CRAWFORD COUNTY TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS

HALLEY CEMETERY

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Recorded by Wm. Cuthbertson, 3-8-1971:

Located on No of SE1 of Sect. 10 Twp. 298 Rge 23E

This is on the John A. Hollandsworth farm (being purchased by Lawrence Clausen). We visited the site in the fall of 1970, it being about 50 yds. S of the Santa Fe R. R. track and about 200 yds. E of the W line of the farm, which would be the ½ mile line. It is on a small strip of land along the N side of the 80 acres, according to Earl Hollandsworth who lives on the farm; the 1906 Crawford Co. Atlas map shows this 7 acre strip marked "F Halley". The map shows the rest of the 80 acres belonging to the Percy Daniels farm to the west.

Two old cedar trees, one catalpa and one elm are at this point. Until the last year or two there were 2 clumps of "orange" lillies approximately the size of 2 graves, but these have now been destroyed by the cattle. There are no visible stones or markers. This is on the NW slope of a little hill. Farther up the slope to the SE are 2 catalpa trees, and some distance E of that an old post. It appears a house once stood close by at an early day. An old rock well was filled a few years ago just W or slightly SW of the graves.

Frank Adamson, who lived on the Percy Daniels farm to the W, recalled having heard that a Halley child was buried there.