

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY

Visited November 11, 1972. This well-kept cemetery is located on the northwest corner of Lucy and Chase Roads, immediately west of Temple Methodist Church, 1.5 miles east of Highway 51, North. This area is near Lucy, Tennessee, and south of Millington, Tennessee. The property was originally the Ward Family Cemetery but was later opened for use as the Lucy Community Cemetery. A stone on the front of the church has the following: "Temple M.E. Church, So. - Organized 1889 - This building erected 1938 - Rev. L.A. Smithmier, Pastor. Trustees: Weber Barnett, R.A. Campbell, Sam Hammontree. Building Committee: A.S. Payton, R.A. Campbell, Mrs. Vivien Harrison."

Joseph Buck Aceiday
Died Oct. 28, 1919
(With Boberg graves)

Memphis Funeral Home
marker:
Clarence J. Adams
Died December 31, 1971
Aged 67 years.
(By illegible funeral
home marker)

Douglas Lee Allen
Nov. 10, 1899
Aug. 6, 1971

Barnette
(Joseph Young
(1844 - 1905
(
(Olivia Griffin
(1845 - 1933

Joseph L. - Son of
E.F. & N.B. Barnett
Feb. 14, 1898
Mar. 3, 1902

Barnette
(Weber
(Feb. 18, 1877
(Mar. 2, 1958
(
(Blanche
((no dates)
(by)

Mother
Mary J. Wilson
1859 - 1933

Thomas Barrom
Born Nov. 9, 1844
Died Jan. 2, 1904
Aged 59 yrs 1 mo 23 ds

Martha Joannah
Wife of Thomas Barrom
Feb. 12, 1855
May 27, 1941

Christopher C. Barrom
Aug. 4, 1878
Nov. 6, 1900
Aged 22 yrs 3 mos 2 ds

Luther Clarence Barrom
May 12, 1880
Apr. 22, 1963

Barrom
(Fawney L.
(1875 - 1947
(
(Vera C.
(1888 - 1958

John Bert Barrom
June 2, 1917
Oct. 22, 1940

Lora Elizabeth Barrom
Sept. 11, 1918
Sept. 21, 1928

Husband
James Porter Barrom
Sept. 18, 1899
Apr. 20, 1967

Wife
Amanda Lucille Barrom
Mar. 20, 1914
May 18, 1968

Cosmopolitan Funeral Home
marker:
Mrs. Thelma D. Barrom
Died Oct. 3, 1971
Aged 55 years.

M.C. Barton
1879 - 1945

Two stones in wrought-iron
fenced lot:

Mother
Mary Almira Bennett
March 12, 1849
May 24, 1935

My Soldier Boy
D.W. Bennett
Son of J.M. & M.A. Bennett
Born Sept. 22, 1875
Died Nov. 7, 1903

Maude E. Boberg
July 23, 1880
Dec. 26, 1929

John Walton - Son of
J.W. & Maud Boberg
Born May 28, 1916
Died Nov. 24, 1917
Loose footstone: J.W.B.

W.O.W. Memorial
Jacob Bogard
June 28, 1869
June 16, 1916
Footstone: J.B.

Margret Curry
Wife of Jacob Bogard
Was born Feb. the 2, 1866
Died July the 22, 1909
Aged 40 ys 5 ms & 20 ds
(Hand inscribed concrete
marker)
Footstone: Margret Curry

Annie Peyton Bolton
Oct. 22, 1865
Aug. 24, 1923

... wife ... mother ...

Wade Hampton Bolton
Aug. 1, 1865
Dec. 19, 1928

Peyton Polk - Son of
W.H. & A.L. Bolton
Born Apr. 25, 1896
Died July 18, 1897

Baby - In Loving Memory Of
Bessie Lee Bolton
Died Dec. 30, 1888
Age 5 mos.

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY, continued.

