

WILLIAMS, LAWRENCE A., CEMETERIES--CHOCTAW #6663

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BURIAL GROUND FORM

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Indian-Pioneer History Project for Oklahoma

Field worker's name Lawrence A. WilliamsThis report made on (date) July 14 1971. Name (if any) of burial ground Wadesville2. Founded (date) 1840 by Ex-Governor A. Wade3. Abandoned (date) Still in use why abandoned _____4. Present owners of premises O. G. KingAddress of present owners Talihina, Route 1.

NOTE: Answer fully, if possible, questions 5 to 13 inclusive, here or on sheets firmly attached to this form.

5. Original owners of premises.

6. Give names of other persons who at one time owned the premises.

7. Approximate number of graves. About 508. Approximate number of marked graves 30

9. General condition of head stones, including inscriptions.

10. Number of inscriptions copied and attached. Eleven (Place each inscription on a separate sheet and attach all to this form).

11. Any other information you were able to gather about the burial ground including its history.

12. Condition of the premises Fair

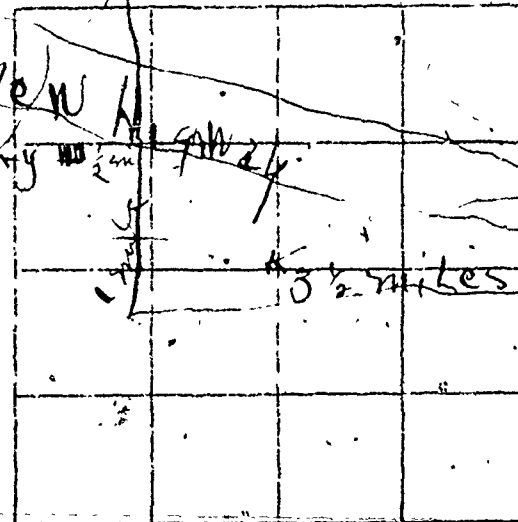
13. Detailed location of burial ground.

14. Legal location of burial ground, County LeFloreSection Unknown Township _____ Range _____

The plat on this form represents 640 acres, one square mile, and is subdivided into 40 acre tracts. The center of the section, and burial ground should be located accordingly. If possible, make additional subdivisions on plat to give more accurate location.

Number of sheets attached

to this form _____



Lawrence A. Williams,
Interviewer,
July 14, 1937.

INSCRIPTIONS

Hon. A. Wade Ex. Governor of the Choctaw nation.

Who immigrated to this country, finding it a
rude wilderness destitute of all that makes a
true civilization.

Deceased happily lived to see the effort
of his zeal, energy & sole ambitions rewarded
with success by supplying his people with schools
and churches of all that desired by God loving
men. With the blessings of a grateful people
on his repose his eventful & benevolent career
closed on March 13, 1876. Age 67 yrs.

Mrs. L. T. Wade wife of ex. gov.

Born Oct. 18, 1826 Died Apr. 13, 1876

Nancy D. WADE

Born Feb. 1813

Died July 1860

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Cornelius Wade

Born 1810

Died 1842

Ely P. Wade

Born 1857

Died 1869

Alfred Wade

Born Oct. 27 1862

Died 1816

Alfred Dukes

Born Mar. 1875

Died Aug. 31, 1883

Angeline Dukes

Born Dec. 7 1840

Died Oct 19 1883

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Edwin Dukes

Born Dec 7 1881

Died Feb. 19 1903

Martyn Dukes

Born July 18, 1878

Died Apr. 2, 1886

Nancy Dukes

Born Nov 23 1877

Died Sep 1, 1876
