

Carpenter and Reavis Cemetery

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Civil Township:

Clarks Fork

Quadrant Map:

Lone Elm

General Location:

East of Bunceton

Congressional Township:

Township 47-N; Range 16-W

Section:

Northeast quarter of northwest quarter of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 33.

Longitude & Latitude:

To be Determined

Directions:

To Be Determined

Atlas Survey:

1877 Land Atlas – a cemetery symbol in the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 33

1915 Land Atlas – a cemetery symbol at same location on Henry J. Reavis land.

1978 Plat Atlas – a cemetery symbol at same location on Helen R. Shrout land.

1991 Plat Atlas – a cemetery symbol at same location on Helen R. Shrout land

History:

Boonville Daily News of May 26, 1981

"The will of a late Bunceton woman has named the Cooper County Court as trustees of a private rural cemetery. Presiding Judge Leonard Lang said this is the first time such a request has been made of the court.

Before she died in 1979, Mrs. Esther M. Reavis bequeathed \$5,000 to the court for the care of the Reavis - Carpenter Cemetery, a small cemetery on a farm near Bunceton, Mo. To be invested, and only the interest to be used for the maintenance of the cemetery; the principal, \$5000 must remain invested in total.

A Missouri Law written in 1939 allows county courts to act as trustees and custodians of perpetual care funds for cemeteries. Mrs. Reavis' will specifies, as does the state law, that the money will be invested in federal, state, county, or municipal bonds. The intent of the will is that the money be put in a secure, conservative type of investment. The court will have to find a bank to invest the money in some type of government bonds - then, find someone to do the actual maintenance. State law, however, says he is not compelled to maintain the trust fund or the cemetery but may appoint someone else to do it."

The land on which this cemetery is located was first owned by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Fulkerson. It was then sold to Abraham Weight and still later to the Reavis family.

Updated:

January 31, 2009 with 40 entries for this cemetery.

Campbell	Herbert W.; born 23 Jul 1881; died 23 Mar 1957
Carpenter	George Henry; born 16 Oct 1866 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 30 Dec 1948 in Cooper County, Missouri; buried 01 Jan 1949; son of Gabriel (born Cooper County, Missouri) and Katherine née Harris Carpenter (born Cooper County, Missouri); husband of Susan Frances née Mosier Carpenter (age 77); farmer; informant Mrs. Susan F. Carpenter, Bunceton, Missouri
Carpenter	Infant child of Frank and Bertie Carpenter; born 26 Apr 1899; died 26 Apr 1899

