

Mapping Service Links in Second Site 6*

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*As of this writing the current version of Second Site is 6.1.2

Introduction

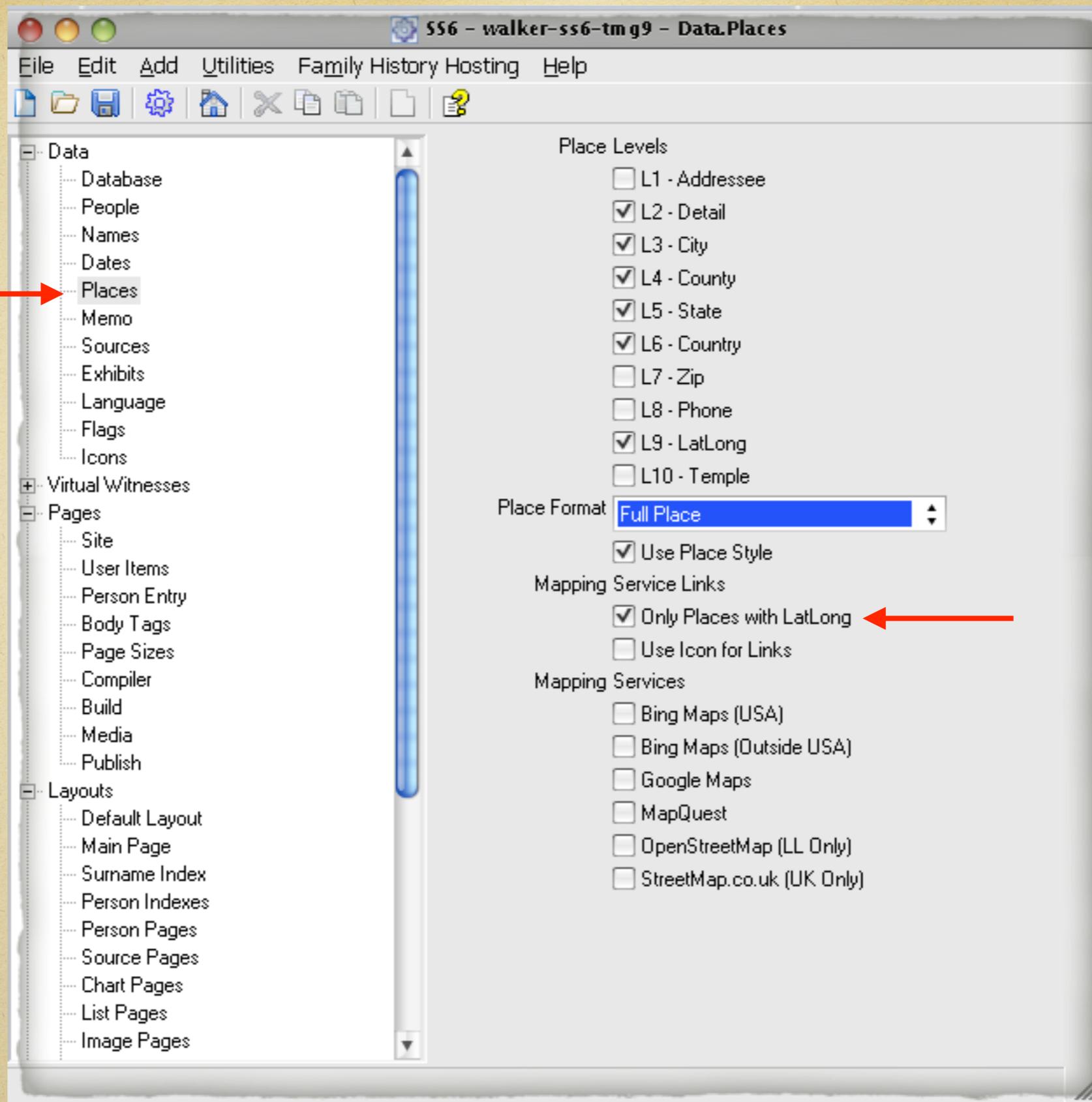
- The new Map Service Link available in Second Site v.6 provides links to several mapping services.
- Information that you have provided in the Place fields in TMG is sent to the map service(s), which then displays a map.
- The reader has all of the usual viewing options, including panning, zooming and map style.
- Keep in mind that if you are publishing to CD, the reader must have an Internet connection to view maps.

Introduction

- Places can be made available to a map service in two ways.
- Entering GPS coordinates in the LatLong field in the Tag Entry screen of TMG will generate the most accurate location of a given place.
- The format for coordinates must look like
46.36206,-63.72579
- Lacking GPS coordinates, data in the other Place fields will be sent to the map service(s). This is called geocoding, and is less accurate than coordinates.

Introduction

- You will find surprising variation in the accuracy of the different map services when geocoding is the only option they have to display a place.
- An example of an inaccuracy in locating a place is when you have only a parish name, county and country.
- Both coordinates and geocoding can be used, selecting only coordinates when available, and geocoding when coordinates are not available.



This is the default when viewing options for Places in Second Site 6.

Burial*

He was buried in **North Bedeque Cemetery, North Bedeque, Prince County, Prince Edward Island, Canada, 46.36206, -63.72579**, white marble ballast stone.
Inscription: "FATHER / In / memory of / ROBERT WALKER / Died Dec. 4, 1882, / AEt. 73. / A native of Annan, / Dumfrees shire Scotland / May we so rest when life is o'er
with loved ones gone before, / Where hearts ne'er ache nor loved ones die". Stonecutter signature: "Cairns & McLean".²¹



When viewing a typical event, such as this burial, a link is created for the cemetery.

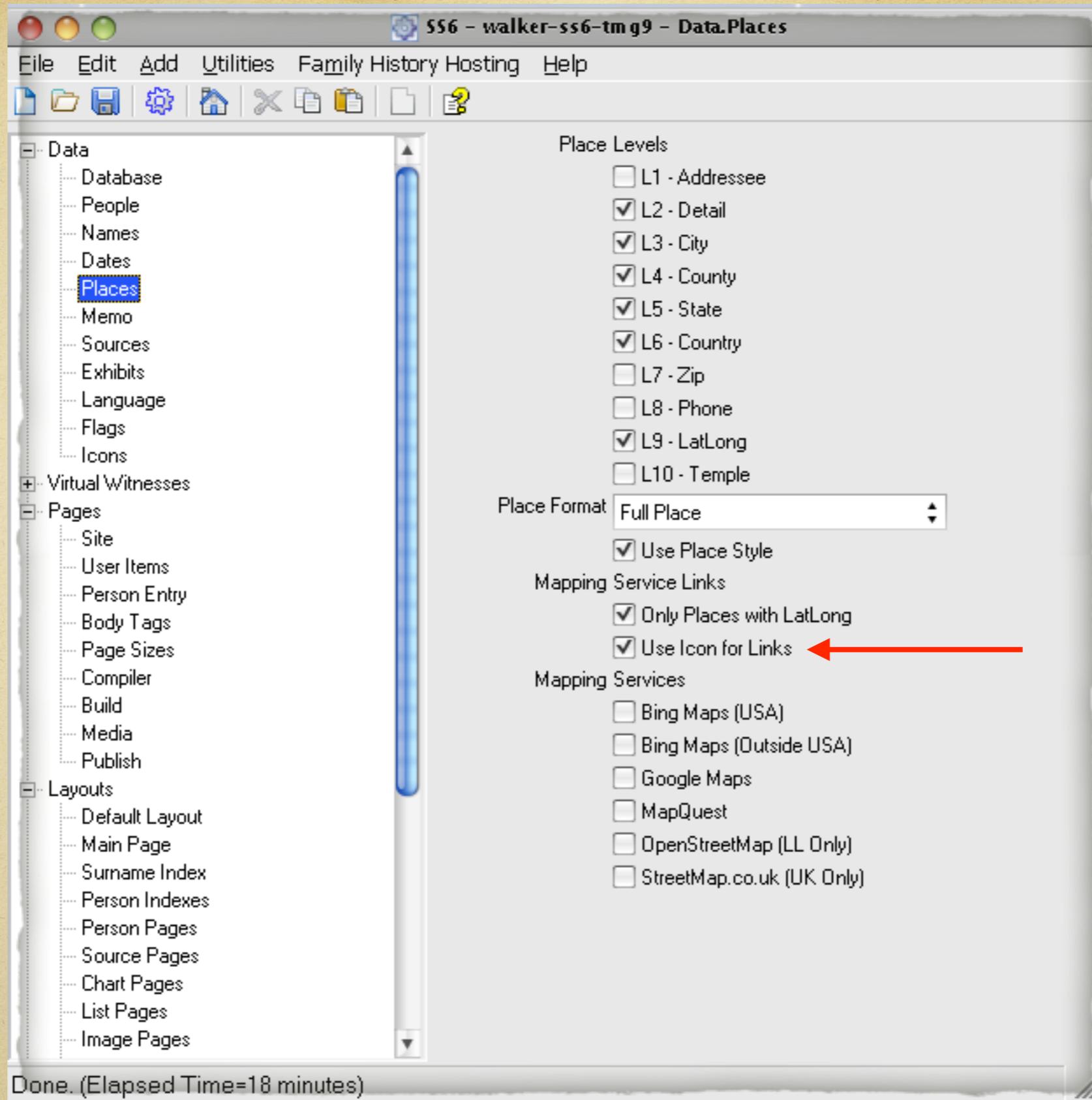
North Bedeque



Affleck, George Stewart b. 30 May 1922
Anderson, Annie A. b. 1863, d. 1942
Baker, Annie b. 1878, d. 1951
Baker, Elizabeth b. 10 May 1810, d. 3 Mar 1894
Baker, Emily Ann b. 1 Oct 1847, d. 1934
Baker, George Clark b. 14 Nov 1912, d. 4 Nov 1978
Baker, George T. b. 1875, d. 27 Aug 1876
Baker, Hannah b. 3 Sep 1812, d. 9 Apr 1889
Baker, Infant Daughter b. 25 Sep 1953, d. 25 Sep 1953
Baker, Jemima b. 1874, d. 14 Feb 1891
Baker, John b. 20 Mar 1808, d. 20 Jan 1899
Baker, John Montague Clark b. 10 Feb 1829, d. 12 Jan 1892
Baker, Lewis b. 19 Aug 1823, d. 16 Sep 1825
Baker, Major b. 1851, d. 21 Mar 1872

This is how the created site appears in a web browser, using only the default settings for Places in Second Site 6.

Having clicked on the link to this cemetery, one to many icons are displayed below the location name. Except for unique GPS coordinates, none can be identified with a particular person.



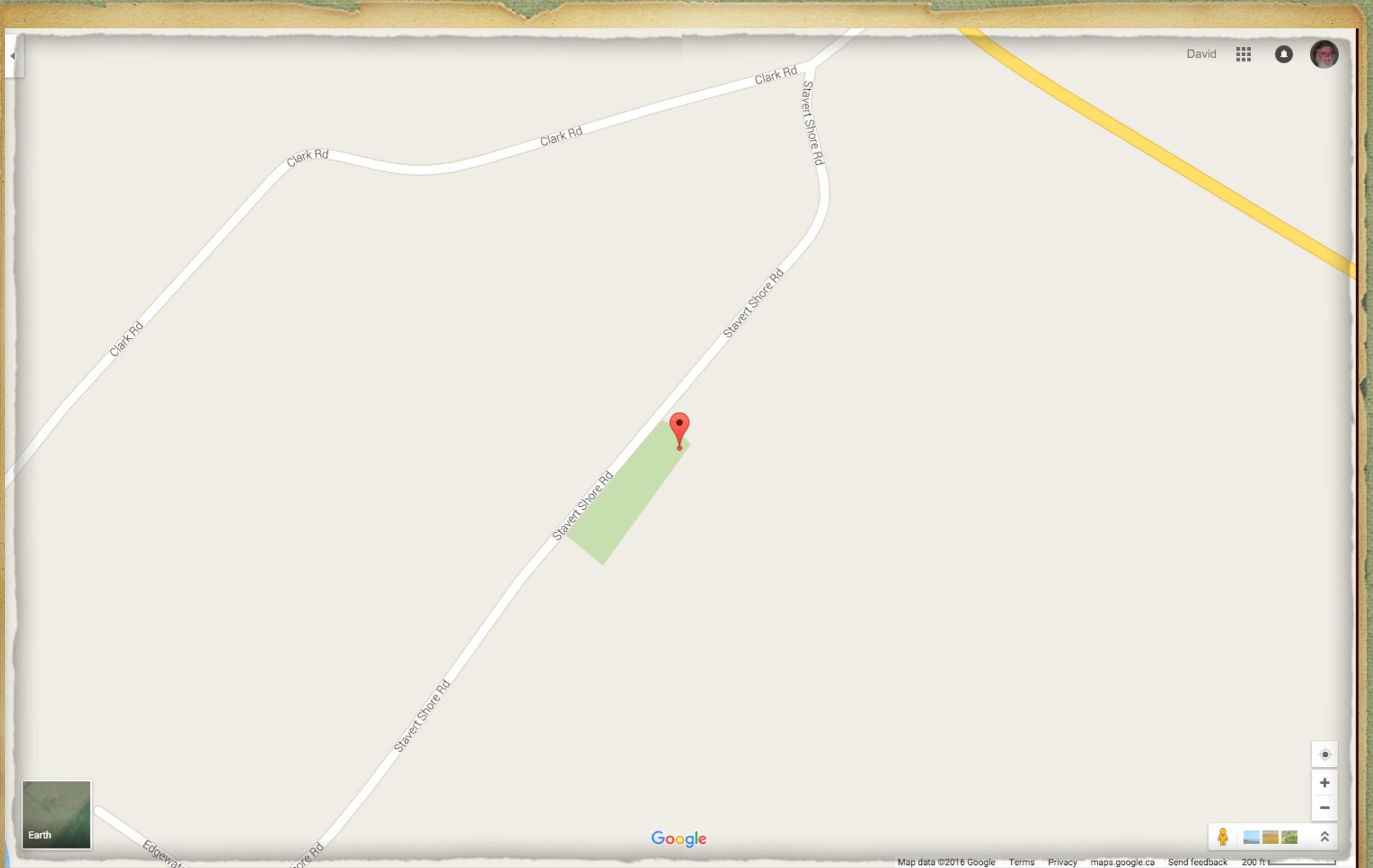
Check option for Use Icon for Links, otherwise the link will be represented by the first letter of the map service.