Lt. Col. Leslie Turner Bolton
Born Oct. 11, 1890
Died at sea May 2, 1942

Wrought-iron fenced lot contains two cradle graves and illegible funeral home marker.
Gate stone and lot stone:

BOLTON

Charlie Bolton
Born May 19, 1877
Died July 25, 1908

Tom Bolton
Born Mar. 28, 1882
Died Aug. 29, 1914

Father
Thomas J. Branch
Born Nov. 16, 1855
Died June 26, 1913

Mother
Lyde Sanders Branch
July 4, 1868
Jan. 23, 1942

Virginia T. Branch
Born Dec. 19, 1889
Died Mar. 8, 1901

Edward O. Branch
1859 - 1935

Lila Branch
June 26, 1895
Oct. 8, 1958

Branch

(David Sanders
(July 14, 1893
(April 3, 1957
(
(Blank side

Thomas J. Branch, Jr.
1898 - 1952

Branch

("Ned"
(Miles E.
(Sept. 13, 1905
(Sept. 25, 1957
(
(Blank side

Thomas Peyton Branch
Sept. 17, 1930
June 16, 1948

Richard H. Campbell
1894 - 1952

James Thomas Comer
Tenn. - Pvt. - U.S. Army
World War II
Feb. 1, 1911
Jan. 16, 1972
An adj. Memphis Funeral Home marker:
James Thomas Comer
Died January 14, 1972
Aged 60 years
by grave marked only by a pot of flowers.

Cooper

(Andrew Jackson
(Jan. 15, 1853
(July 27, 1903
(
(Mattie Dickey
(Oct. 25, 1859
(Mar. 8, 1942
(Loose footstone: M.D.C.

Frank H. Cotton
Jan. 17, 1880
Jan. 31, 1927

T.D. Cowgill
Nov. 7, 1830
Nov. 9, 1893
(In Griffith lot)

Crenshaw

(M.B. "Jack"
(Aug. 27, 1901
(Dec. 21, 1925
(
(Mary Bennett
(Nov. 27, 1873
(June 1, 1966
(
(Third space is blank (by)
Frances June - Dau. of M. & M.V. Crenshaw
June 15, 1906
Dec. 28, 1906
Loose footstone: F.J.C.

Footstone: L.E.D. (On line with Thos. W. Ward headstone)

Murray - Son of
J.H. & E.E. Davis
Born Dec. 26, 1895
Died Sep. 29, 1902

Dilliard

(Thos. Jefferson
(1858 - 1933
(
(Minnie Galloway
(1870 - 1959

J. Joseph Dwyer
June 10, 1904
Aug. 19, 1947

Robert Emmett Dwyer
Tenn. - EM1 - USNR
World War II
Oct. 10, 1906
March 4, 1960

Dwyer

(Jack
(Feb. 2, 1878
(Feb. 21, 1956
(
(Beulah W.
(Nov. 26, 1881
(Feb. 21, 1922

Footstone: E.W.D. (on line with above headstone)

(Elizabeth J. Eckles
(Born May 3, 1825
(Died Aug. 28, 1905
(
(John H. Whitworth
(Born Aug. 8, 1854
(Died Apr. 27, 1904

Glenda C. George
Nov. 13, 1950 (Only date)

Gift

(James H.
(1859 - 1938
(
(Nettie P.
(1880 - 1943
(
(Vashti
(1901 - 1919

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY, continued.

Ann E. Griffin
Wife of Geo. W. Griffin
Born Aug. 2, 1824
Died June 27, 1896
... wife ... mother ...

Griffin

(Monique T.
(Wife of B.N. Griffin
(Apr. 13, 1876
(Jan. 19, 1902
(Footstone: M.T.G.
(
(Hester M.
(Wife of B.N. Griffin
(June 27, 1881
(Aug. 28, 1904
(Footstone: H.M.G.

Hattie A.
Wife of G.W. Griffith
Born Mar. 12, 1856
Died July 26, 1899

Griffith

(Hattie A.
(
(Agnes
(
(Tucker
(
(George
(
(Eliza

Agnes P.G. - Dau. of
G.W. & H.A. Griffith
Born May 10, 1880
Died Dec. 5, 1894

Susan M. Grimes
Feb. 14, 1847
July 16, 1934
(Similar stone and adj.
to Maude E. Boberg)

Hannah

(Albert W.
(1892 - 1970
(
(Willie B.
(1896 - _____

Wrought-iron fenced lot
contained next six stones
and two headstone bases:

Wesley Harrison
(No dates)
Footstone: W.H.

