

Gooch Mill Baptist Church Cemetery Or Big Lick Cemetery

Civil Township:

Saline

Quadrant Map:

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General Location:

Gooch Mill

Congressional Township:

Township 48-N; Range 15-W

Section:

Northeast quarter of southwest quarter of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 20

Longitude & Latitude:

38 54 00 : 92 34 40

Directions:

Adjoins the grounds of "Big Lick" or "Gooch's Mill Baptist Church".

Atlas Survey:

To Be Determined

History:

This list was prepared by Mr. Lloyd L. Rugen on Oct 16, 1968. There are 105 graves listed with names and dates; twenty three graves listed with only 1917; twenty more marked graves (without dates); and a number of unmarked graves. This cemetery was also canvassed by Katherine Larson and Fannie Edgell on 05 Jun 1961 for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Any differences between LDS list and the Rugen list are highlighted in [blue](#). Additions from the Cooper County Record of Deaths are given in [red](#).

William D. Gooch left Albemarle County, Virginia for Ohio in 1824. He and his family left Ohio for Missouri in 1830. They settled in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri where he erected a mill on the Petite Saline Creek. The mill bore his name and was the nucleus around which the town of Gooch's Mill developed. The mill derived its motive power from the water course.

Lewis Eager, a native of Louisa County, Virginia, came to Cooper County in the pioneer days. He was a mill wright and after the death of Mr. Gooch, Lewis became the proprietor of the mill and converted it to steam power. He operated it for some years.

This land is recorded in the Cooper County, Missouri Records Book G, Page 125.

Updated:

December 6, 2020 with 126 entries for this cemetery.

Bailey	Kendred; born 1810; died 29 Oct 1878 ; aged 68 years, 5 months, 18 days ; husband of Mary Bailey
Bailey	Mary; born 1809; died 07 Jun 1870 ; aged 60 years, 5 months, 4 days ; wife of Kendred Baily
Bradley	Robert J.; born 1830; died 24 Dec 1854 ; aged 24 years
Bradshaw	John Elmer; born 1880; died 1886
Bradshaw	Mary Addaline née Stone ; born 05 Nov 1855 in Boone County, Missouri ; died 04 May 1931 in Wooldridge, Missouri ; buried 06 May 1931; daughter of John (born Pennsylvania) and Martha née Davenport Stone (born Boone County, Missouri); widow; housewife; informant Mrs. George

