

**CRAWFORD COUNTY  
TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS**

**JONES  
CEMETERY**

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## JONES CEMETERY

Located NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sect. 35 Twp. 30S Rge 22E

The NW cor. of the above section is 1 mi W of the Osage Church of the Brethren. The graves are about  $\frac{1}{4}$  mi S of this NW cor, then about 400' E in a pasture, under a lone walnut tree. The stones are gathered together on the ground about the tree trunk. with a couple of bases of stones also there.

The graves were about 50-75' N & a little W of this tree, according to Harold Clugston.

11-30-1970 Wm. Cuthbertson & Ernie Stevens visited a site just E of the NW cor. of above section and S in a pasture, looking under several large old hedge trees where Mrs. Mary (Dick) Jones had recalled seeing several old stones many years ago, propped against a tree. Many rocks were found, but none that looked like grave markers. The Harold Clugston home to the E was unoccupied, and finding no one in the area, the search was abandoned.

12-15-1970 Mrs. Theodore Nicholson of 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  mi W of Pittsburg told that Mrs. Harve Long, nee Casey, had a little sister older than she (Bertha?) buried there over 90 years ago, and later moved to McCune cem. Also a relative (cousin or uncle?) of Mrs. Long named Charles Fleming, an infant, was buried there and also moved to McCune. Mrs. Long had the little tombstone once used at her little sister's grave in this pasture. The Flemings res. SW of this little cem. Mrs. Long did not know if there were others buried there or not.

3-7-1971 Mr. Harold Clugston, residing in McCune, who has owned the farm for more than 50 yrs. & lived there until recently, recalled that the previous owner of the farm had offered to fence the cem. site, but none who had family buried there seemed inclined to furnish the fencing, so the site was pastured. There were about a dozen tombstones there 50 yrs. ago, but after Mr. Dyer of McCune published something about the cem., some vandalism occurred and several stones were carried away. Originally there were 2 walnut trees, but only one remains. Mr. Joe Winter (g-fa. of Winifred Andrew Lewis) told Mr. Clugston many years ago that he had helped dig graves there, when a young man, and knew that at least 21 persons were buried there.

We do not know if this cem. had any official name, so called it Jones because 3 of 4 remaining stones are of this name.

3-12-1971 Visited & copied by Wm. Cuthbertson & Ernie Stevens

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Jones (Casey, removed)  
Lovingier (Fleming, removed)

Edward L. son of A. & S. Jones born March 16 1859 died Oct 20 1869 (broken)

(broken at top) Malinda L. wife of J. W. Lovingier born Mar 8 1840 died Aug 29 1879

(ftst) M.L.L.

Andrew Jones born Jan 13 1812 died Mar 29 1875 (design of finger pointing up)

Elijah B. son of A. & S. Jones born March 15 1856 died June 2 1870

(ftst:) S. A. J.

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1870 Census, Osage Twp., Crawford Co. Kans.

#21 Jones, Andrew	57 farming	b. Ky.	#23 Lovingier, J.W.	34 farming	b Ohio
" Susan A.	53 keeping house	Ky.	" Malinda L.	30 k.h.	Iowa
" John H.	19 farming	Mo.	" Susan A.	4	Kans.
" E. B.	14 at home	"	" Nancy J.	3	"
" E. L.	11	"			