BIRCH HILL CEMETERY

Administered from Oxford Service Centre of Waimakariri District Council

This small cemetery was originally semi-private for members of the family, relatives and farm hands of Birch Hill Station.

Captain William Newton Millton, who occupied the Okuku country in 1857, and his wife Caroline are both commemorated here, as are John Tucker Ford and his wife Eliza. All four are buried at St Peter's Anglican, Upper Riccarton.

On the back wall are two plaques in memory of the men of Birch Hill Station who died in World War One, and the horses that came from the station.

From the track on the road to the cemetery, the Ford Millton Home (now a private residence) can be seen.

Location: 130 Garry River Road, Glentui. (Entrance down a track)

Note: The following simple plot plan has been drawn up by Waimakariri Branch of NZSG and should be regarded as a guide only.