	Vaughan, Wooldridge, Missouri; white
Brockman	Blanche née Morrow; born 26 Dec 1898 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 13 May 1974; aged 75 years; daughter of James and Cora née Manson Morrow; wife of John Brockman
Caldwell	Julia; born 1838; died 1861
Calvert	Missouri Powell née Allen; born 27 Jun 1855 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 01 Feb 1926 Boonville, Missouri; buried 03 Feb 1926; daughter of Franklin Allen; widow; housewife; white; informant Mrs. Clayton, Boonville, Missouri
Calvert	Thomas "Tom"; born 29 Nov 1843 in Cooper County, Missouri; born 21 Jul 1918 in Wooldridge, Cooper County, MO; son of John Calvert; is actually buried in Clayton Cemetery.
Campbell	Samuel H.; born 21 Apr 1830; died 13 Mar 1917
Case	A. J.; born in Kane County, Illinois; died in Iowa; husband of Julia A. née Morris Case; Veteran Company F, 44 th Iowa Infantry
Case	Andrew B.; born 10 Jan 1876 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 02 Apr 1925 in Gooch Mill, Missouri; buried 03 Apr 1925; son of Oscar F. (born Iowa) and Nancy née Durnil Case (born Cooper County, Missouri); single; informant A. D. Manson, Overton, Missouri
Case	Infant; born 17 Apr 1920 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; died 17 Apr 1920 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 17 Apr 1920; premature birth; informant Eula Case, Overton, Missouri
Case	Nancy Rebecca née Durnil; born 21 Feb 1847 or 21 Feb 1848 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 21 Nov 1918 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 23 Nov 1918; daughter of John (born Kentucky) and Mary née Miller Durnil (born Cooper County, Missouri; married; housewife; informant C. E. Case, Overton, Missouri; wife of Oscar F. Case
Case	Oscar F.; born 02 Feb 1849 in Cario, Illinois; died 10 Feb 1922 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 12 Feb 1922; son of Arad J. (born New York) and Julia Ann née Morris Case (born Illinois); widow; blacksmith; informant Julia Case Shafer, Cedar Rapids, Iowa born 1849; died 1922; Veteran: Civil War 44 th Iowa Infantry, Iowa Co. E; husband of Nancy R. née Durnil Case
Chappell	Anderson C.; born 1848; died 01 Feb 1897; Veteran: Civil War; Union Army; husband of Sarah née Moreland Chappell; aged 40 years
Chappell	Joseph; born 30 Oct 1849 or 29 Nov 1849 in Indiana; died 22 Jan 1927 in Prairie Home Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 23 Jan 1927; aged 77 years, 2 months, 21 days; came to Missouri with his parents many years ago. He was the last of a family of five sons. Note above information from an obituary found on the back of a clipping from the Boonville Advertiser of Jan 1927; son of Auderom and Mary née Anderson Chappel (born Ireland); single; Hite Waiter; informant Gilbert Chappel, Prairie Home, Missouri
Chappell	Mary; born 07 Sep 1809; died 06 Sep 1894
Chappell	Sarah A. née Moreland; born 07 Mar 1840; died 23 Sep 1918; wife of Anderson C. Chappell
Clayton	Alice C.; born 27 Sep 1868; died 29 Oct 1948; "Mother"; wife of James A. Clayton
Clayton	Charles T.; born 11 Aug 1850; died 09 Jul 1856
Clayton	Elizabeth née Lamm; born 1826; died 19 Jan 1880; daughter of William and Caroline Lamm; wife of John My. Clayton; aged 85 years, 11 months, 19 days
Clayton	James A.; born 22 Jan 1854 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 11 Apr 1927 in Wooldridge, Missouri; buried 12 Apr 1927; son of John M. (born North Carolina) and Elizabeth née Lamm Clayton (born Missouri); husband of Laberta née Givens Clayton, first wife, married 1882; husband of Mrs. Alice née Shepherd (Pate) Clayton, second wife, married 1910; retired farmer; informant Mrs. James Clayton, Wooldridge, Missouri
Clayton	John M., Sr.; born in Maryland; son of John Clayton; husband of Elizabeth née Lamm Clayton
Driskill	George L.; born 1863; died 1866
Driskill	Moses; born 26 Oct 1826; died 30 Oct 1876; husband of Sophia Driskill
Driskill	Sophia; born 1824; died 27 Jun 1869; married 05 Oct 1845; wife of Moses Driskill
Eager	Cynthia A. née Gooch; born 08 Feb 1814 in Albemarle County, Virginia; died 30 Apr 1859;