North Bedeque

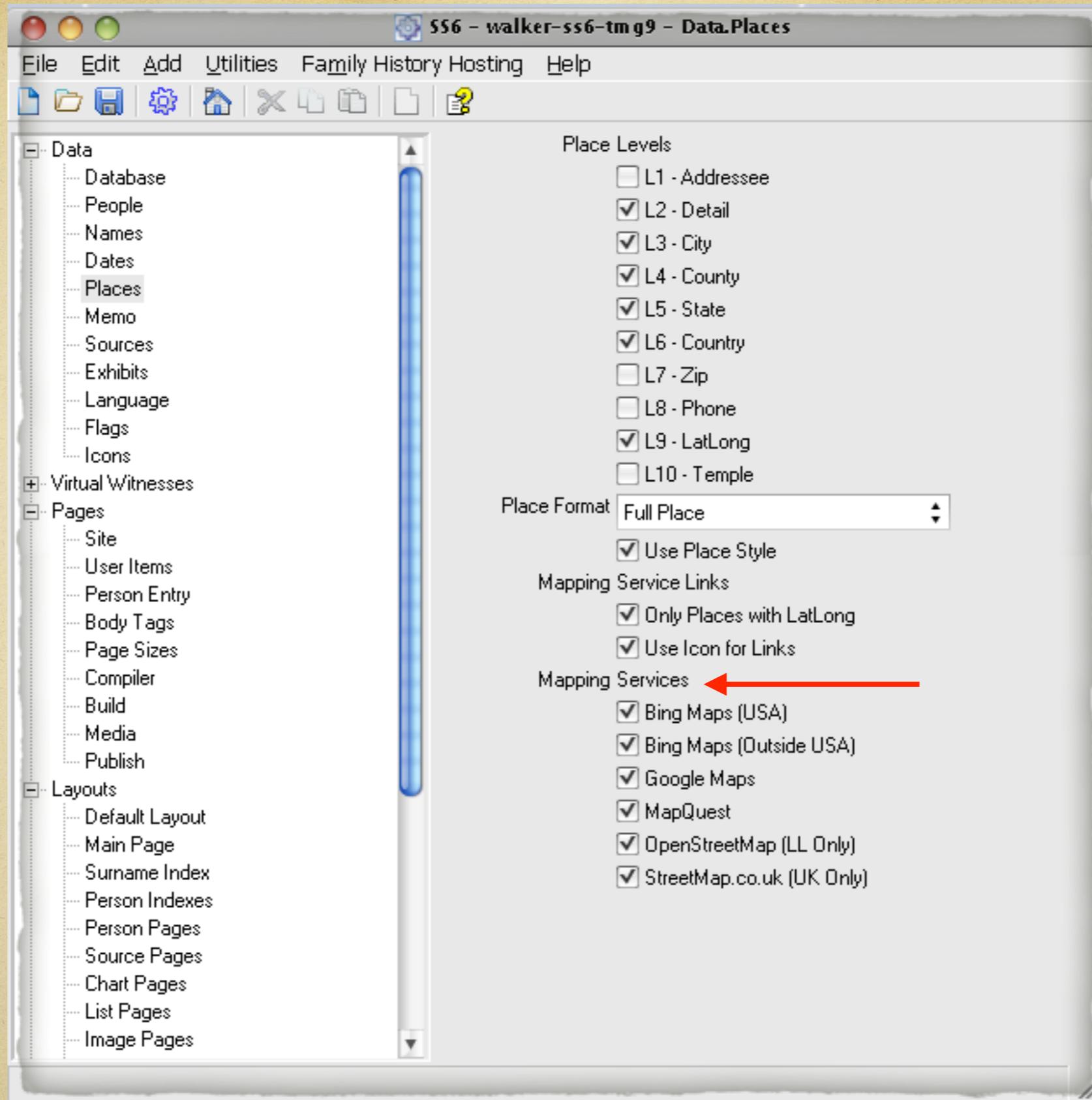


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The only difference from the default settings is the look of the icons to link to a burial.



A Google map is displayed with a pin indicating the location of the burial, but not the person(s).



Next, experiment with all available Mapping Services. Decide which best serves your data.

Bing

Google

MapQuest

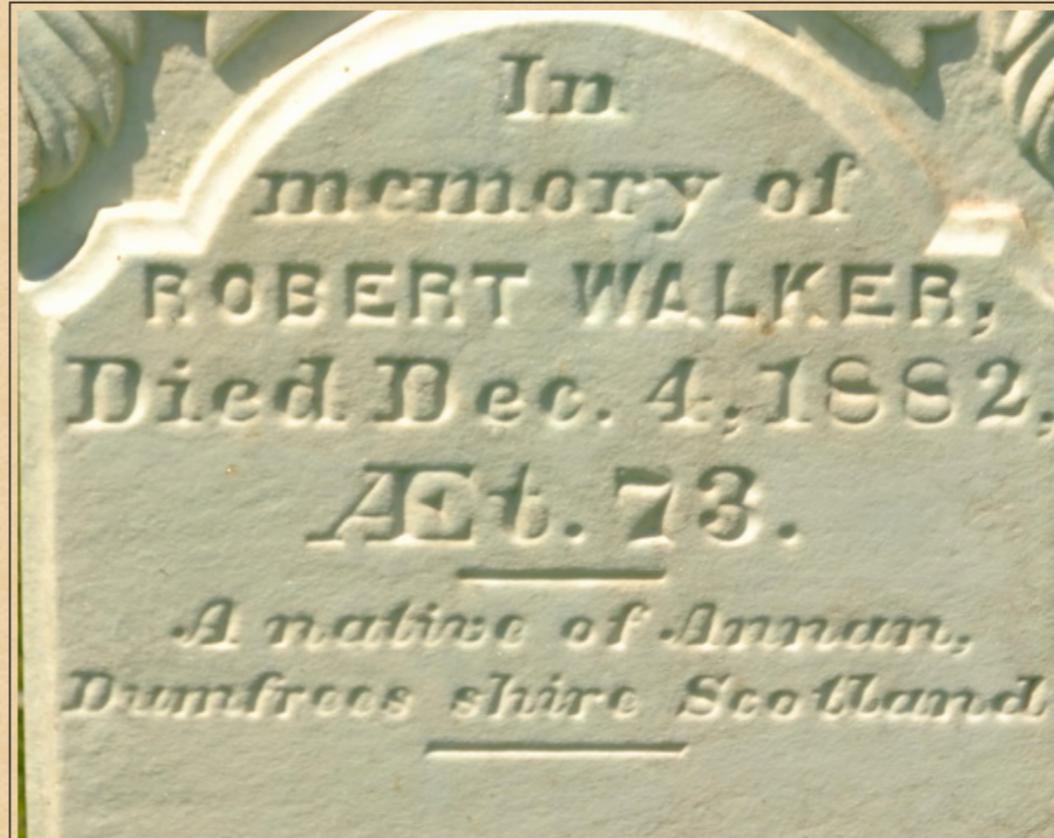
OpenStreetMap

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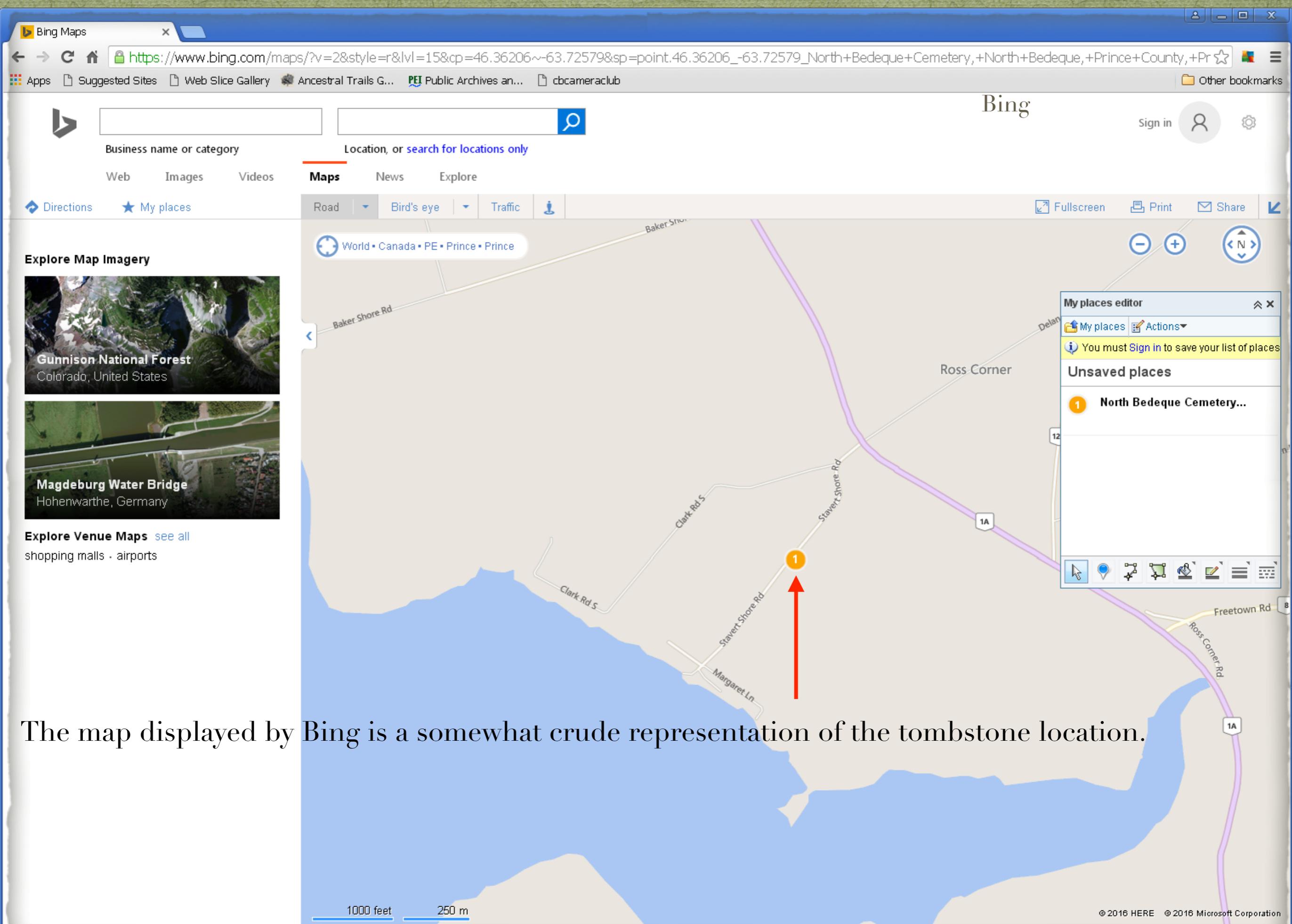


Tombstone, Robert Walker 1811-1882, North Bedeque Cemetery, Prince County, Prince Edward Island,

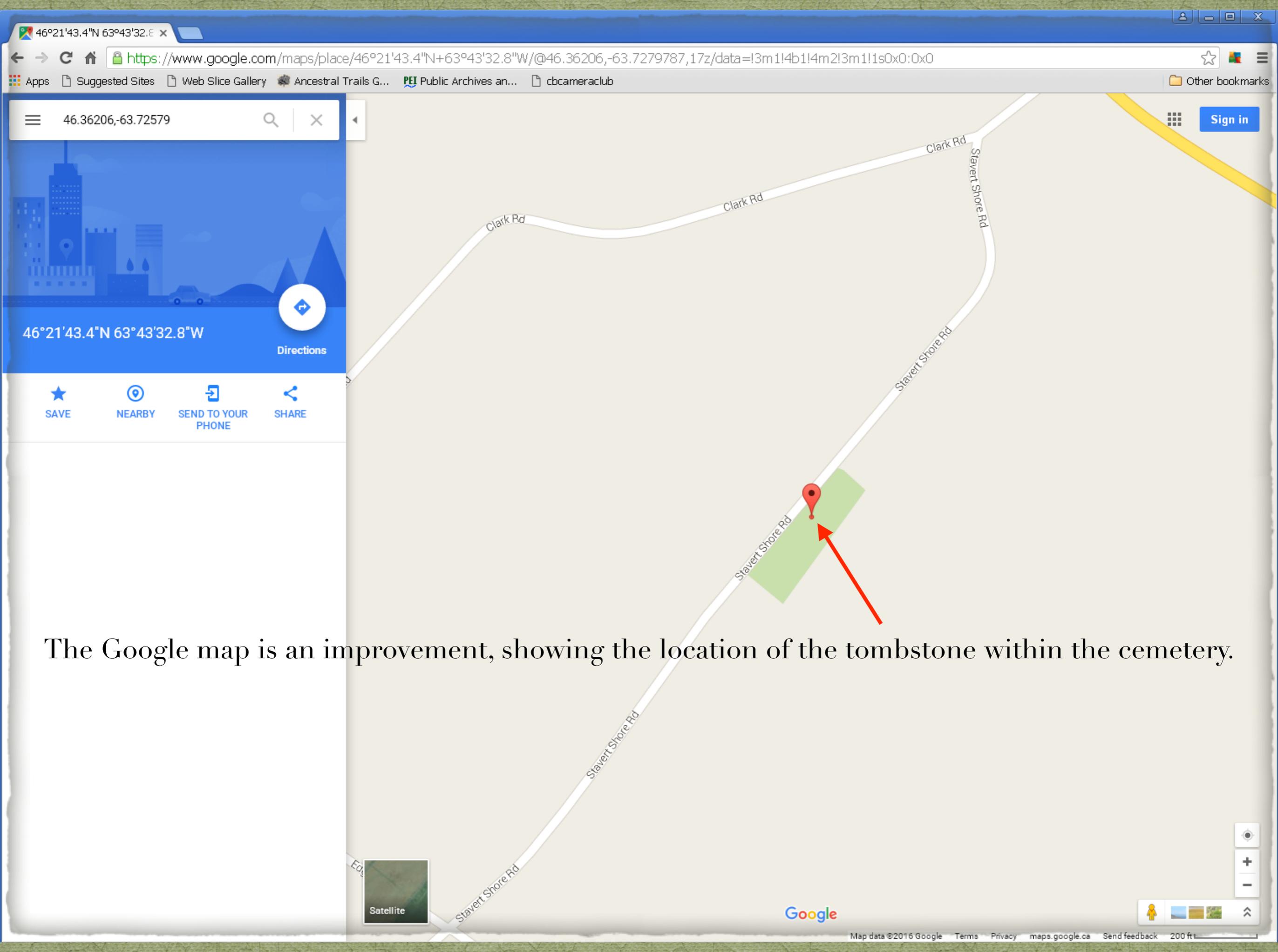


Inscription detail.

