

Somerville, Hays and Crabitt Markers

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Civil Township:

Palestine

Quadrant Map:

Pilot Grove South

General Location:

South of Pilot Grove

Congressional Township:

Township 47-N; Range 18-W

Section:

32

Longitude & Latitude:

To Be Determined

Directions:

Five and a half miles south of Pilot Grove on Route 135 on the Mrs. George Eichelberger lands

Atlas Survey:

1877 Land Atlas – no cemetery symbol on H. R. Walker or L. B. Ferguson lands

1915 Land Atlas – no cemetery symbol on Ed. B. Windsor land.

1978 Plat Book – no cemetery symbol on the George Eichelberger lands

1991 Plat Book – no cemetery symbol on the George Eichelberger lands

History:

No one knows where these markers were originally placed. They were found at the residence, formerly known as the Ed Windsor place. When renters vacated this residence a number of years ago they found these "stray" markers in the basement and others in the yard. In order to find a suitable location for these markers, they placed in the repository for stray markers at Mt. Vernon Cemetery.

J. B. Sommerville was a citizen of the West Fork School District, #4, and the father of children attending the West Fork school. This school is not a great distance from where the stones were found.

Updated:

February 1, 2009 with 5 entries for this cemetery.

Crabett	Lether W.; 1888
Hays	Infant; 1890
Jenkins	Edna; died 12 Aug 1886; aged 5 years; child of H. and B. Jenkins; "Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven"
Jenkins	Harry; died 25 Aug 1872; aged 1 year, 18 days; child of H. and B. Jenkins; "Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven"
Somerville	Nancy; 15 Jul 1868; wife of J. D. Somerville