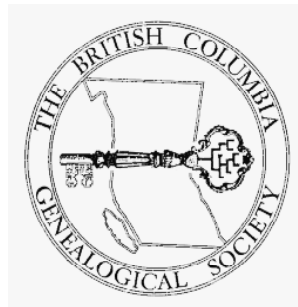


**PIONEER CEMETERY (1980),
LANGLEY, BRITISH COLUMBIA
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PIONEER CEMETERY, FORT LANGLEY, BC

Located at the corner of Mary and Church Streets in Fort Langley, BC, right of the churchyard.

Recorded by Leona Ferris, October 1980

Between 1827 and 1858, 106 men worked at Fort Langley: 32 were French-Canadian, 30 were Hawaiian (then called Sandwich Islanders or Kanakas and sometimes "Owyhnee"), seven were of mixed descent (also known as Metis), 10 were from Scotland's Orkney Islands, eight were Scottish Highlanders, five Scottish Lowlanders, five were Iroquois, seven were English, and two were "other". For the most part, they raised families with local girls from the Kwantlen, Sto:lo, and Musqueam nations of British Columbia's lower mainland and Fraser Valley.

From the "known with reasonable certainty" list: S. **ALLARD**, JOSEPH **ALLARD**, WILLIAM **CROMARTY**, ELIZABETH **DAWSON** nee **CROMARTY**, ANN **CROMARTY**, and CATHERINE **TAYLOR** nee **FALADREAU**.

From the "suspected" list: BASIL **BROUSSEAU**, Sr.; ROSE, first wife of Basil **BROUSSEAU** Sr, MARIANNE, second wife of Basil **BROUSSEAU**; NARCISSE **FALARDEAU**, Jr; NOEL **FALARDEAU**; EUGENE **ALLARD**; MARIE **ALLARD**; MATHIKDE **ALLARD**; LAURENT **ALLARD**; ISABELLE, wife of Etienne **PEPIN**; and DAVID **CROMARTY**.

Hawaiians Tai I and Laowala, and Scot/Brit NAPOLEAN **DEASE** died at the Fort before the opening of the Municipal Cemetery and might be buried in the Pioneer Cemetery. **WAVICAREEREA**, **OHIER**, PETER **APNAUT/OHULE**, ROBERT **WAVICAREEREA** were Hawaiians who stayed in the Fraser Valley but their burial places are unknown. **KEKEPALALE**, **KEKOA**, ALEXANDRE **LATRIELLE**, and CYPRIEN **DIONNE** are missing.

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| ALLARD | J. | Ovid/ son of J. & S. ALLARD/ died Jan 1884/ Aged 4 yrs. 4 mons./ |
| BREWSTER | Sarah | Sarah BREWSTER/ died Aug 28, 1884/ Aged 47/ |
| NEWTON | Wm. H. | Wm. H. NEWTON/ 1833-1975/ |

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