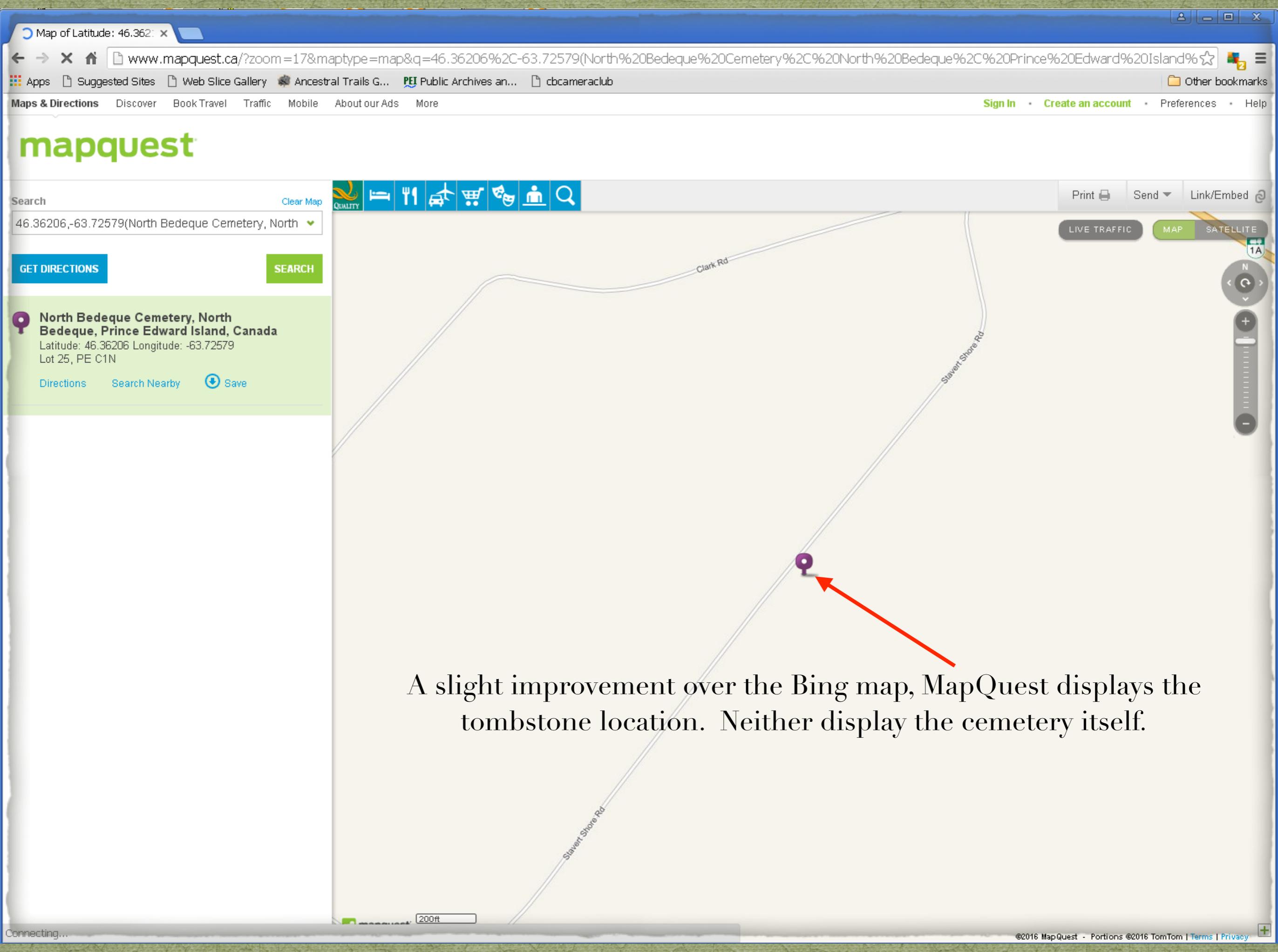
Hover the mouse cursor over the displayed icons to show which mapping service is linked.



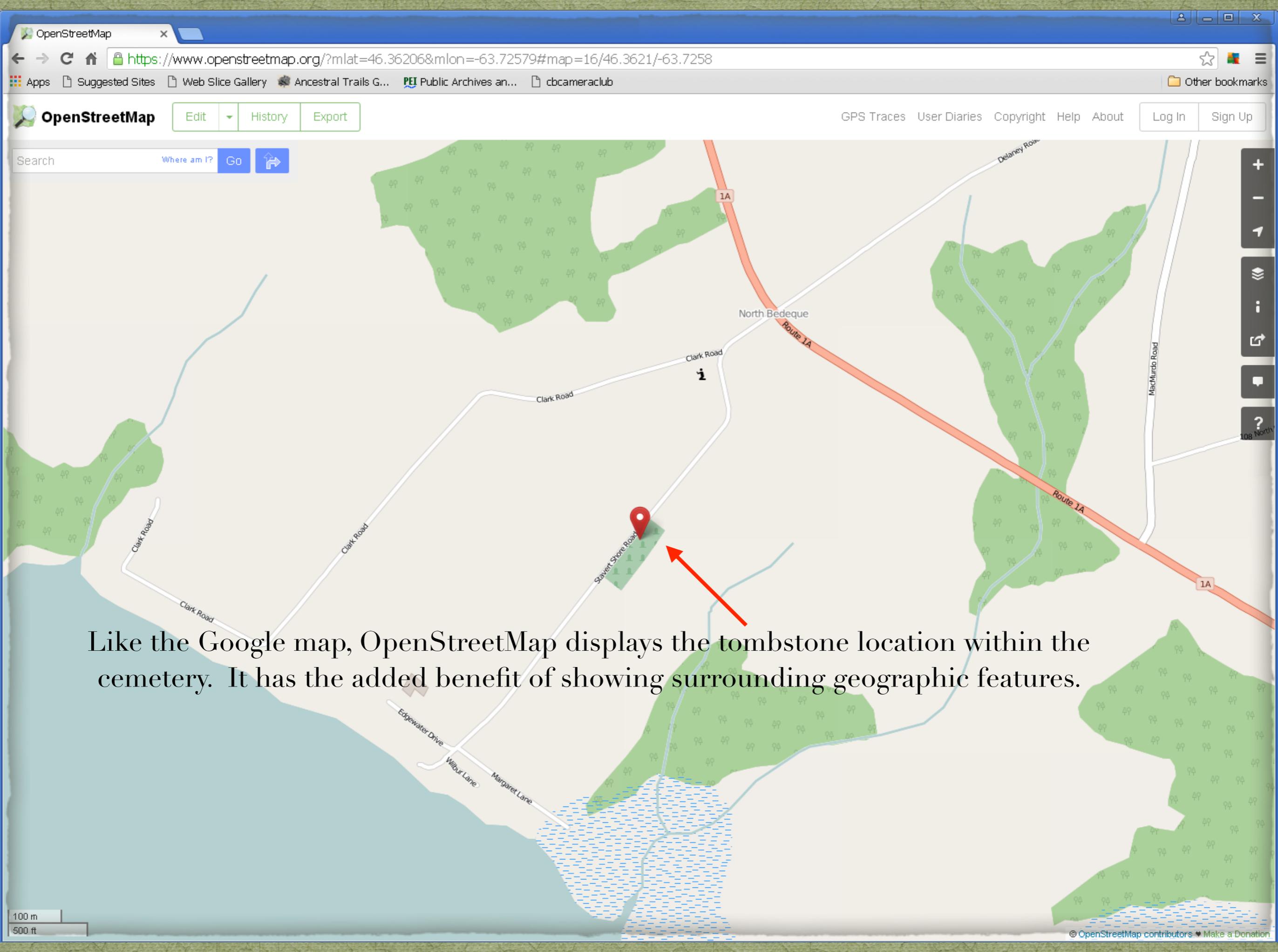
The map displayed by Bing is a somewhat crude representation of the tombstone location.



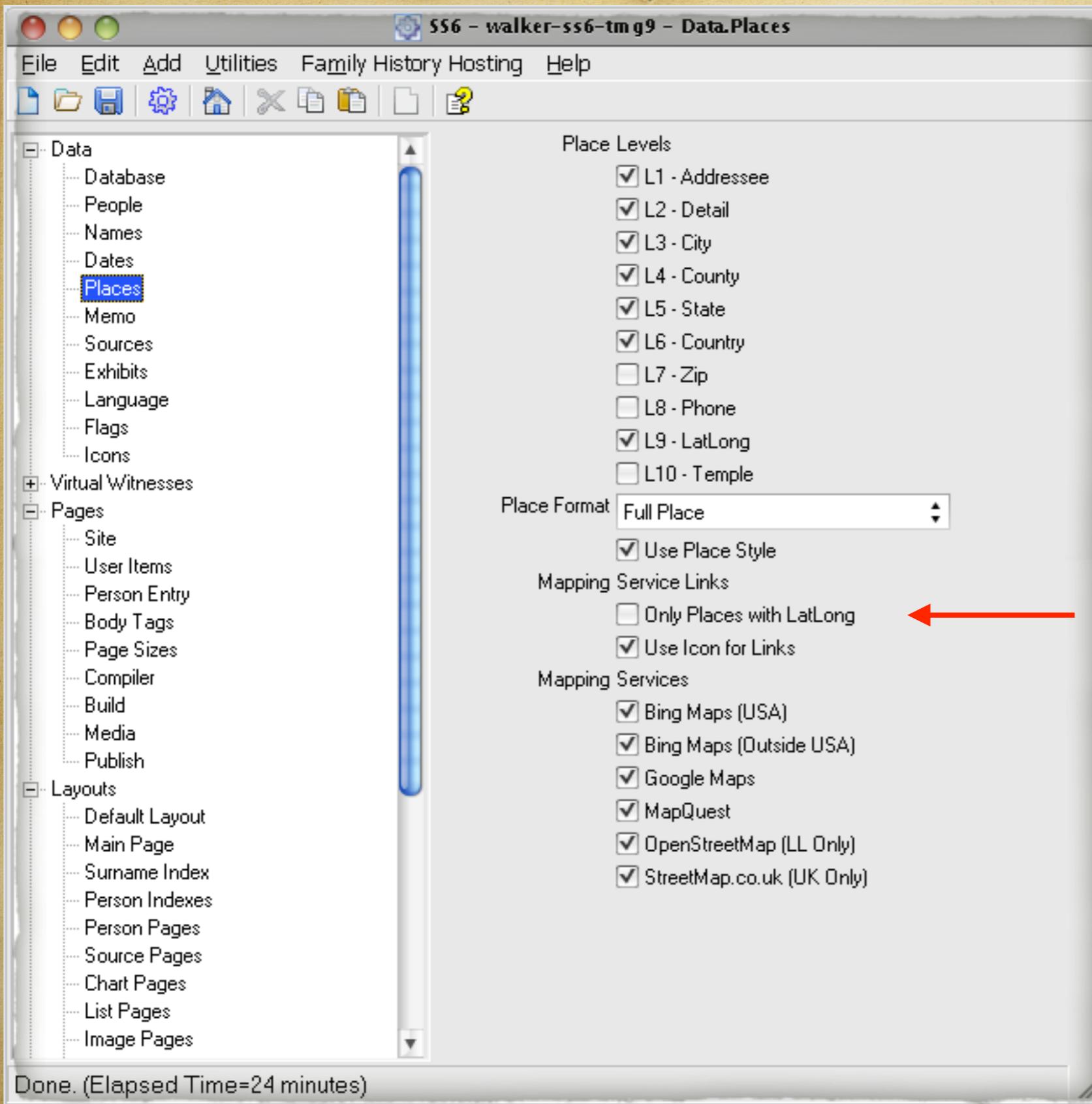
The Google map is an improvement, showing the location of the tombstone within the cemetery.



A slight improvement over the Bing map, MapQuest displays the tombstone location. Neither display the cemetery itself.



Like the Google map, OpenStreetMap displays the tombstone location within the cemetery. It has the added benefit of showing surrounding geographic features.



Uncheck 'Only Places with LatLong'
Coordinate data will be given priority

You are likely asking the question: "How do I enable Mapping Service when I lack GPS coordinates?"

Type	Name		Type
Name	James TOWNSEND (9272) (1739-1806)		Last edited
Father	John TOWNSEND (9270) (c1700-)		Children
Mother	Catherine ABEL (9271)		Tag count
			References

Type	Date	Name/Place
Relation >		5th great-grandfather of David Arthur WALKER (1) b. 21 Jun 1944
* Birth	__ __ 1739	[[:PLACE-MAP-LINK:]]Shrivenham (Longcot Parish), Berkshire, England
* Marriage	30 May 1755	Elizabeth DAVIS (9273);Shrivenham (Longcot Parish), Berkshire, England, records in
* Son-Bio	__ __ 1756	Capt. John TOWNSEND (9274); Berkshire, England
* Dau-Bio	: __ __ 1757	Lucy TOWNSEND (45163);Longcot Parish,Berkshire, England
* Dau-Bio	01 Mar 1758	Elizabeth Ann TOWNSEND (39951); Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England
* Son-Bio	22 Sep 1759	James TOWNSEND (39941); Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England
* Dau-Bio	: __ __ 1760	Mary TOWNSEND (43951); Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England
* Dau-Bio	14 Mar 1762	Rachel TOWNSEND (40415); Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England
* Son-Bio	14 Mar 1765	James TOWNSEND (43940)
* Dau-Bio	: __ __ 1766	Charlotte TOWNSEND (45184); Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England
* Dau-Bio	__ __ 1768	Mary TOWNSEND (39927); Berkshire, England
* Son-Bio	: __ __ 1775	Richard TOWNSEND (39932)
* Emigration	17 Aug 1775	London,England, The Elizabeth sailed from London Aug. 17, 1775 under Ships Master, John

The syntax for geocoding is [[:PLACE-MAP-LINK:]].

This code has no meaning within TMG, so it should be wrapped in HID code.

