## **Ellis Cemetery Number Two**

Inquire and please, ask to enter private property.

**Civil Township:** 

Clear Creek

**Quadrant Map:** 

To Be Determined

**General Location:** 

Clear Creek

**Congressional Township:** 

Township 47-N; Range 19-W

Section:

To Be Determined

Longitude & Latitude:

To Be Determined

**Directions:** 

To Be Determined

**Atlas Survey:** 

To Be Determined

**History:** 

One of the very oldest cemeteries in Clear Creek Cemetery. It is a little plot of ground on the Bruno Loesing Farm. In this cemetery, was laid to rest Marion Ellis, who was hanged to a tree during the Civil War by the Boonville Militia. He was one of Gen. Price's men and was enjoying a furlough. The militia thought him a deserter. He was taken down by his wife and sons and buried with help of a neighbor. Some years ago, a son returned and built a fence around this small plot of ground but now, there is no sign of the fence and it is just a place in the feed lot where a few tombstones are left. There is no one living who knows just how old this place is, but it is thought to be almost 90 years ago that it was first used as a buying ground.

Note: Probably other graves here, also.

**Updated:** 

January 31, 2009 with 1 entry for this cemetery.

Ellis Marion - Hanged during Civil War - mistakenly taken to be a deserter, but, actually was one of Gen. Price's men on a furlough from service.