

Dr. Ford Cemetery Nix – Stephens Cemetery

Edward Edwards was buried in the Dr. Ford Cemetery. There is no cemetery with this name in Cherokee County. According to research and land records Dr. Ford owned the property where the Nix – Stephens Cemetery is presently located. Dr. Ford's full name was Marick H. Ford. There are no Ford or Edwards headstones in this cemetery. In June of 2001 the cemetery was extremely overgrown and many crepts were broken. There was a gate and many tall monuments. Some of the graves were built up and had monuments. Some of the graves were built up, with brick or stone on the sides with high mounds but no markers. See the attached articles and the obituary for Edward Edwards.

While researching it was discovered that Edward Edwards married after his first wife died. That marriage certificate is also in the attached information. It is unknown where Edward Edwards first wife was buried. Since he owned property close to the Ford Cemetery/Ford property, it is assumed she was buried there, in one of the unmarked graves. According to the obituary for Edward Edwards he was buried in the Dr. Ford Cemetery

