

Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory

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ID: 62 to E.

Name: Awkard Family Cemetery

Alternate name:

Address: West side of Beallsville Rd. Big Woods Community

Town: Beallsville

ADC Map Page 7 Grid _____

Type

Religious _____
 Family _____
 Private _____
 Other _____

Association

Free black
 Enslaved
 Ethnic _____
 Prehistoric _____

Setting Rural Urban Suburban Forested Other _____

Condition Excellent Good Fair Poor

Negative Impacts (vandalism, dumping, neglect, encroachment, etc) _____

Approximate no. of burials _____ Date range of burials _____

Description (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

SUPPOSED TO BE BEHIND RECTORY FOR CHURCH @ BIG WOODS ROAD/BEAUSVILLE ROAD INTERSECTION.
Not found. Very overgrown. Some orange trees on trees + perc locators, so development possible.
Supposed to be in woods East of cleared space at SE corner

Surveyor(s) of Elgin + Jerusalem. Survey date 12/16/76

Photographer Anne + Janet Date _____ Photo no. _____

Current owner _____

Address/Phone No. _____

Historic Status Locational Atlas ID _____ National Register
 Master Plan ID _____ Other _____

UTM Not taken

Additional sources of information:

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AWKARD FAMILY CEMETERY
BEAUSVILLE ROAD
BIG WOODS

AWKARD FAMILY BURYING GROUND AT BIG WOODS
Location: West side of Beallsville Road in Big Woods community. [A.D.C. : Montgomery, page 11, grid coordinates B-6.] Condition of cemetery: neglected, only 5 marked graves. Maryland Historic Trust site survey information 1979. Inactive cemetery. Earliest known death: 1880. Most recent death: 1883. Date transcribed: 1979. Location of transcribed records: Montgomery County Historical Society Library, 42 West Middle Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20850. Comments: African-American cemetery, 1/4 acre was reserved for family cemetery, Mt. Zion Church once located here.

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Mt. Pleasant

Price, Children of W. D. and Sarah F.

Lula F. 30 Aug 1890 - 27 Nov 1890
Charles N. d. 17 Aug 1894 1-0-14
Daniel F. d. 16 Sep 1898 0-10-16

Redmon, Lash 1878 - 1958 [Elisha Redmond]
w Mollie E. J. 1885 - 1944

Redmond, Arthur 29 Mar 1920 - 28 Apr 1940

Rhodes, Stg. John C. Co K 91 NY Vol. 27 May 1841 - 29 Jul 1965
w Catherine E. 15 Feb 1847 - 29 Jun 1928 "Our Mother"

Richardson, Mary E. 6 Apr 1902 4-4-16 d/o James L. & Mary E. Cosgrave Richardson

Rinker, Alice Virginia 8 Sep 1877 - 4 Jul 1909 w/o Samuel P. Rinker
d Margaret V. d. 20 Apr 1905 7 months

Selby, Annie S. R. 12 Dec 1887 - 29 Jan 1906

Selby, Jessie M. d. 1 Feb 1908 2-5-2 d/o G. W. & H. H. Selby

Shumaker, Carrie 20 Feb 1889 - 23 Apr 1909 w/o W. S. Shoemaker stone moved to Monocacy

Studebaker, Rebecca d. Mar 1921 stone moved to Monocacy

Thompson, William H. 21 Apr 1861 - 26 Sep 1902 h/o Nettie Thompson

s C. Dempsey 27 Jun 1895 - 2 Dec 1902 s/o Nettie G. Thompson

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Awkard, Rev. Elijah d. 4 Dec 1883 76-8-3

w Annie d. 26 May 1880 73-2-23

c C. age 12 years

c J. age 25 years

c I. age 30 years

Strong Family Mausoleum

Strong, Col. Gordon 3 Jun 1869 - 26 Feb 1954 s/o Henry & Marcy Comstock Strong

w Louise Snyder 14 Apr 1875 - 1949 d/o A. N. & Margaret Snyder

J. L. Co.

Cutler