The final coding for a Place field will be:

[HID:] [[:PLACE-MAP-LINK:]] [[:HID]]

This code is useful when you have checked Only Places With LatLong, but you wish to have map service links for certain places that lack LatLong coordinates.

Code is entered in an empty place field in TMG.

Tag Entry

Tag type: Marriage

Principal: 9272 James TOWNSEND, (1739-1806) Primary name

Principal: 9273 Elizabeth DAVIS, (1726-1795) Primary name

Date: 30 May 1755

Sort date: 30 May 1755

Place style: U.S. StandardPlace

Addresssee: [HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]

Country: England

City: Shrivenham (Longcot Parish)

County: Berkshire

Memo: records in Shrivenham show James signed his own name.

1088(Marriage Record - James

OK Cancel Help

Master Place List

Filter : 1: Walker imported on 02 Oct 2003 12:16:05

Adressee	Detail	City	County	State	Country	Postal
		Maulden	Bedfordshire		England	
		Sandy	Bedfordshire		England	
	Longcot Parish		Berkshire		England	
	Windsor Castle		Berkshire		England	
	Longcot Parish Cemetery		Berkshire		England	
[HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]	Longcot Parish		Berkshire		England	
[HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]	Longcot Parish		Berkshire		England	
[HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]		Shrivenham (Longcot Parish)	Berkshire		England	
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[HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]		Shrivenham (Longcot Parish)	Berkshire		England	
		Abingdon	Berkshire		England	
	St. Nicholas Church	Abingdon	Berkshire		England	
		Longcot	Berkshire		England	
		Reading	Berkshire		England	
	the high altar , Reading Abbe	Reading	Berkshire		England	
[HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]		Shrivenham (Longcot Parish)	Berkshire		England	

Type letters on the keyboard to find the first match on the highlighted column.

Close Help

The Addressee place field contains the required code.

Edit place

Place style: U.S. StandardPlace

Addressee		Country	
Detail	Portsmouth Township	Postal	
City	Newport	Phone	
County		LatLong	
State	Rhode Island	Temple	

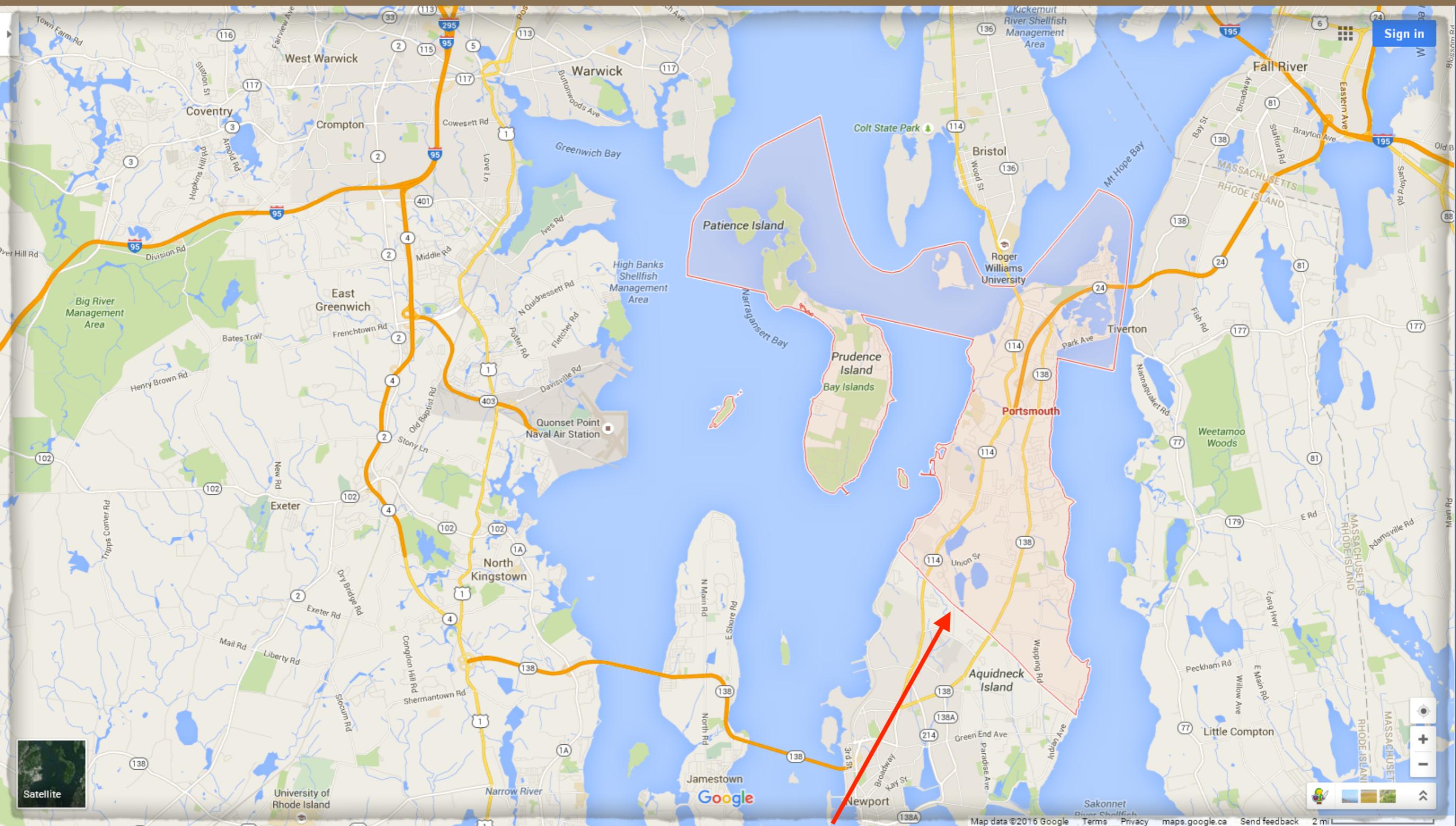
Short place : (Default)

Start year : 0 End year : 0

Comment : [HID:] [:PLACE-MAP-LINK:] [:HID]

OK Cancel Help

A third option for adding the code for Map Service is to edit a given place from the Master Place List, entering the code in the Comment field.



Google map succeeded with the only place data being Portsmouth Township, Newport County, Rhode Island. Portsmouth Township is outlined and shaded.

A fourth option to add code is using John Cardinal's TMG Utility. Refer to Terry Reigel's web site on this topic.

<http://tmg.reigelridge.com/SecondSite-map-links.htm#including>

Map Service Comparisons

The following slides illustrate some comparisons made of various map services. Not all services produced a map.

White Rock, British Columbia, Canada

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White Rock, British Columbia, Canada

White Rock

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White Rock is a city in British Columbia, Canada. It is a member municipality of Metro Vancouver, the governing body of the Greater Vancouver Regional District. It borders Semiahmoo Bay and is s...

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19,340 (2011)
5.130 km² (1.981 sq miles)

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Bing map, for White Rock, British Columbia.

White Rock, British Columbia, Canada



White Rock, BC
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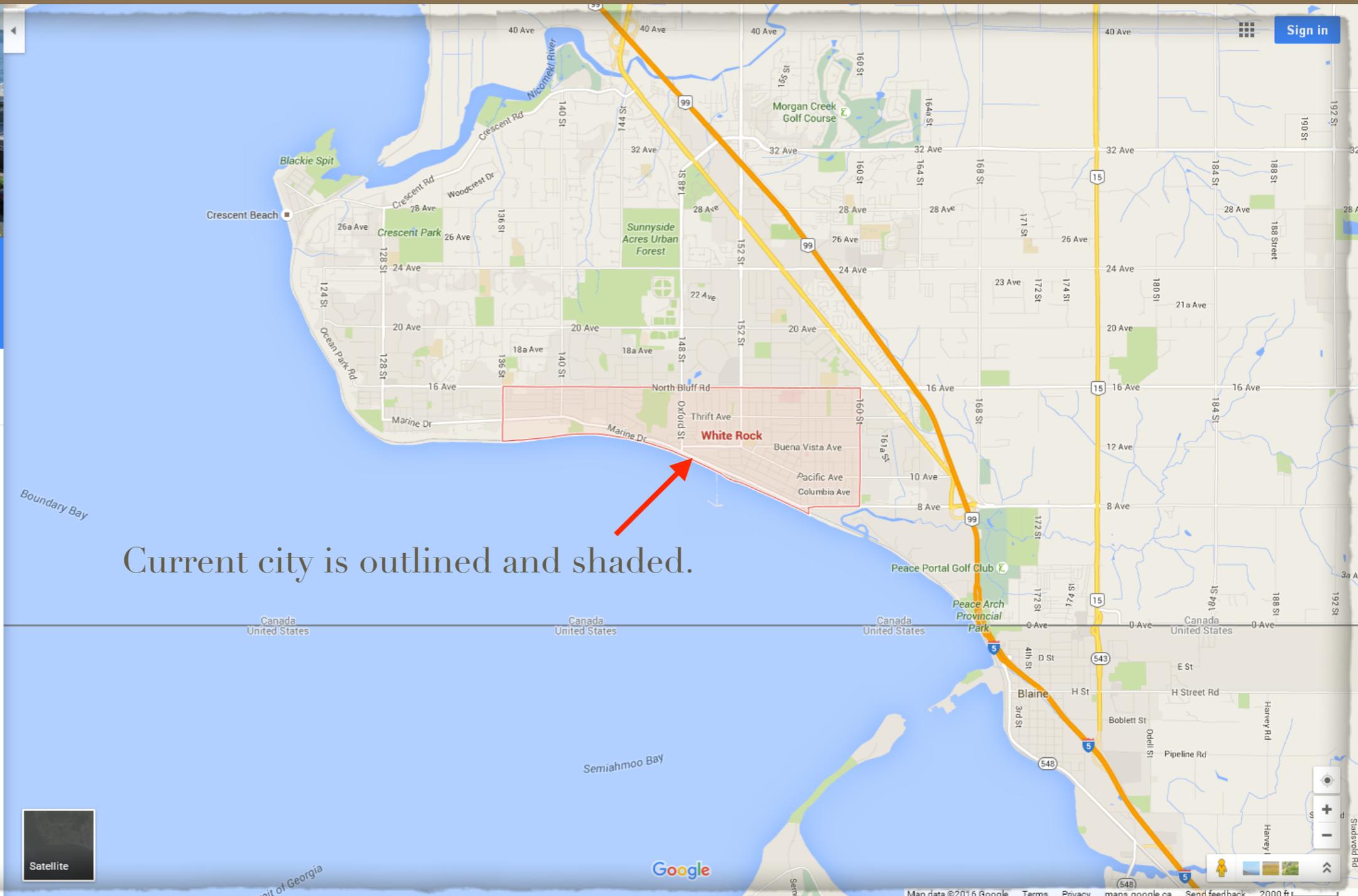
Quick facts

White Rock is a city in British Columbia, Canada. It is a member municipality of Metro Vancouver, the governing body of the Greater Vancouver Regional District. It borders Semiahmoo Bay and is surrounded on three sides by Surrey. [Wikipedia](#)

Population: 19,339 (2011)
Province: British Columbia
Elevation: 262'

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3-star averaging \$88 [View Hotels](#)



Current city is outlined and shaded.

Google map, for White Rock, British Columbia. The added benefit was the default zoom level illustrated the road and border crossing, which were of interest.

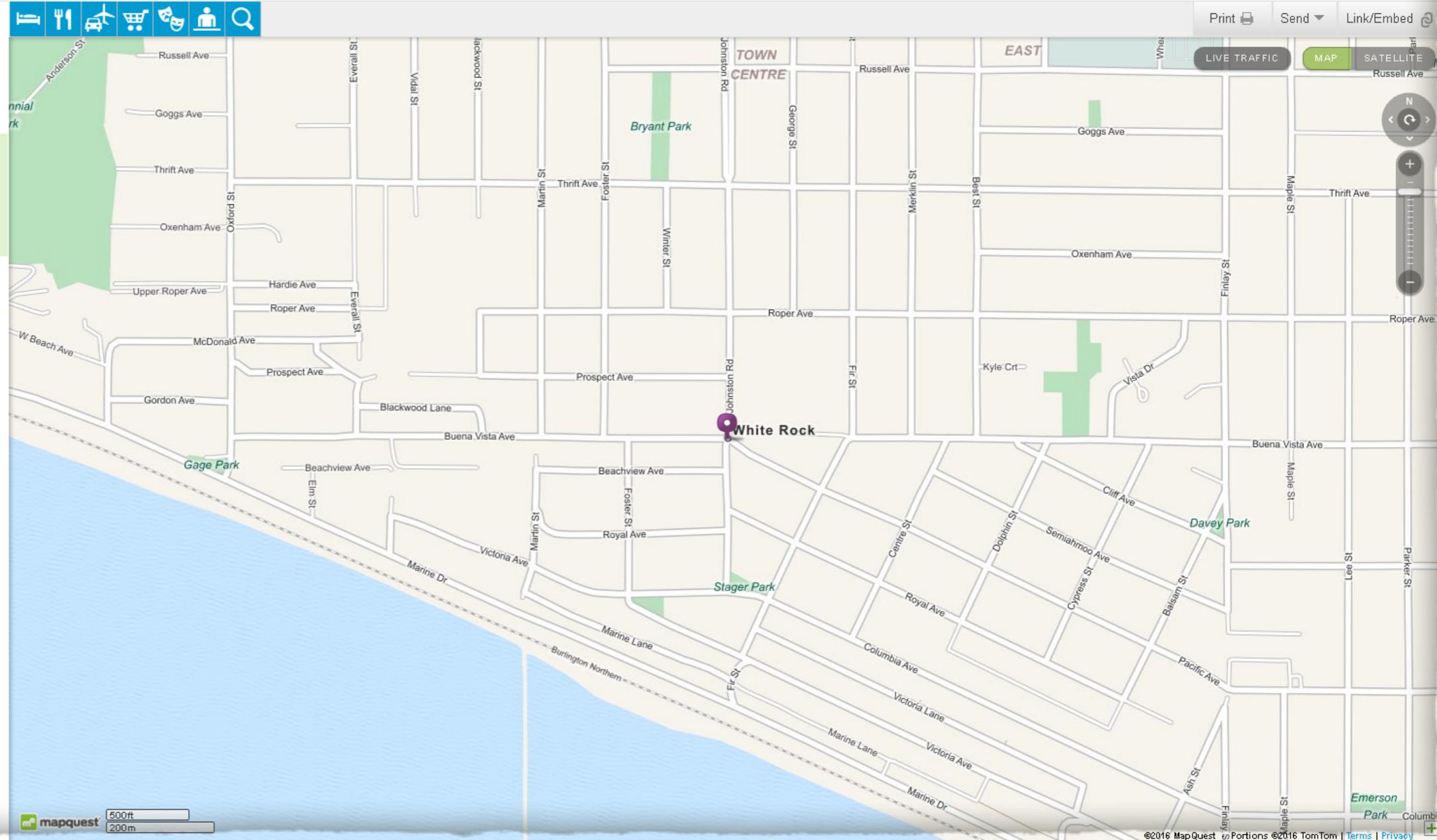


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MapQuest map, for White Rock, British Columbia.