	daughter of William D. and Matilda née Childs Gooch; wife of Lewis Eager; married 08 Jan 1839 in Cooper County, Missouri.
Eager	E. Pearla; born 1886; died 01 Sep 1888; E. Perlla; aged 1 year, 9 months; daughter of C. L. and R. J. Eager
Eager	Edgar E.; born 1870; died 04 Oct 1871; aged 1 year, 4 months, 4 days; son of T. H. and M. Eager
Eager	Ellis R.; born 02 Jul 1879; died 01 Sep 1901
Eager	Infant; died 05 Feb 1880; child of T. H. and M. Eager
Eager	Infant; died and died 31 Dec 1876; child of C. L. and R. J. Eager
Eager	Kelly; born 1877; died 04 Jul 1879; aged 1 year, 6 months, 29 days; son of T. H. and M. Eager
Eager	Lewis; born 01 May 1809 in Louisa County, Virginia; died 29 Mar 1878; husband of Cynthia A. née Gooch Eager; aged 68 years, 11 months, 28 days
Eager	Mattie née Ogden; born 02 Apr 1848; died 13 Feb 1880; wife of Trye (Tyre ?) Harrison Eager; aged 31 years, 10 months, 11 days
Eager	Rebecca Jane née Shepherd; born 09 Sep in Andrew County, Missouri; died 41 Mar 1944 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Levi and Joanna née Campbell Shepherd; wife of Charles Lewis Eager; second wife; married in 1876; burial place of Charles Lewis Eager; death certificate states that she was buried in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Boonville, Cooper County, Missouri.
Elbert	Ida May; born 11 Feb 1913 in Missouri; died 28 Feb 1914 in Prairie Home Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 29 Feb 1914; daughter of John (born Cooper County, Missouri) and Fannie Bell Lucas Elbert (born Cooper County, Missouri); black; informant John Elbert, Prairie Home, Missouri
Ernst	George R.; born 02 Jan 1901; died 03 Jul 1901; George C.; son of G. W. and M. E. Ernst
Givens	Cynthia; no dates; first wife of James Clayton
Givens	James; no dates; husband of Cynthia Givens; father of Laberta née Givens Clayton, first wife of James Clayton
Gooch	Matilda née Childs; born 02 Sep 1793 born in Louisa County, Virginia; died 27 Feb 1857; wife of William D. Gooch
Gooch	William D.; born 16 Apr 1782 in Albermarle County, Virginia; died 09 Sep 1856; husband of Matilda née Childs Gooch; married 24 Mar 1813; aged 74 years, 4 months, 25 days
Hagan	J. W. (Doctor); born 15 Sep 1853; died 02 Feb 1896; husband of Annie S. Hagen
Hagen	Annie S.; born 01 Apr 1862; died 22 May 1941; wife of J. W. Hagen
Hagen	Infant daughter; born and died 30 Jan 1891
Hall	Mary A.; born 1831; died 05 Dec 1872; aged 41 years, 7 months; wife of Hames H. Hall
Hall	Mattie Bell; born 1876; died 18 Jul 1877; aged 1 year, 6 months; daughter of J. J. and M. J. Hall; Hattie Bell Hall
Hammonds	Charles E.; born 1858; died 31 Mar 1877; aged 19 years, 3 months, 8 days
Hampton	Elizabeth; born 02 Aug 1844; died 28 May 1877; wife of Columbus Hampton
Harding	Haney A.; died 21 ? 1886; aged 11 years, 3 months
Herzberg	George; born in Missouri; died 16 Dec 1889 at Gooch's Mill, Missouri; aged 3 years; buried 17 Dec 1889; CC Record of Deaths
Jones	Hayden; born 1789; died 30 Apr 1854; aged 65 years
Kirkman	Emma F.; born 1848; died 1882; died 92 Sep 1887; aged 34 years, 4 months, 26 days; wife of J. B. Kirkman
Lamm	Polly; born 12 Jun 1795; died 24 Feb 1854; wife of William Lamm
Lamm	William; born 1794; died 03 Nov 1878; aged 84 years; husband of Polly Lamm
Lawson	Louisa W.; born 1834; died 1853
Lewis	Nannie; born 1847; died 05 Sep 1852; Nannie Q.; aged 5 years, 8 months, 15 days; daughter of Charles Q. and Virginia W. Lewis
Ludwig	Bernhard F.; born 1815; died 1868

