

Murphy Family Cemetery

Inquire and please, ask permission to enter private property.

Civil Township:

Lebanon

Quadrant Map:

Otterville East

General Location:

Southeast of New Lebanon

Congressional Township:

Township 46-N; Range 18-W

Section:

Center of the northeast quarter of the section 21

Longitude & Latitude:

To Be Determined

Directions:

Road Directions: From intersection of Highway 5 and Route J, go south about three miles to the second gravel road turning west (right), go west about two miles, then south about 1 1/2 miles.

Atlas Survey:

- 1877 Land Atlas – no cemetery symbol on John W. Layne land.
- 1915 Land Atlas – no cemetery symbol on either section 21 or 22
- 1978 Plat Book – no cemetery symbol on "Broad View Acres, Inc." land.
- 1991 Plat Book – no cemetery symbol on "Broad View Acres, Inc." land.

History:

August, 1978 - Mr. Lewis informed Mr. Gene Cordry that recently some grave stones had been discovered when he and his sons were cultivating land at this site. He had not known of a burial plot there. They took the stones to his home and stacked them near the house. Mr. Cordry and others were invited to his home and recorded these names. Other entries in red are from the Cooper County Record of Deaths.

As far as anyone knows in 1997, these stones remain stacked in the yard at this residence.

Updated:

February 1, 2009 with 5 entries for this cemetery.

Layne	Mary F. nee' Murphy; died 18 Oct 1848; aged 43 years, 8 months, 20 days; wife of John Wilson Layne; footstone "M. F. L."; daughter of William and Mary A. nee' Cates Murphy
Murphy	Letitia; born in Kentucky; died 29 Dec 1884 in Kelly Township, Cooper County, Missouri; aged 72 years 7 months, 29 days; buried 31 Dec 1884; widower; housewife
Murphy	Thomas Jefferson; born 28 Dec 1855; died 19 Jun 1860; footstone "T. J. M."; son of Thomas and Mary (Mary Ann Cooper ?) Murphy
Murphy	William Taylor; born 12 Mar ???; died 19 Jun 1960; footstone "W. T. M."; son of Thomas and Mary Ann nee' Cooper Murphy
Nichols	Simeon R. P.; born 13 Oct 1832; died 12 May 1851; son of George and Catherine nee' Murphy (Nichols) Cordry; wife of George Nichols, first husband; wife of James Cordry, second husband; Note: James Cordry married Margaret Murphy, her sister first