Carpenter	James Franklin; born 21 Jan 1875 or 24 Jan 1840 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 23 Jul 1946 in Clarks Fork Township, Cooper County, Missouri; removed 25 Jul 1946; son of Gabriel (born Cooper County, Missouri) Carpenter; widowed; farmer; informant Howard Carpenter; aged 9 years, 5 months, 11 days
Carpenter	Juanita June; born 25 Aug 1931 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 05 Sep 1931 in Clarks Fork Township, Cooper County, Missouri; buried 06 Sep 1931; daughter of Howard (born Cooper County, Missouri) and Hazel née Barrons Carpenter (born Moniteau County, Missouri); informant Howard Carpenter
Carpenter	Lucy Catherine née Dooley; born 02 Dec 1838; died 09 Dec 1899; wife of Samuel Carpenter, Jr.
Carpenter	Lucy M.; daughter of George and Mary Carpenter; born 26 Nov 1884 in Missouri; died 13 Aug 1885; died 12 Aug 1885 in Clarks Fork Township, Cooper County, Missouri; aged 9 months; buried 13 Aug 1885
Carpenter	Samuel, Jr.; born 05 Aug 1835; died 17 May 1907
Carpenter	Samuel, Sr.; born 18 Jun 1799; died 30 Apr 1868; husband of Sarah Carpenter
Carpenter	Sarah; wife of Samuel Carpenter, Sr.; born 05 Oct 1805; died 05 May 1862
Carpenter	Son of Samuel Carpenter and wife; husband of Letitia Belle née Harris Carpenter
Carpenter	Susan Frances née Mosier; born 20 Apr 1871 in Indiana; died 13 Apr 1955 at St. Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville, Missouri; buried 15 Apr 1955; daughter of Caleb and Martha née Bradley Mosier; wife of George H. Carpenter (deceased); housewife; informant Mrs. J. W. "Bill" Reed, Boonville, Missouri
Carpenter	Uriah G.; son of Samuel Jr. and Lucy Catherine née Dooley Carpenter; born 21 Mar 1862; died 08 May 1862
Carpenter	William C.; born 09 Apr 1829; died 07 Aug 1869
Carpenter	William F.; born 01 Jan 1891; died 09 Aug 1892; infant son of George H. and Susan F. Carpenter
Carpenter	William H.; born 04 Sep 1857; died 1924; page 735 of History of Cooper County by W. F. Johnson
Davis	Daniel; died 04 Nov 1881; aged 50 years; husband of Martha E. Davis; no marker; a friend of Abraham Weight
Englebrecht	Infant daughter of John D. and Mary E. Englebrecht; died 07 Mar 1887
Englebrecht	Infant son of John D. and Mary E. Englebrecht; died 11 Oct 1889
Englebrecht	John D.; born 03 Oct 1863; died 20 Mar 1896
Englebrecht	Mary E. or F (?); no marker; no dates; wife of John D. Englebrecht; buried along side her husband
Fulkerson	F. M., Mr.; no dates; no marker
Fulkerson	F. M., Mrs.; his wife; died 11 Sep 1954; later data indicates there was a marker at her grave.
Reavis	Henry Johnson; born 07 Nov 1809 North Carolina; died 13 Aug 1886 in Clarks Fork Township, Cooper County, Missouri; husband of Sarah Reavis; aged 76 years; buried 14 Aug 1886; married; retired farmer
Reavis	Henry Joseph; born 01 Sep 1839; died 22 Mar 1914
Reavis	Lucy née Gentry; born 27 Nov 1846; died 28 Mar 1928; wife of Henry Joseph Reavis
Reavis	Sarah; born 07 Mar 1815; died 13 May 1898; wife of Henry Johnson Reavis
Reavis	Stella; born 16 Jan 1882; died 23 Jan 1892; daughter of Henry Joseph and Lucy née Gentry Reavis
Reavis	Walter Weight; born 01 Aug 1867; died 07 Jan 1941; in Johnson's History of Cooper County, Missouri this name is listed as Walter Wade Reavis
Reed	Lucile Frances née Carpenter; born 08 Apr 1910 at Bunceton, Missouri; died 22 Oct 1985 at Columbia, Missouri; daughter of George and Susan née Mosier Carpenter; last residence of Boonville, Missouri
Scott	Sarah; died 27 Aug 1868; aged 22 years, 20 days; wife of Zephemiah Scott
Shannon	Edward L.; born 12 Jun 1896; died 08 Mar 1963; Veteran, Missouri Pvt. 382 Co.; M. F. C., W. W. I
Short	G. Robert; born Jun 1854; died 26 Nov 1879; husband of Victoria née Rich Short
Short	Jessie; died 19 Nov 1884; aged 7 months, 22 days; infant daughter of G. Robert and Victoria née Rich Short

Short	Victoria née Rich; born 18 Jan 1856 in Tennessee; died 16 Nov 1885 17 Nov 1885 in Clarks Fork Township, Cooper County, Missouri; wife of G. Robert Short; aged 29 years, 10 months; married; Farmer's wife
Unknown	Grave here; marked by large natural rocks at head and foot; thought to be grave of a hired workman on a local farm
Weight	Abraham J.; born 27 Nov 1822 in Cooper County, Missouri; died 03 Feb 1894; husband of Julia A. Weight
Weight	Infant; born 05 Nov 1861; died 28 Nov 1861; daughter of Abraham J. and Julia A. Weight; no dates
Weight	Julia A.; born 25 Jan 1834; died 01 Feb 1905; wife of Abraham J. Weight
Weight	Reavis A.; born 08 Mar 1858; died Sep 1858; infant son of Abraham J. and Julia A. Weight; no dates