Manson	Anna E. née Kelly; wife of Asa D. Manson; born 03 Sep 1854 in New York; died 08 Dec 1925 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Pat Kelley
Manson	Asa D.; born 1853; died 1928; husband of Anna née Kelly
Manson	John; born in New Hampshire; died 12 Apr 1885 at Gooch's Mill, Missouri; aged 75 years, 2 months, 18 days; buried 13 Apr 1885; married; CC Record of Deaths
McClain	Elenner; born 1800; died 20 Mar 1878; aged 77 years, 9 months, 18 days; Elenor; wife of James McClain
McClain	James; born 02 Aug 1795; died 1873; died 14 Aug 1872; husband of Elenne(o)r McClain
McClain	Rebecca; born 12 May 1826; died 03 Nov 1898
McClanahan	Charles; born 13 Jan 1873; died 30 Mar 1896 "Member Woodman Lodge"; husband of Myrtle J. McClanahan
McClanahan	Lacy; no dates; information from a member of the family
McClanahan	Myrtle J.; born 04 Apr 1874; died 19 Jan 1914; wife of Charles McClanahan
McDaniel	Joshua; died 1851; killed by a falling tree; husband of Kate née Morgan McDaniel, first wife; husband of Rebecca née Yates (Shepherd) McDaniel, second wife, wife of Elijah Shepherd; possibly buried here.
Morton	Rachel; born 1799; died 1868
Ogden	John; born 26 Dec 1773; died 10 Feb 1850
Ogden	Rachel; born 10 Mar 1776
Powell	Elizabeth; born 1846; died 10 Apr 1877; aged 21 years; wife of Irvin Powell
Powell	George W.; born 1842; died 12 May 1882; aged 39 years, 10 months, 12 days
Powell	Irvin; born 1841; died 14 Dec 1884; husband of Betty Powell; aged 45 years, 7 months, 14 days
Powell	John; born 08 Jan 1801; died 10 Sep 1854
Powell	Lucy E.; born 1831; died 31 May 1873; aged 42 years, 5 months, 28 days; wife of James Powell
Powell	Nannie J.; born 1856; died 24 May 1892; aged 36 years, 5 months, 23 days
Powell	Perry; born 1879; died 06 Dec 1882; aged 3 years, 8 months, 10 days; son of W. and M. Powell
Powell	Rachell.; born 1835; died 13 Dec 1871; aged 36 years, 9 months, 19 days; wife of Leroy Powell
Powell	Talitha; born 1807; died 24 Nov 1876; aged 69 years, 4 months, 12 days; wife of John Powell
Powell	William Iry; born 17 Aug 1873; died 02 Sep 1895
Powell	William; born 1839; died 24 Nov 1879; aged 40 years, 8 months, 8 days
Powell	Willie J.; born 1865; died 27 Feb 1867; aged 2 years, 5 months; son of I and R. Powell
Rector	Alice Cordelia née Shepherd (Pate) (Clayton); born 27 Sep 1869 or 1868 near Wooldridge, Missouri; died 29 Oct 1948 near Wooldridge, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Levi and Johanna née Campbell Shepherd; wife of Unknown Pate, first husband; wife of James A. Clayton, second husband, married 1910, deceased 1927; wife of Unknown Rector, third husband
Renfrow	Cora née Manson; born 1879 or 31 Oct 1878; died Jan 1967 in Boonville, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Asa D. and Anna née Kelly Manson; wife of William C. Renfrow
Renfrow	Ellenza L.; born 11 Jun 1833 in Tennessee; died 11 May 1874; wife of Mark Renfrow
Renfrow	William C.; born 1866 or 18 Oct 1868 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 02 Aug 1943 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri; son of William and Malvina née Freeman Renfrow; husband of Cora née Manson Renfrow.
Shepherd	Joanna née Campbell; born 11 Feb 1833 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 1916 in Wooldridge, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Bradley and Meeka or Meca née Hall Campbell; wife of Levi Shepherd; other sources have her buried in Big Lick Cemetery.
Shepherd	Levi; born 20 Aug 1831; died 15 May 1914; son of Elija and Rebecca née Yates Shepherd of Virginia; husband of Joanna née Campbell Shepherd; Veteran: Civil War, Confederate Army; born at Trading Post at Independence, Missouri
Shepherd	William L.; born 1863; died 22 Oct 1888; aged 25 years, 4 months, 16 days
Shipley	Mary Ellen; born 05 Jul 1855; died 15 Sep 1855
Simms	Henry Clay; born 09 Oct 1844; died 19 Feb 1897; husband of Mary Louisa Virginia née Eager

