

LOOK UP

We have a new exhibit!!

There are 38 state of Maine vehicle license plates on the beam above. The earliest one is 1917, through 1949. In 1948 the plate was made of brass and then painted. Early plates were made of iron and covered with porcelain.

Maine first required vehicles to have a license plate in 1905. In 1936 "Vacation Land" was added to the plates. It has stayed on the license plates ever since.

New York was the first state to require vehicles to have a license plate in April 25, 1901.

The garage was isolated and boarded last fall so we could display our many vintage and antique items better on the walls. Larger items in the middle.

It is a work in progress now.