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Leadville is the statutory city that is the county seat and only incorporated municipality in Lake County, Colorado, United States. The city population was 2,602 at the 2010 United States Ce... +

Wikipedia

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2,595 (2014)
2.860 km² (1.104 sq miles)

Weather
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Points of interest



Mount Elbert



National Mining Hall of Fame



Mount Democrat

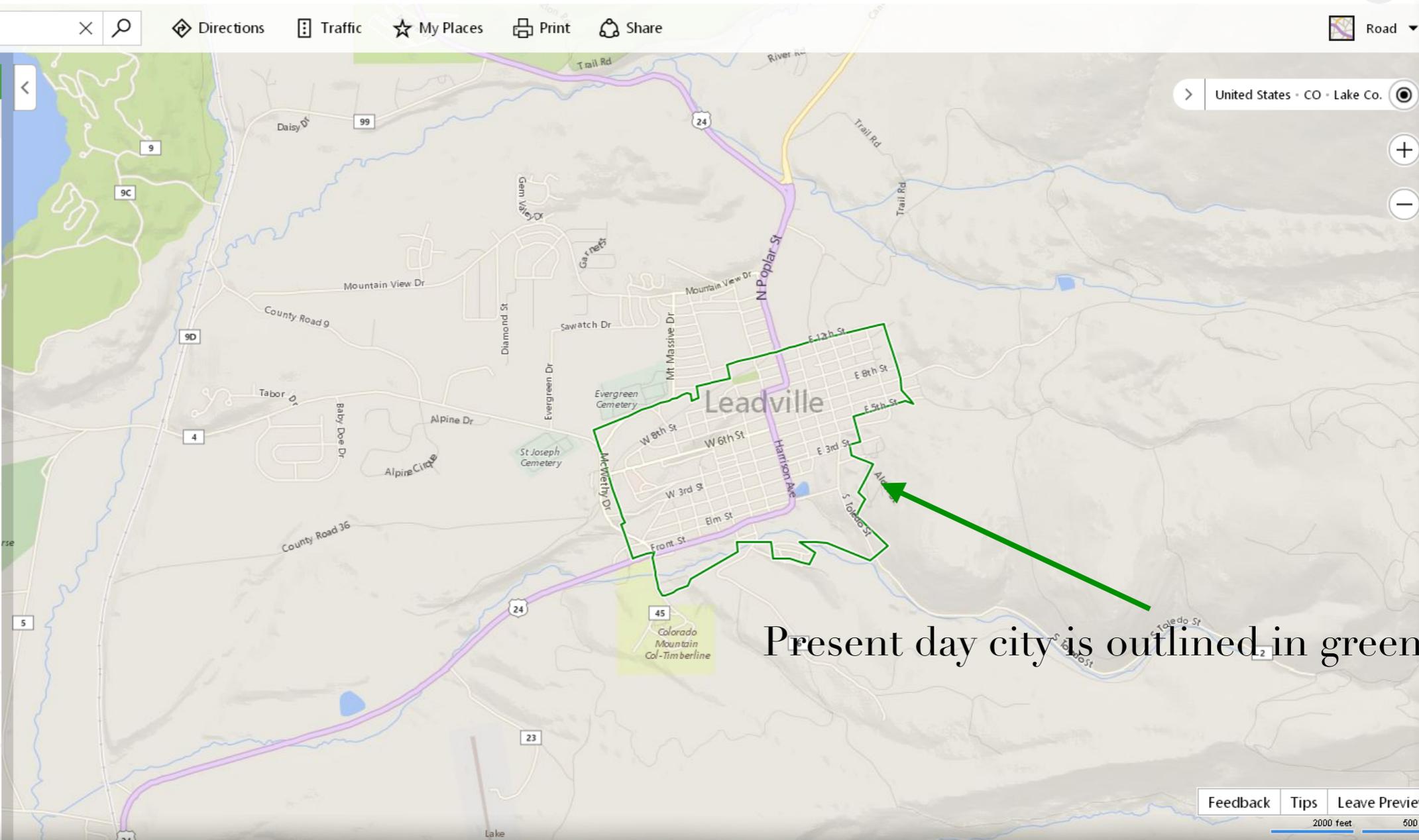
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Bing map, at the centre of Leadville, Lake County, Colorado.

Leadville, Colorado, U.S.A.

Leadville, CO 80461
Partly Cloudy · 44°F
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Quick facts

Leadville is the statutory city that is the county seat and only incorporated municipality in Lake County, Colorado, United States. The city population was 2,602 at the 2010 United States Census. [Wikipedia](#)

Elevation: 10,151'
Zip code: 80461
Population: 2,580 (2013)

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Google map, Leadville, Lake County, Colorado.

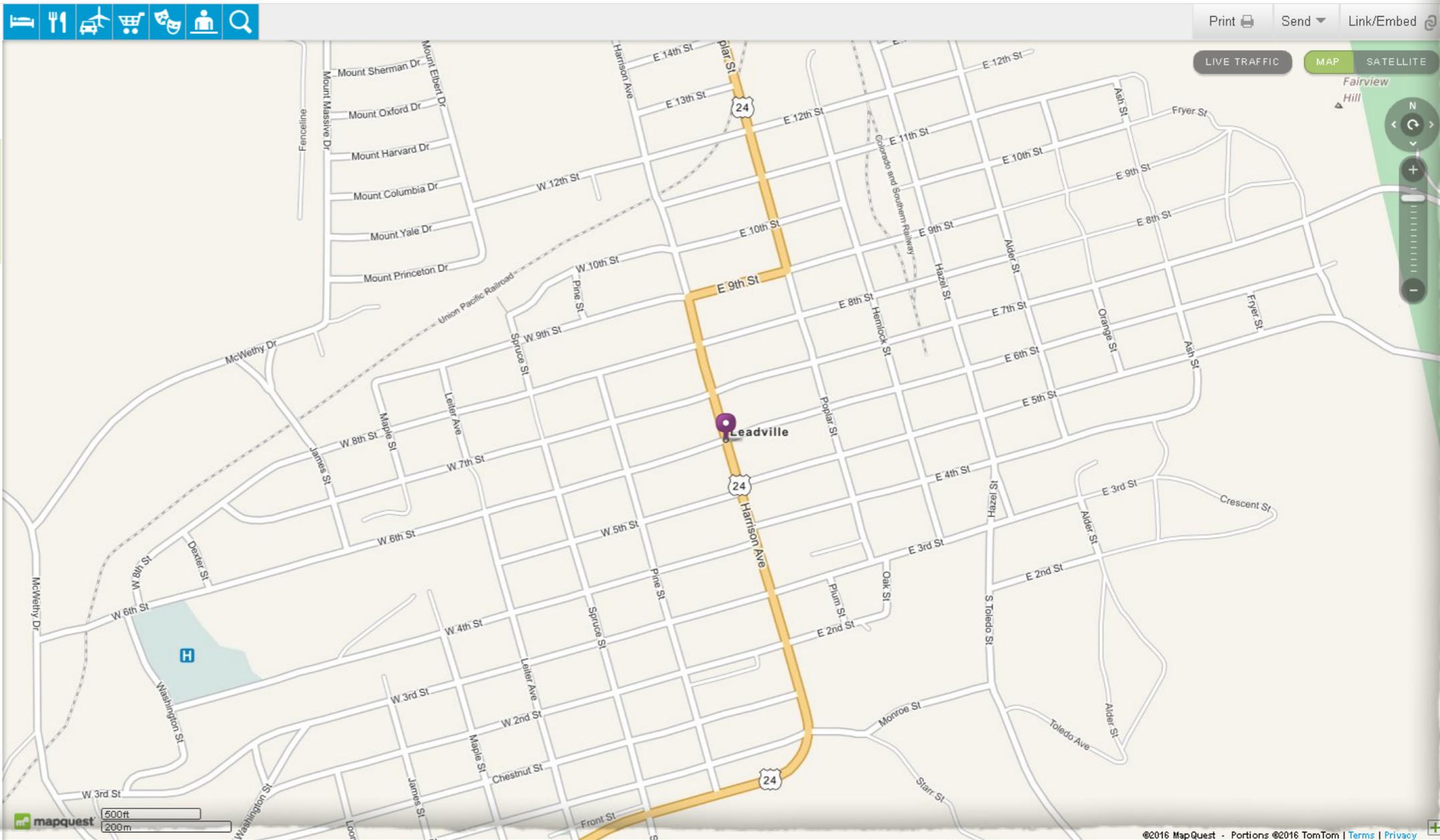
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Leadville, Colorado, U.S.A.

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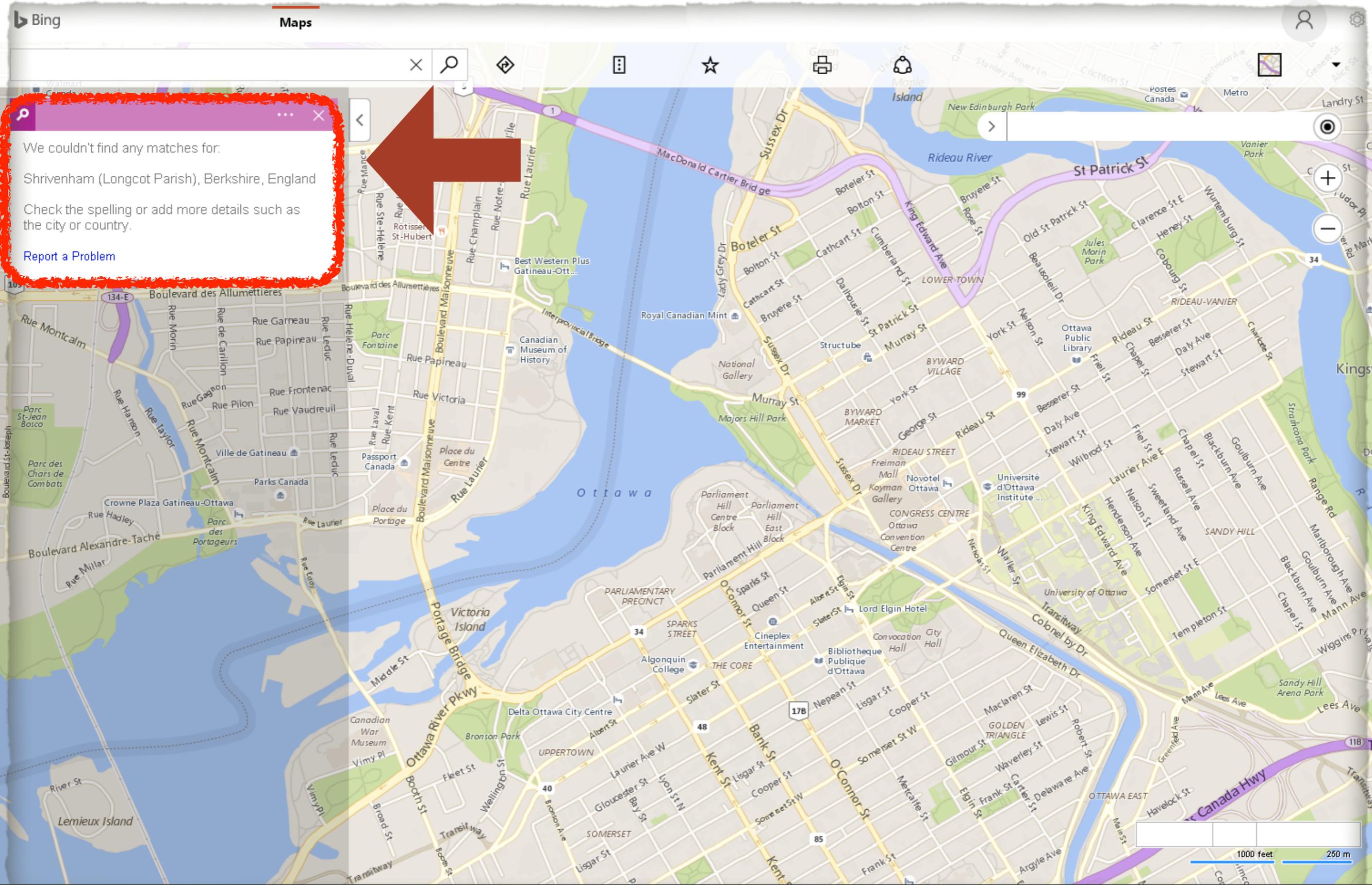
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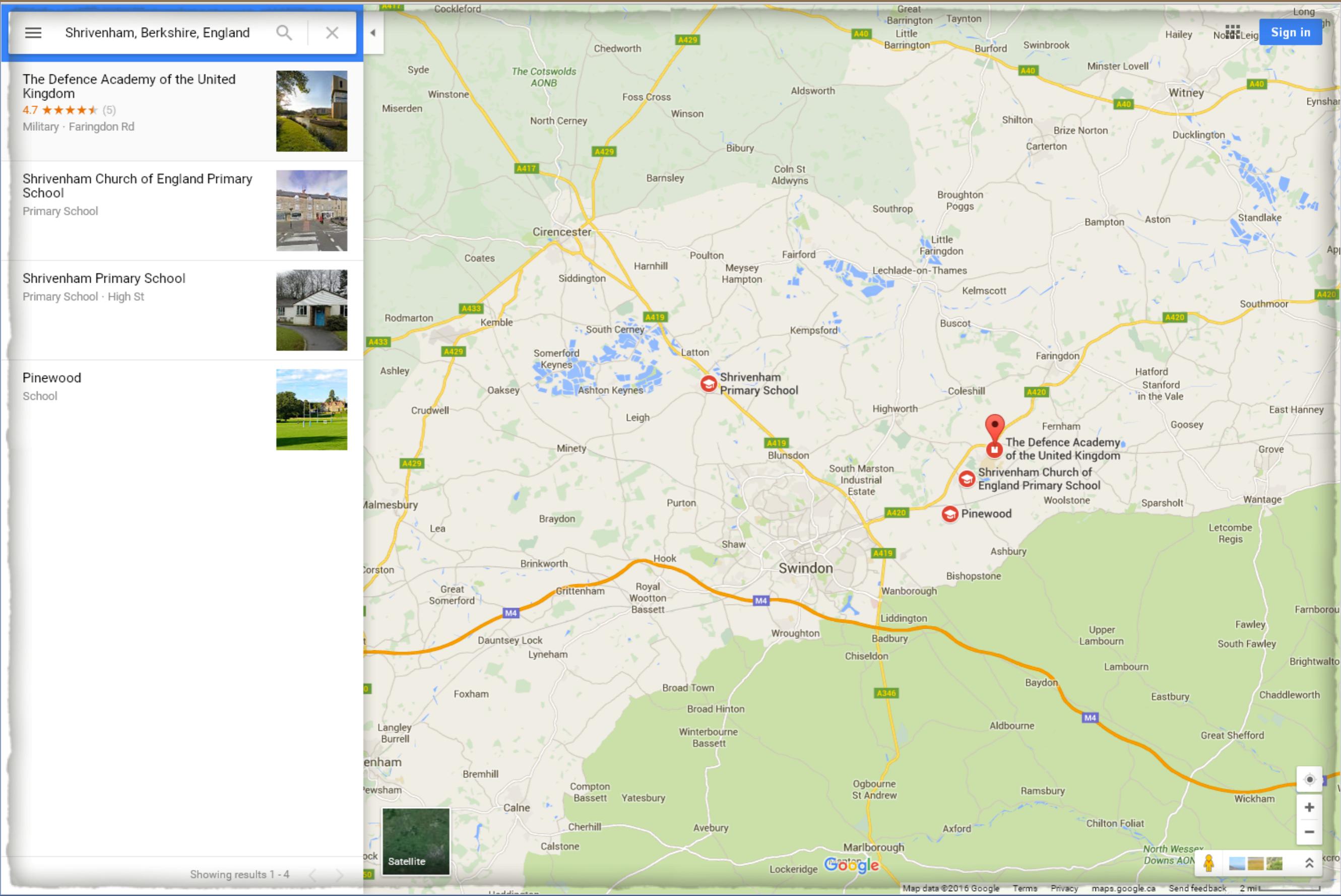
MapQuest map, Leadville, Lake County, Colorado, simply illustrating the city centre.

