. H. W. S. Cleveland with William M. R. French.
- 1870
Highland. Junction City, Kansas. H. W. S. Cleveland with William M. R. French.
Cedar Hill. Newburgh, New York. Charles Downing.
- 1871
Lakewood. Minneapolis, Minnesota; 130 acres (now 250). Col. William S. King; Charles W. Folsom; A. B. Barton.
Rock Creek. District of Columbia; now 86 acres. First burials in 1719. Designer unknown.
- 1872
Metairie. New Orleans, Louisiana; 80 acres. Benjamin Morgan Harrod.
- 1873
Eastwood. Lancaster, Massachusetts. H. W. S. Cleveland.
- 1876
Riverside. Cleveland, Ohio; 102.5 acres. Edward O. Schwagerl.
Woodlawn. Toledo, Ohio; now 160 acres. Frank Eurich; Frank Jessup Scott; Edward O. Schwagerl.
- 1878
Homewood. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; 178 acres (now 200). Designer unknown.
Oak Lawn. Dwight, Illinois. H. W. S. Cleveland with William M. R. French.
- 1880
New Union. Lincoln, Illinois. H. W. S. Cleveland with William M. R. French.
Forest Hills. Chattanooga, Tennessee; now 100 acres. Col. Abraham Malone Johnson.
- 1881
Trinity. New York City. Originally founded 1842. Calvert Vaux & Co. with George K. Radford.
- 1883
Evergreens. Brooklyn, New York. Calvert Vaux & Co. with George K. Radford.
Walnut Grove. Little Rock, Arkansas. George Edward Kessler.
- 1884
Highland Lawn. Terre Haute, Indiana; 139 acres. Joseph Earnshaw.
- 1885
Harleigh. Camden, New Jersey. George E. Rhedemeyer.
Riverside. Ashville, North Carolina; now 87 acres. Designer unknown.
- 1887
Riverside. Macon, Georgia; now 125 acres. Calvert Vaux & Co. with George K. Radford.
- 1888
Riverside. Trenton, New Jersey. Calvert Vaux & Co. with George K. Radford.
Maple Grove. Wichita, Kansas; now 60 acres. A. A. Hyde; Albert Ellis.
- 1891
Mount Washington. Kansas City, Missouri; 400 acres (now 200). George Edward Kessler.
- 1892
Fairlawn. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. George Edward Kessler.
Cypress Lawn. Colmar, California; 60 acres. Hamden Holms Noble; Alexander Davidson.
- 1895
Hope. Barre, Vermont; 53 acres (now 65). Edward P. Adams.
- 1897
Elmwood. Kansas City, Missouri; now 50 acres. Founded 1872. George Edward Kessler.
- 1902
Oaklawn. Kansas City, Missouri. George Edward Kessler.