There are many of these metal markers in the cemetery. The glass and the names are gone. This one has a Mason insignia at the top. I don't remember any of them having flowers on them.

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Sugartown Cemetery is located in the historic town of Sugartown, LA. At one time in history, Sugartown was being considered as the "county seat" of Beauregard Parish, but De Ridder won out. In older times, I have been told there was an academy for girls and a cotton gin. And in even older times, Sugartown was the center of "neutral territory" where outlaws and westward travelers were allowed to exist side-by-side without fear. The neutral territory was claimed by four nations---the United States, Spain, France, and Mexico.

To reach the cemetery, go to the center of town (the intersection of LA 112 and LA 113) and turn towards Pitkin on LA 113. It is just north of Sugartown Baptist Church, which is only a stone's throw from the intersection. Even though it is on a main road, you have a feeling of being away from everything due to the surrounding trees.

The oldest graves we could find were in 1891-Webb Singleton and J.M. Barron. Since this is a very old cemetery, there probably are some "lost" graves. (We found evidence of unmarked graves.) I would be interested in hearing from anyone who might have knowledge of these "lost" graves.

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NOLEN, SHIRLON W APR 28 1941 MAY 2 1959 [photo]
NOLEN, WESLEY MAR 31 1911 JUL 23 1984 h/o BESSIE SIGLER NOLEN
NUNEZ, CLAYTON THOMAS, SR Jul 5, 1924 Oct 8, 2002 h/o Lillian Inez Alexander
NUNEZ, LILLIAN INEZ ALEXANDER Nov 24, 1927 Feb 24, 2002 w/o Clayton Nunez
O'QUINN, ADA SIGLER MAY 10 1887 APR 22 1966 w/o B. HAYNES O'QUINN
O'QUINN, B. HAYNES (DR) FEB 25 1885 JAN 12 1967 h/o ADA SIGLER O'QUINN
O'QUINN, JAMES W FEB 2 1880 AUG 6 1900
OFFICER, HENRY RAY (DR) MAY 20 1882 JAN 25 1956 h/o MOLLIE SINGLETON OFFICER
OFFICER, MOLLIE SINGLETON MAR 2 1883 NOV 1 1958 w/o DR HENRY ROY OFFICER
PERKINS, BARNEY ALLEN JAN 22 1915 JAN 2 1961 w/o Merle D Perkins MM-La Pfc MP Plt 76
Inf Div WWI [LVH: s/o George Allen and Susan Camilla (Simmons) Perkins]
PERKINS, CLARA MOORE SEP 16 1881 JAN 10 1963 w/o EDWARD D PERKINS
PERKINS, DORCAS GIDLOW Jun 5, 1915 JUN 1 1992 [Fairview teacher 38 yrs]* w/o Floyd Lee Perkins [E.STAR]
PERKINS, EDWARD D JUN 12 1873 JUN 24 1950 h/o CLARA MOORE PERKINS [Mason]
[LVH: s/o John Hollingsworth and Emily (Winburn) Perkins]
PERKINS, FLOYD LEE JUN 17 1900 MAY 28 1968 h/o DORCAS GODLOW PERKINS [MASON]
PERKINS, JESSIE N BRISTER NOV 28 1900 SEP 25 1984 w/o JOHN CALVIN PERKINS
picture of their double headstone
PERKINS, JOHN CALVIN Mar 9 1907 Jul 11 1957 h/o Jessie N Brister Perkins MM-La Pvt Co H 36
Armd Inf WWII
[LVH: s/o George Allen and Susan Camilla (Simmons) Perkins]
PERKINS, MERLE D 1918 ** h/o BARNEY A PERKINS
POLSON, BEN F AUG 1 1918 ** h/o WILLIE RAE POLSON
POLSON, WILLIE RAE McFATTER OCT 8 1920 ** w/o BEN F POLSON Married Apr 24, 1951
PRICE, PEARL K MAR 6 1899 ** w/o Wm O PRICE
PRICE, WILLIAM O JAN 9 1888 JUN 15 1970 h/o PEARL K PRICE
RAINWATER, MARGARET WORNELL Jul 10, 1947 Mar 23, 2002 w/o Fred Raymond Rainwater, Sr
RASBERRY, JOSEPH DALE OCT 30 1958 MAY 28 1961 s/o M M ELDON RASBERRY [photo]
RASBERRY, MELBA SUE CARAWAY MAY 30 1935 MAY 28 1961 h/o ELDON RASBERRY [photo]
REED, IDA C JUL 22 1887 AUG 6 1953 w/o JOHNNIE A REED [M]
REED, JOHNNIE A FEB 14 1885 MAR 11 1977 h/o IDA D REED [F]
RENFRO, TROY LANCE AUG 16 1971 inf s/o ROBERT WONZA RENFRO
RICHARDSON, ADA H (MRS) DEC 15 1871 DEC 15 1914
RICHARDSON, GEORGE W AUG 27 1839 FEB 28 1926 [Mason]
RICHARDSON, K.B. w/o G.W.R. d-JUN 4 1895 [I'm guessing at this surname]
ROARK, LILLIE SIGLER JUN 17 1891 DEC 11 1967
ROGERS, JAMES R MAR 12 1917 MAY 23 85 h/o MARJORIE C ROGERS MM-LTC US ARMY WWII
ROGERS, MARJORIE C NOV 28 1924 MAR 23 1943
SANDEFEER, KYLE L SEP 1 1913 Feb 1, 2003 h/o Ruby G Sandefer Cpl US Army WWII
SANDEFEER, RUBY G SEP 20 1915 JUL 16 1995 w/o KYLE L SANDEFEER
SANDERS, CARROLL M 1862 1934 h/o JUDITH ALICE CAGLE SANDERS
SANDERS, CHARLES L MAR 26 1897 DEC 2 1961 MM-La Pvt USARMSY WWII PH
SANDERS, ELIZA ANN DEC 3 1864 OCT 25 1933 nee Frazier w/o JACOB C SANDERS
SANDERS, JACOB C MAY 7 1863 FEB 20 1935 h/o ELIZA ANN FRAZIER
These two were originally read as Frazier......5/22/2003 last name was found at base of headstone
SANDERS
SANDERS, JUDITH ALICE CAGLE JAN 5 1867 SEP 13 1901 w/o CARROLL M SANDERS

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