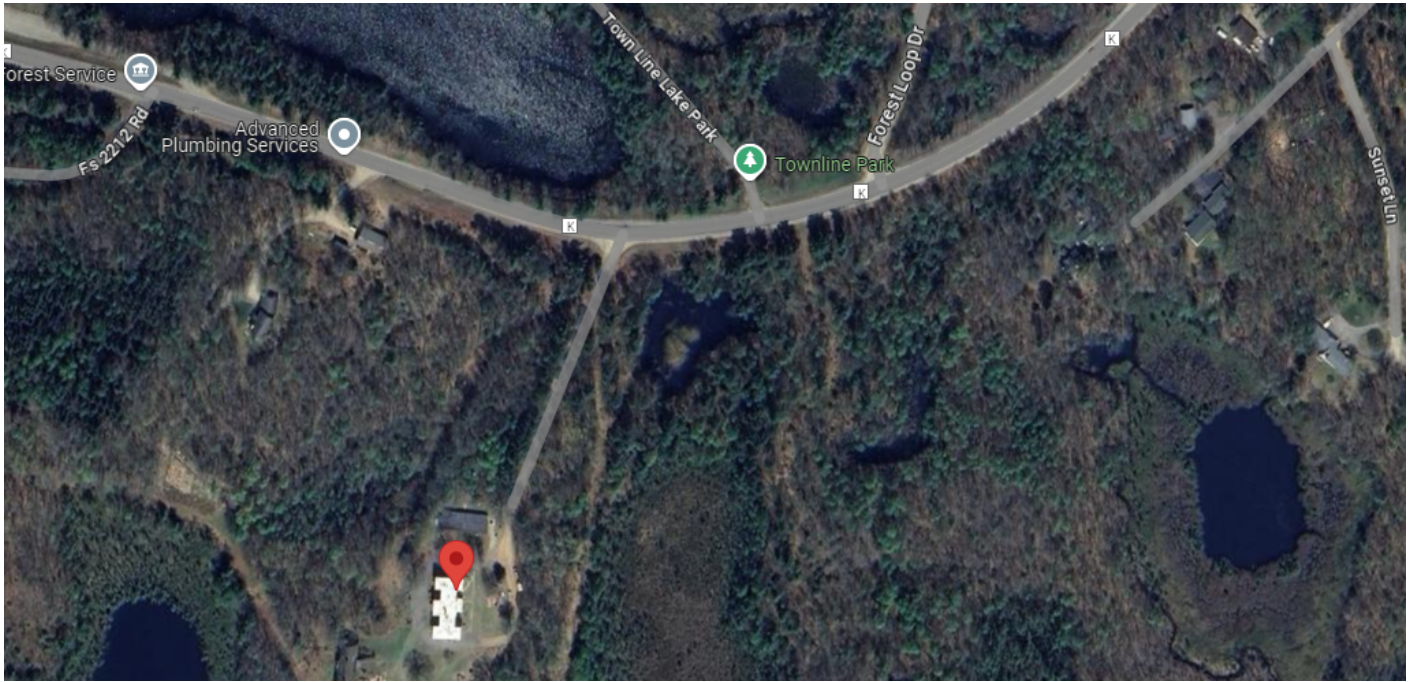


Colborne, Jean

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|  | <p>Missing Since: July 14, 1977</p> <p>Location Last Seen: Rhinelander, Oneida County</p> <p>Age: 56 years old</p> <p>Date of Birth: circa 1921</p> <p>Race: White</p> <p>Gender: Female</p> <p>Height: 5'1"</p> <p>Weight: 135 lbs</p> <p>Hair Color: Brown</p> <p>Eye Color: Blue</p> <p>Medical: Speech is slurred. Drags her right leg.</p> <p>Clothing: Navy blue top with red trim, red print slacks</p> <p>Parents: Montague & Helen Goetzman Colborne</p> |
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| <h3>Details of Disappearance</h3> <p>Colborne was last seen in Rhinelander, Wisconsin on July 14th, 1977. She is believed to have walked away from <u>County Farm Nursing Home</u> around 5:40 pm and has never been seen or heard from since. (note, that location is correct, the business moved but the building is still there at the old site.) Extensive ground and air searches were conducted in the wooded and water areas near the nursing home, but she was never located. Her whereabouts remain unknown. Some people said they saw her later in Woodruff or McNaughton region.</p> <h3>Actions</h3> <p>comparison:</p> <p>https://www.namus.gov/UnidentifiedPersons/Case#/12533/contacts to Oneida sheriff</p> <p>10/8/24 Updated sheriff on location & clothing on the day missing. 10/28/24 Sent comparison to Columbia County sheriff 10/30 recd confirmation testing this comparison</p> | <h3>More Information</h3> <p><u>NaMus</u></p> <p><u>Doe Network</u></p> <p><u>Websleuths</u></p> <p>Case Holder: Oneida County Sheriff's Dept (715) 361-5100</p> <p>Case #1977-1584</p> |
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Search Party Fails to Find Woman

A large search party and a helicopter combined for a ground and air search Sunday in the area west of Rhineland, seeking some trace of a 56-year-old woman who has been missing from the Country Farm nursing home since Thursday.

Sheriff Jack D. Phillips said the ground search involved members of Search and Rescue Explorer post, the Oneida County Emergency Corps and a number of volunteers. About 50 persons were involved.

Meanwhile, county officers checked out several reports that a woman answering the description of Jean Colborne, the missing person, had been seen in the Woodruff area and in the McNaughton region.

Mrs. Colborne has short brown hair, slurred speech and drags one leg when she walks. She was last seen wearing a navy blue top with red trim and red print slacks.

Officers said there is a possibility she was picked up by a passing motorist and given a ride to an unknown destination.

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