Shrivenham, Berkshire, England

(*Shrivenham, as of 1974, is now in Oxfordshire)



Bing often failed the testing process. It was also the slowest to display results.



Google displayed the map quickly, at the centre of Shrivenham, Berkshire, England.

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Shrivenham

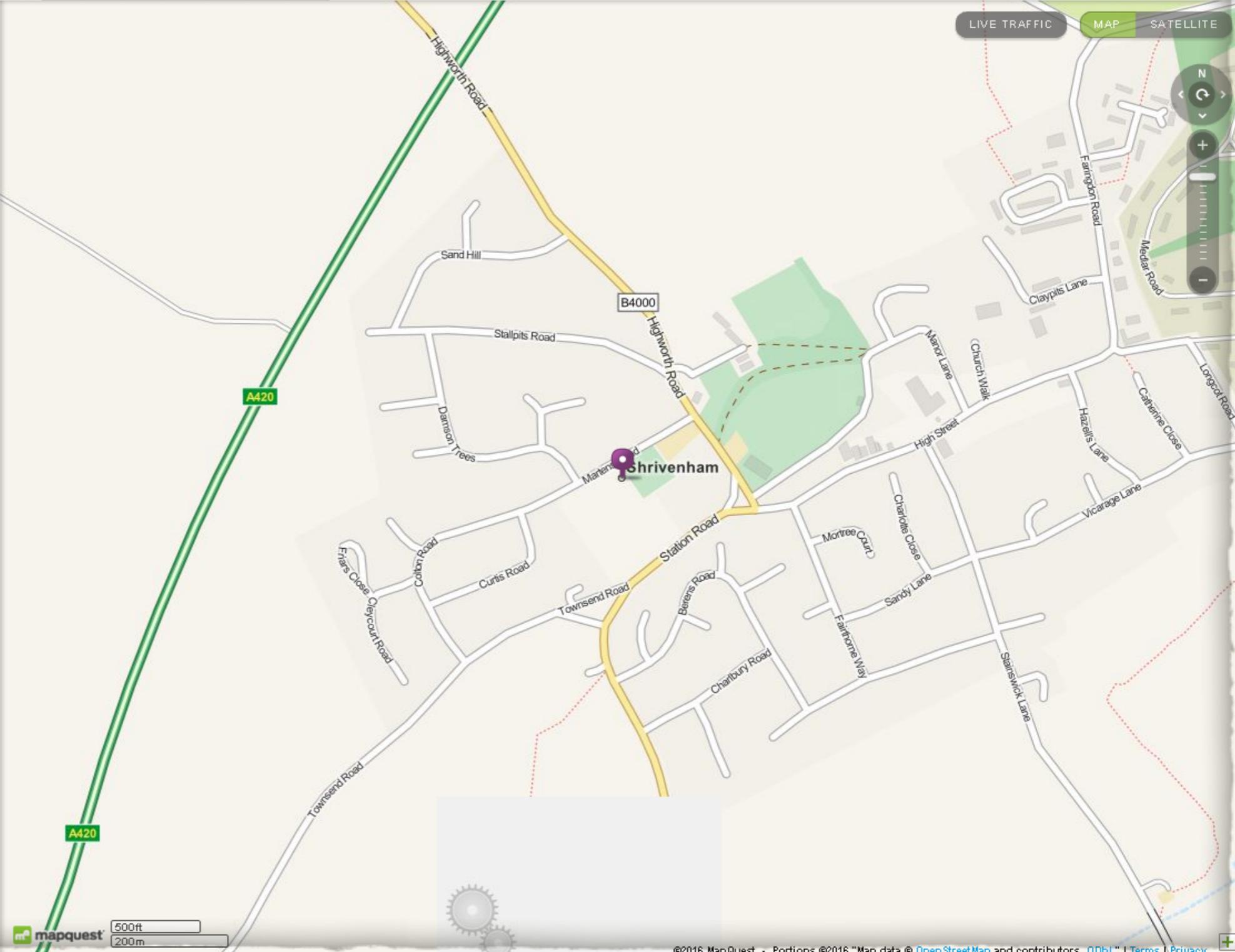
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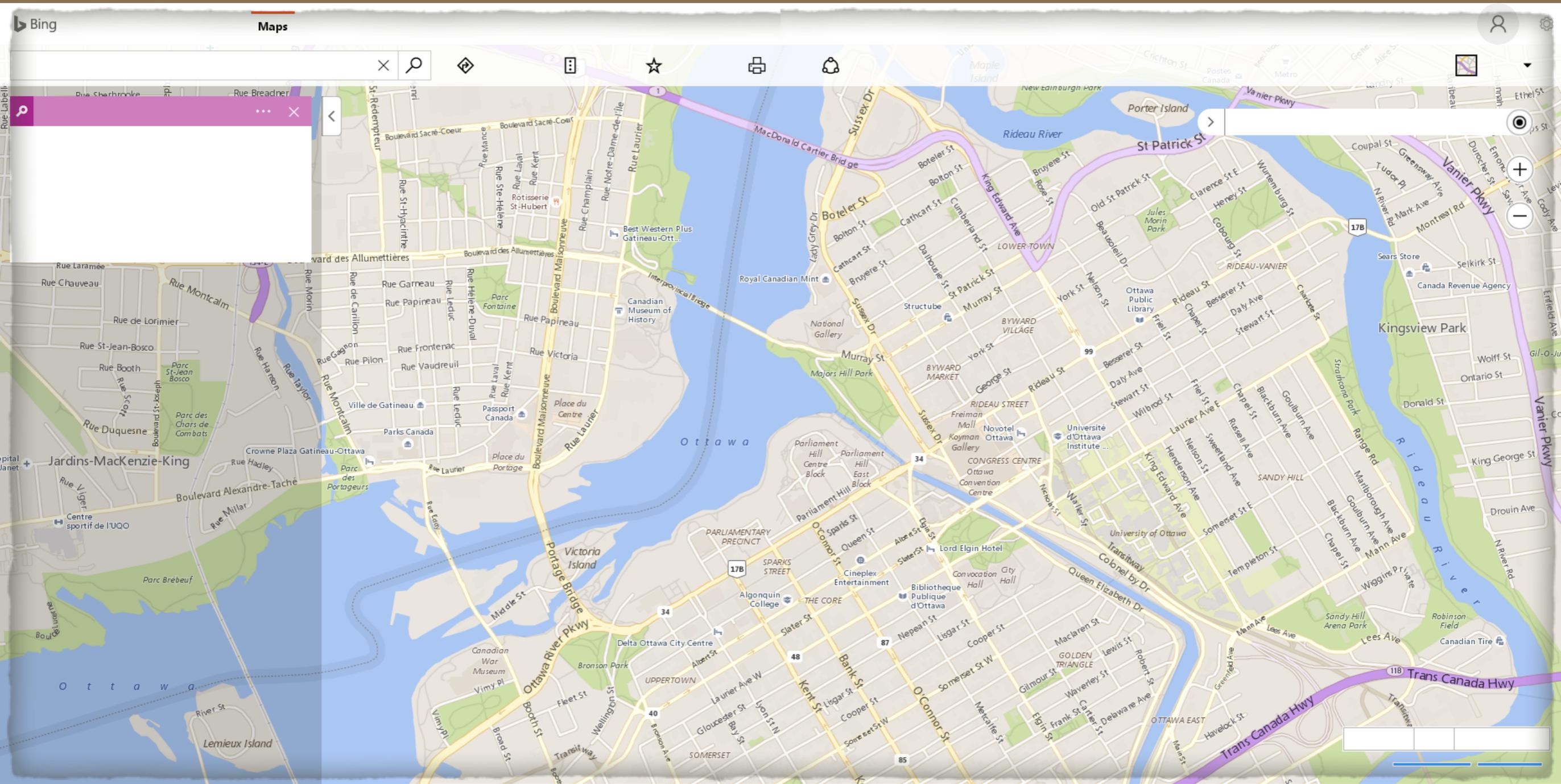
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MapQuest displayed its map, at the centre of Shrivenham, Berkshire, England.

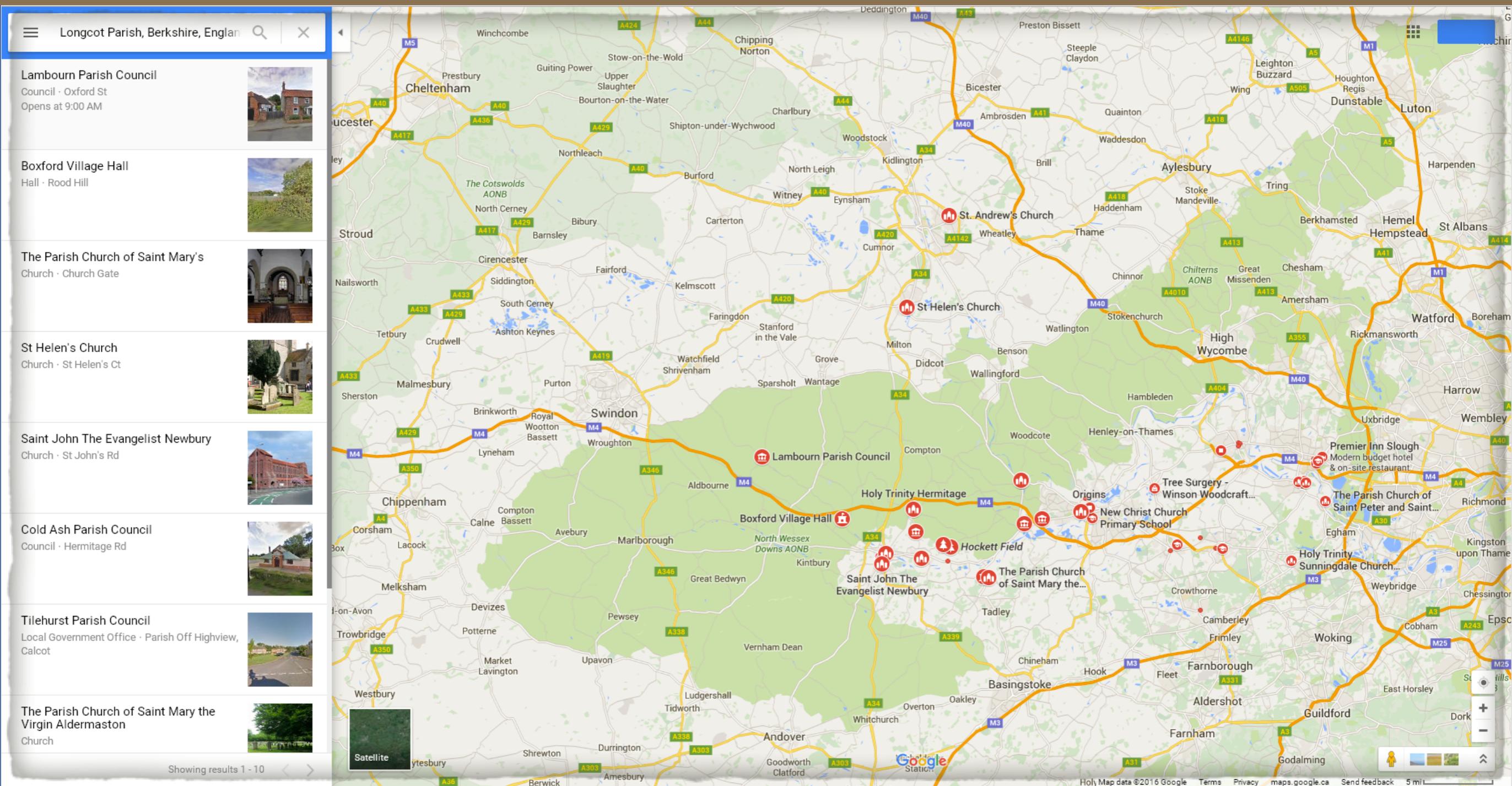
Map comparisons when only parish is given.

Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England

(*Longcot, as of 1974, is now in Oxfordshire)



Bing failed this test.



Google displayed the map quickly, at the centre of Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England.

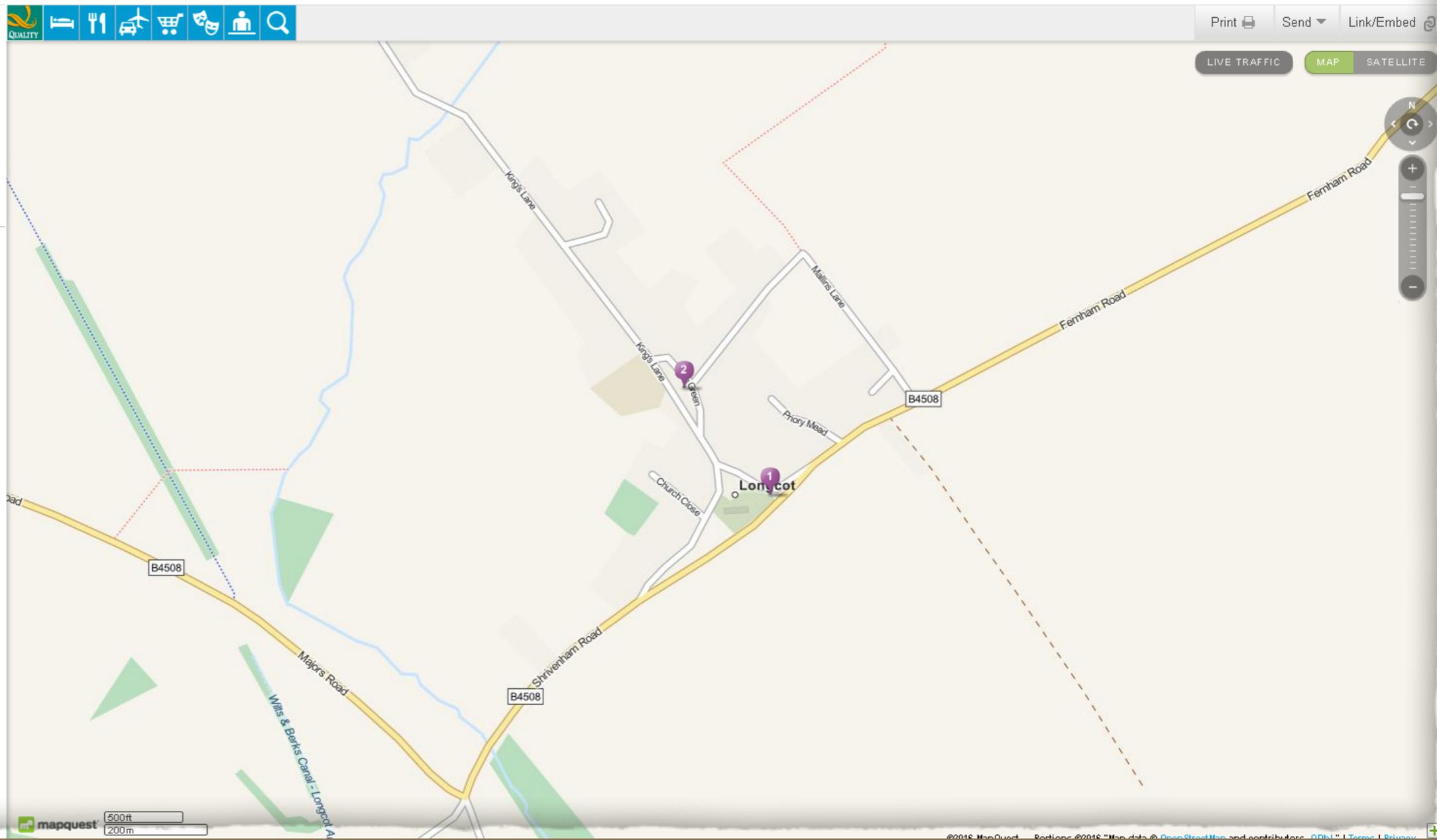
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Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England

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MapQuest map, at the centre of Longcot Parish, Berkshire, England.

Map comparisons when the church name
is the first in the place fields.

St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, England

Bing Maps interface showing a map of London, England, centered on the area around St. Martin-in-the-Fields. The map displays several locations marked with purple pins:

- The Connection AT St. MARTIN-IN-THE-Fields
- St. Martin In The Fields Church (indicated by a red arrow)
- Academy Of St. Martin In The Fields
- Academy Of Saint Martin In The Fields

The left sidebar displays search results for "St Martin The Fields":

- St Martin The Fields (5 stars)
- St Martin The Fields
- Saint Martin The Fie
- St Martin The Fields
- St MARTIN

The map includes various street names, landmarks like Regent's Park and Hyde Park, and the River Thames. A scale bar at the bottom right shows 1000 feet and 500 meters. The footer contains "© 2016 HERE" and "© 2016 Microsoft".

Bing succeeded in locating the Anglican church, St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, England.

St. Martin in the Fields, London, E



St Martin-in-the-Fields
4.4 ★★★★★ 79 reviews
Church

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Elegant church with a cafe in the vaulted crypt and regular concerts and lunchtime music recitals. - Google

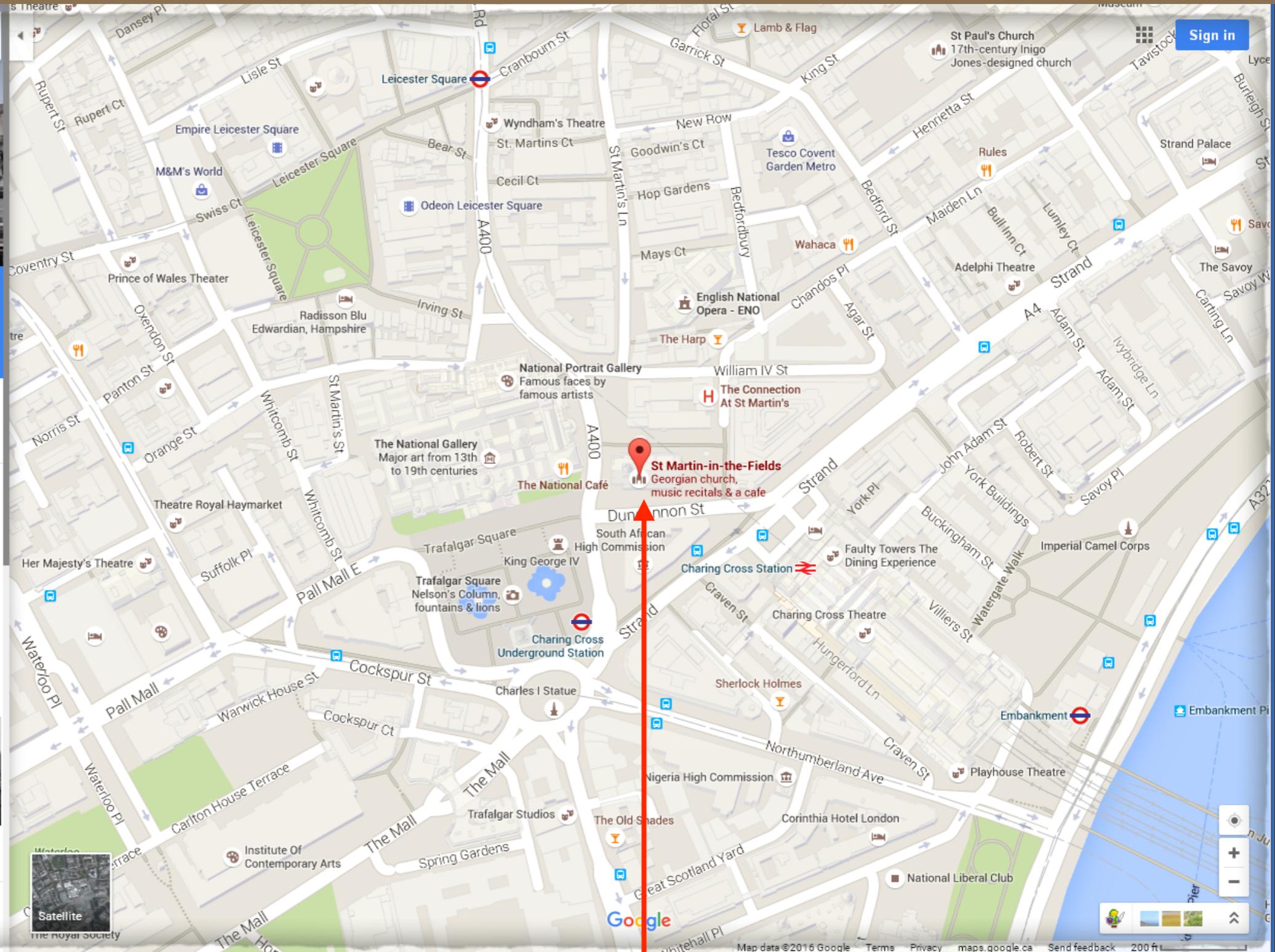
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Google succeeded in locating the Anglican church, St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, England.

Search
St. Martin in the Fields, London, England
+ We found similar places. See all 1 Matches.

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Search Results

New Fields LLC
131 Hanson Ln, Fairfield Bay, AR 72088
United States
(501) 884-6648

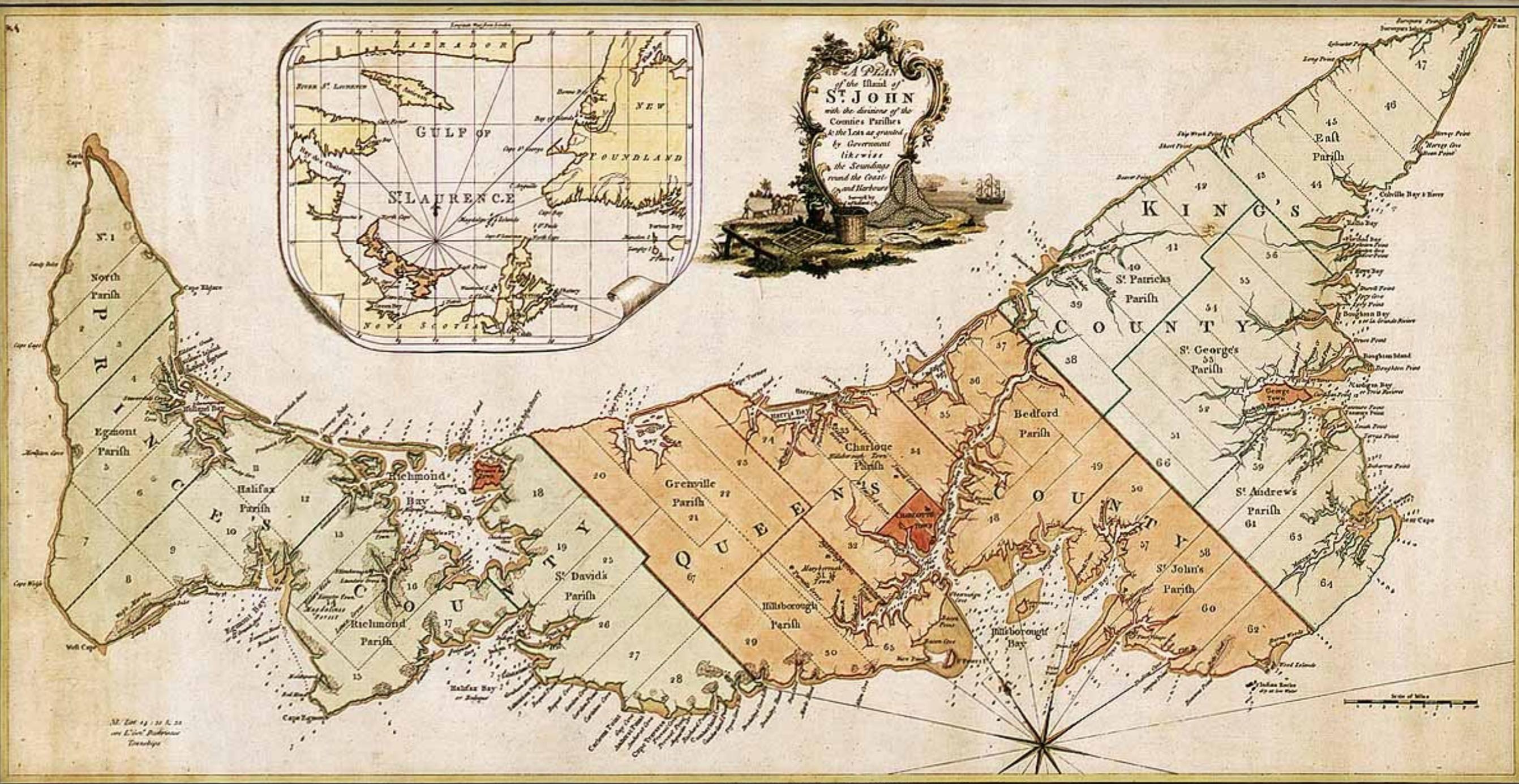
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Map interface showing a street map with a purple pin at Hanson Dr. Includes navigation tools like 'Print', 'Send', 'Link/Embed', 'LIVE TRAFFIC', 'MAP', 'SATELLITE', and a scale bar (500ft/100m).

MapQuest failed to locate the Anglican church, St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, England, instead pinning a spot northeast of Little Rock, Arkansas, U.S.A.

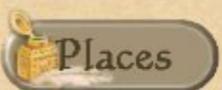
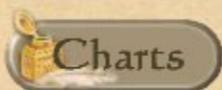
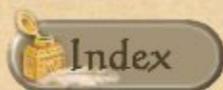
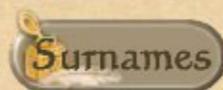
A case study when historic place names are used.



Map of the Island of St. John, 1775

1. Prior to 1603, known by the Mi'kmaq people as Epekwitk, changed to Abegweit.
2. 1603: Named Île St. Jean by Samuel de Champlain, or Isle St. Jean, until 1799, anglicized as Island of St. John.
3. Name changed by Great Britain to Prince Edward Island, honouring Prince Edward, fourth son of King George III.

