Montgomery County Cemeteries

ID: 271

Clipper Family Cemetery

Name:

Alternate Name: Stonecutters' Cemetery	
Address:	Between River Road and the C&O Canal, just west of Partnership Road
Town:	Seneca
ADC Map: 26	Grid: A-9 vic.
Cemetery Association: Free Black, Family	
Setting: Forested	Condition: Good
Negative Impacts:	
Burials: 30+	Date range of burials: ?-1905
Description: Located in forest about 1 mile west of Riley's Lock and 1/5 mile north of C&O Canal towpath at mile 24. 5 headstones with hardcarved inscriptions, 4 are propped against trees. About 25 fieldstones, some with footstones. Mostly seneca sandstone.	
Comments: John Clipper worked as a stonecutter at Seneca Quarry Mill. He built a house adjacent to canal for himself, his wife, and 10 children. Transcriptions and article in file.	
Survey date: 11/19/2005	
Historic Status:	
Additional Sources:	
	Run date: 8/30/2007