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Simms	Infant Twins; born and died 24 Mar 1882 ; son and daughter of Henry Clay and Mary Louisa Virginia née Eager Simms
Simms	Mary Louisa Virginia née Eager; wife of Henry Clay Simms; born 13 Sep 1844; died 08 Mar 1899; daughter of Lewis and Cynthia A. née Gooch Eager; born 15 Sep 1844
Slagle	Sylvia Lettie; born 1893; died 14 Jan 1896 ; aged 2 years, 9 months, 14 days; daughter of Lee and Bertha Slagle
Smith	Charles Edgar; born 12 Feb 1872 ; died 01 Apr 1955
Smith	E. W., Jr.; born 26 Aug 1897 ; died 05 Dec 1900
Smith	Elizabeth; born 23 Jul 1828 ; died 09 Feb 1902
Smith	Frank J.; born 1887; died 20 Apr 1889 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 21 Apr 1889; son of H. and L. Smith Smith, Frank J. Page Number: 77; Item Number: 1; Date of Report: 17 May 1889; Sex: Male; Race: White; Age: 2 Years; Occupation: Farmer's Son; Date of Death: 20 Apr 1889; Martial Status: Single; Nationality: American; Where Born: Cooper County, Missouri; Residency: 2 Years; Place of Death: Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; Cause of Death: Pneumonia; Complication: Pneumonia; Length of Complication: n/a; Duration of Disease: 4 Days; Place of Burial: Copsps Grave Yard; Note: Same as Kopp Chapel Cemetery; Date of Burial: 21 Apr 1889; Undertaker: Simms, H. Clay; Business: Gooch's Mill, Missouri; Physician: Hagan, J. W.; Gooch's Mill, Missouri Upon examination of the record; the place of burial is Gooch Mill not Copsps Grave Yard.
Smith	Granville B.; born 1828; died 25 Jan 1910 ; born 16 Jun 1827
Smith	Jasper; born 19 Aug 1860 ; died 06 Jan 1900
Smith	Lewis C.; born 05 Jan 1900 ; died 19 Aug 1901
Smith	Mary Lou; born 1864; died 1949
Smith	Willie J.; born 23 Mar 1868 ; died 24 Apr 1897
Snodgrass	Robert E.; born 09 Mar 1863 ; died 04 Apr 1874 ; son of W. H. and C. C. Snodgrass
Snodgrass	William A.; born 29 Nov 1872 ; died 24 Apr 1875
Taylor	Charles T.; born 1850; died 1856
Taylor	Nancy M.; born 17 Nov 1790 ; died 30 Apr 1854
Unknown	Graves with cement makers and only "1917"; graves marked
Whittaker	Anna Lee; born 27 Nov 1874 ; died 2? Jan 1900 ; wife of George Whittaker
Whittaker	Catherine; born 04 Mar 1846 ; died 02 Jul 1894 ; wife of J. W. Whittaker
Whittaker	Ella; born 1858; died 1906
Whittaker	Ida; born 03 Jun 1873 ; died 15 Aug 1875
Whittaker	Infant; died 1898; daughter of George and Anna Lee Whittaker
Whittaker	Infant; died 1900; son of George and Anna Lee Whittaker
Williamson	B. C.; born 04 Apr 1859 ; died 14 May 1883
Williamson	Chaney née Campbell; born 24 Nov 1832 in Missouri; died 03 Mar 1918 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; daughter of Bradley and Meeky or Meca née Hall Campbell.
Williamson	Elbert K.; born 1821; died 02 Nov 1873; aged 52 years
Williamson	Eva Lee; born 1873; died 11 Nov 1878 ; aged 5 years, 7 months, 19 days; daughter of E. K. and C. Williamson
Williamson	Gena; born 24 Nov 1832 ; died 03 Mar 1918
Williamson	Hattie; born 1882; died 1894
Williamson	James E.; born 1869; died 1945
Williamson	James Elbert; born 12 Jan 1869 in Macomb, Illinois; died 18 May 1945 in Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri; son of Elbert K. and Chancey / Chana / Chaney née Campbell Williamson

Wright	Laura; born in Missouri; died 06 Jun 1888 at Gooch's Mill, Missouri; aged 31 years, 5 months, 25 days; buried 07 Jun 1888; married; farmer's wife; CC Record of Deaths
Wright	Leera; born 31 Jun 1880; died 12 May 1902; Lecra