Samuel Braddock



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Icon Description

Samuel Braddock¹

M, b. 27 December 1733, d. 21 April 1821



Father [Samuel Braddock¹](#) b. 25 Aug 1706, d. 20 May 1734

Mother [Sarah Whieldon¹](#) b. 20 Apr 1702

Relationship 5th great-grandfather of David Arthur Walker

Charts [Ancestors of David Arthur Walker](#)

[Descendants of John Braddock & Ellen Whywall](#)

[Descendants of Richard Whewall & Elena Cook](#)

[Descendants of William Whieldon & Elizabeth](#)

Last Edited 6 Oct 2009

Occupation* Samuel Braddock was a farmer and a tanner.¹

Baptism* He was baptized on 27 December 1733 in [Cheddleton, Staffordshire, England, 53.063931,-2.043220](#)  ^{2,1}

He was the son of [Samuel Braddock](#) and [Sarah Whieldon](#).¹

Marriage* Samuel Braddock married [Hannah Elizabeth](#).¹

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The place name Island of St. John has a link to a Google map.

Tag Entry

Tag type: Immigratr

Principal: 94897 Samuel BRADDOCK, (1733-1821)

Principal: 0

Date: circa ____ 1773

Sort date: circa ____ 1773

Place style: U.S. StandardPlace

Country: -Canada

State: Island of St. John (now Prince Edward Isla

Memo: he purchased a farm from Phillips Callbeck ca. 1784, located in East Royalty. It was named "Nann's Villa", likely after his first child Nancy Ann, who was born on the Island.

Sentence

1 citation: 2436 Descendants of John Bra

OK Cancel Help

Added a '-' exclusion to country Canada.

Island of St. John, Canada

St John's, NL
Canada

Clear with periodic clouds · 23°F
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Quick facts

St. John's, a city on Newfoundland island off Canada's Atlantic coast, is the capital of Newfoundland and Labrador province. Its harbour, settled by the British in the 1600s, is enclosed by rugged hills. Downtown is known for its colourful row houses. Above the city is Signal Hill, which features walking trails and Cabot Tower, site of the first transatlantic wireless communication in 1901.

Population: 100,645 (2006)
Mayor: Dennis O'Keefe
Province: Newfoundland and Labrador
Sources include: [UNdata](#)

Hotels

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Closer, but not good enough. The map points to St. John's, Newfoundland

It would appear that one must use an exclusion filter to avoid problems with some historic place names.

You can insert a special code in TMG, in any place field, or Comments field for that place.

The code to accomplish this is **[HID:][:NO-PLACE-MAP-LINK:][:HID]**

This can entered in individual tags, or any place using the Master Place List. You can also apply this code to all places that are problematic using TMG Utility.

Master Place List

Filter : 1: Walker imported on 02 Oct 2003 12:16:05

Addresssee	Detail	City	County	State	Country	Postal
		Mapleton	Monona County	Iowa		
		Rodway	Monroe County	Iowa		
		Red Oak	Montgomery County	Iowa		
	Little Brown Church		Nashua County	Iowa		
		Horton	Osceola County	Iowa		
		Des Moines	Polk County	Iowa		
		Council Bluffs	Pottowattomie County	Iowa		
		Mt. Ayr	Ringgold County	Iowa		
		Lytton	Sac County	Iowa		
		Ames	Storey County	Iowa		
		Clearfield	Tama County	Iowa		
			Taylor County	Iowa		
			Wards County	Iowa		
		Fort Dodge	Webster County	Iowa		
		Sioux City	Woodbury County	Iowa		
		Belmond	Wright County	Iowa		
		Bedeque	Prince County	Island of St. John		
		Charlotte Town	Queens County	Island of St. John		
				Island of St. John		
				Kansas		

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Type letters on the keyboard to find the first match on the highlighted column.

Close Help

Present day Charlottetown was known as Charlotte Town in early times.

Place exclusion code added in the Master Place List.

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M, b. 27 December 1733, d. 21 April 1821



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Having inserted the exclusion code, the Island of St. John no longer has a link.

A solution to such problems would be to enter the GPS coordinates for Prince Edward Island, with an exclusion mark, to avoid having the contents of this field appear in reports.

The LatLong field would look like -46.358335,-63.398237

- However, there is a better solution if you want to have the historic place name displayed at the location of its present place name
- Search for the historic place(s) in the TMG Master Place List

Select Edit

The screenshot shows a genealogy software interface. On the left, a 'Search' window is open with the search term 'island of st. john' entered. Below the search window is a list of search results, with '* Marriage' highlighted. The main window displays a record detail for a person, with columns for 'Detail', 'City', 'County', 'State', 'Country', 'Postal', and 'Phone'. The record details include: (year on grave stone), (date on grave stone), twin, Lot 104, CWC Cemetery, Methodist, F. Baptist, Johnstone parish of Rice Point, Prince Edward, Moved to Windsor, Nova Sco, 75-09-014237, Mottisfont Priory, Château de Vincennes, British Army, Canadian Army, Premier of Prince Edward Isl, poss. Wantage, F. Baptist (Free Baptist), and Sighthill Cemetery. The 'Edit' button is located in the top right corner of the main window. Red arrows point from the text 'Select Edit' to the search input field and the 'Edit' button.

1. The test case was to properly locate an historic place name in its present location. I entered the historic name of Prince Edward Island as Island of St. John.

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Having published the site with changes, there is now a map link for the Island of St. John.

Prince Edward Island, Canada



Prince Edward Island
Canada

Directions

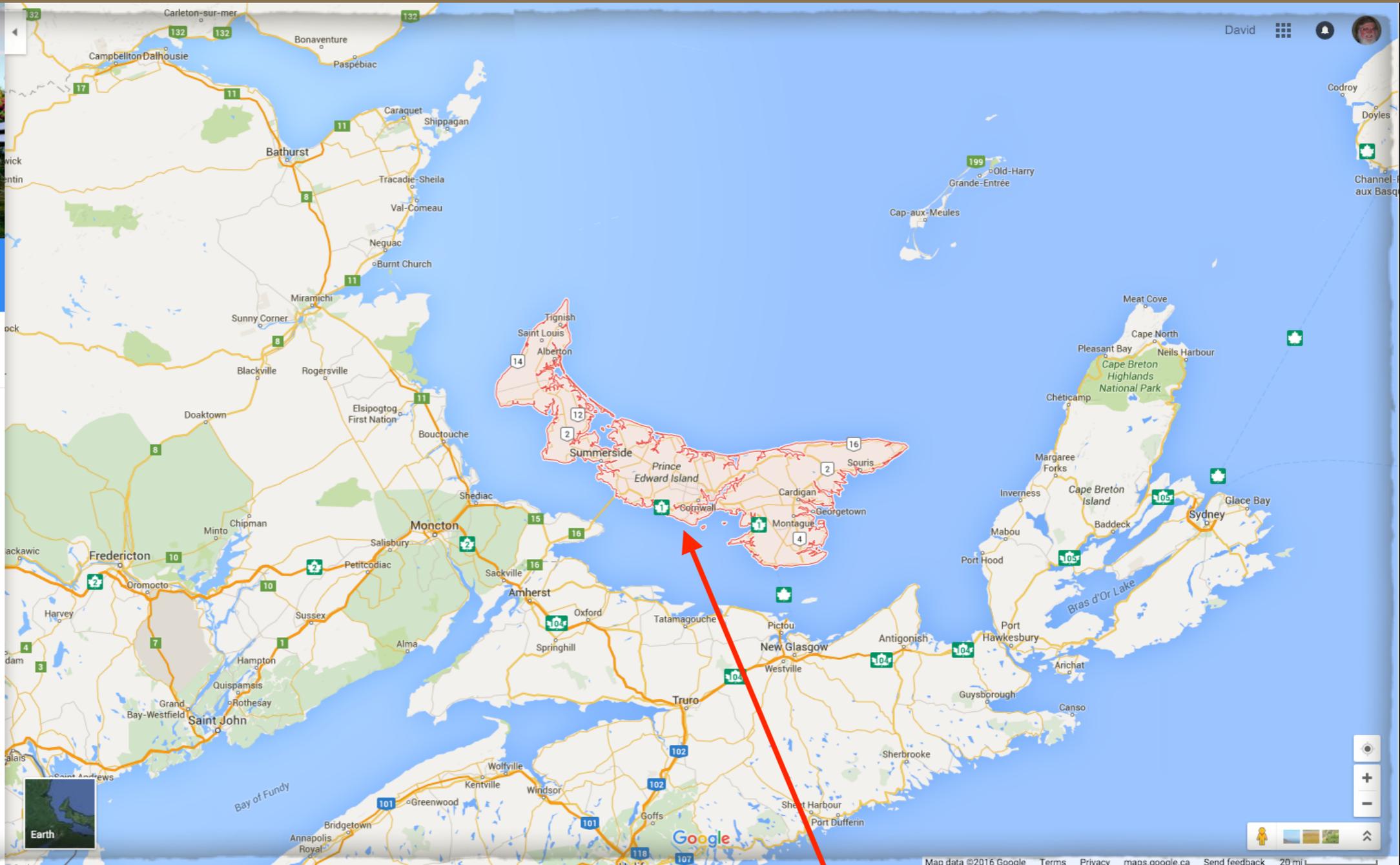
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Quick facts

Prince Edward Island is one of eastern Canada's maritime provinces, off New Brunswick and Nova Scotia in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. With red-sand beaches, lighthouses and an interior of fertile farmland, it's nicknamed "Garden of the Gulf." It's renowned for its seafood, notably lobster and mussels. Charlottetown, the relaxed capital, is home to 1847 Province House, birthplace of the nation of Canada.

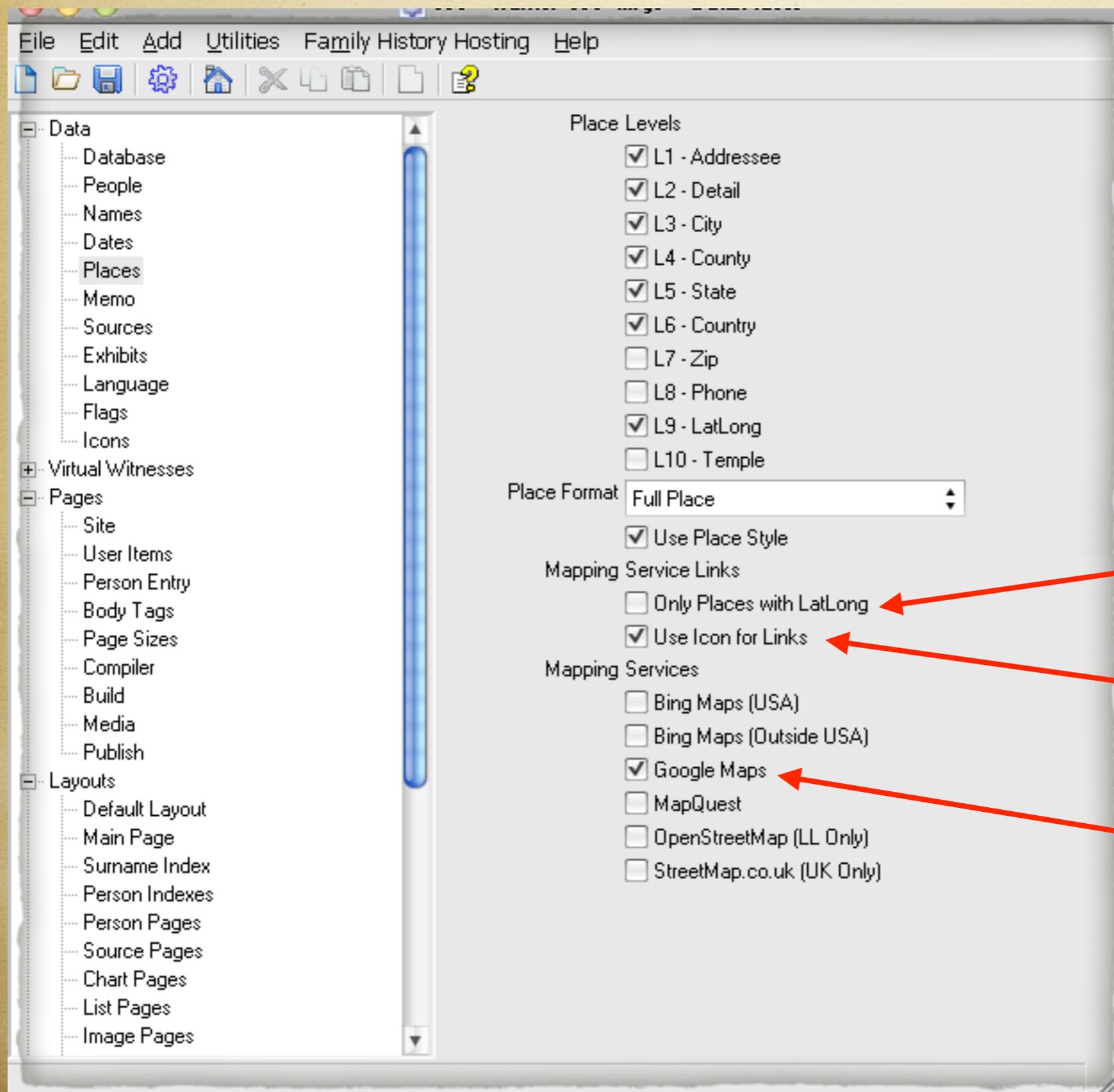
Capital: Charlottetown
Population: 146,283 (Jul 1, 2014)
Area: 2,185 mi²

The historic place name of the Island of St. John is now properly shown as present day Prince Edward Island.

My Second Site setup, open to change at any time.....

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Uncheck 'Only Places with LatLong'

Check 'Use Icon for Links'

Select 'Google Maps' as the preferred map service

Comments

If you feel that the foregoing is far too much work, by far the majority of place names will be properly located and displayed without doing anything other than selecting your map service(s) of choice.

Comments

- Having completed a cursory test of adding Map Links to my main project, I have the following comments regarding the usefulness of the many Map Services that John Cardinal has provided in Second Site v.6
- Bing is pitifully slow and unreliable
- Google is the overall winner
- MapQuest succeeded most of the time
- OpenStreetMap worked well, like Google, but often was left out of the available services
- StreetMap.co.uk (UK only) was never an optional link for UK locations

Suggested Reading:

Second Site Help file

Terry Reigel's web page, 'Adding Map Links to Your Person Pages' ~ <http://tmg.reigelridge.com/SecondSite-map-links.htm#including>

Thank you, John & Terry.