

From Sarah Brown McCulloch's *Guilford: A Walking Guide* (2012):

Hooker Bartlett, 199 Whitfield Street, Colonial, 1761, demolished 1990.

Here was a fine example of a typical medium-sized Colonial house—three bays wide, one room deep, and integral lean-to; the Greek Revival doorway was an addition. In 1981, sadly, it burned and now sits neglected behind tall bushes, exposed to the elements which are taking their toll. Hooker Bartlett was born in Guilford, married Ruth Parmelee in 1749, had eight children, and died in 1767. For many years it was the home of the Phinney sisters, Miss Mary and Miss Dorothy, who died in 1968 and 1974 respectively, leaving it to a niece who allowed it to disintegrate. Two handsome modern homes now occupy the site.