Ella Bolton Harrison
Jan. 14, 1856
Mar. 25, 1942
Footstone: Mother

John Elmo Meadors
Feb. 4, 1889
May 13, 1965

Annie Lee Harrison Meadors
Feb. 1, 1889
Aug. 3, 1965

Wesley Harrison - Son of
Dr. & Mrs. J.E. Meadors
Sept. 28, 1918
Feb. 28, 1920
Footstone: W.H.M.

Elizabeth Harrison McKnight
Tawney
Feb. 9, 1891
April 2, 1967

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Wrought-iron railed lot con-
tains seven cradle graves, two
other markers and large lot
stone: HAWKINS

Ben F. Hawkins
Sep. 5, 1845
Aug. 15, 1924
Cradle foot: Father
and bronze marker at foot:
Benjamin F. Hawkins
Pvt. - Co. C - 7 Regt. Tenn.
Cav. - Confederate States Army

Nannie Ward Hawkins
Oct. 5, 1850
Feb. 21, 1910
Cradle foot: Mother

Hal S. - Son of
B.F. & Nannie H. Hawkins
Died July 31, 1893
Aged 17 yrs 11 mos
Cradle foot: Our Hal

Malcolm Hawkins
Nov. 18, 1886
Aug. 29, 1927

Wesley B. Hawkins
1871 - 1943
(by)

Martha Hill Hawkins
Jan. 25, 1881
Apr. 20, 1969

James Wheeler Cocke
Aug. 26, 1880
Aug. 21, 1910
Cradle foot: J.W.C.
(by)

Permelia Hawkins Cocke
Aug. 15, 1883
Oct. 4, 1965
Cradle foot: plain

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Hensley

(Willey R.
(1871 - 1953
(Footstone: W.R.H.
(
(Mary F.
(1872 - 1929
(Footstone: M.F.H.
(By illegible funeral home
marker also by Clarence J.
Adams.)

Herring

(Bert L.
(1873 - 1943
(
(Lora V.
(1867 - 1947

Lon C. Johnson, M.D.
Dec. 28, 1875
Apr. 3, 1967
Teacher, Statesman, Physician

Kelley

(General C.
(March 21, 1880
(Sept. 21, 1952
(Footstone: G.C.K.
(

(Willie P.
(July 13, 1886
(_____
(Empty funeral home marker
here and ground looked as
if grave here.)

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY, continued.

Edward Irby Lewis
Feb. 26, 1876
Feb. 22, 1929
Masonic emblem

Irene Black Lewis
July 12, 1877
Jan. 3, 1954

Mary Lewis Privett
Feb. 5, 1899
Aug. 24, 1967

Molder

(William, Sr.
(Mar. 6, 1874
(Jan. 28, 1953
(
(Clara Ewing
(Oct. 11, 1884
(Oct. 20, 1933

Next five were in wrought-
iron fenced lot with space
for 5 or 6 other graves:

Father
Samuel Asa Oakley
1867 - 1941

Mother
Sarah Agnes Oakley
1868 - 1942

Memphis Funeral Home
marker with barely legible
"Aged 78 years."
Footstone: large sea shell

Hope Oakley
Died in childhood
Footstone: large sea shell

Rebecca Oakley
Died in childhood
Footstone: large sea shell

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Elby Oldham
Born Mar. 10, 1884
Died Mar. 20, 1917
Aged 33 years
W.O.W. Memorial

Percer

(William J. Percer
(Mar. 20, 1858
(April 7, 1948
(
(Allie J. Percer
(Aug. 1, 1865
(March 29, 1923
(Behind above stone was old
broken stone for her with
same dates.)

Peyton

(Ashby S.
(July 24, 1868
(Jan. 6, 1949
(
(Lorena O.
(Sept. 29, 1875
(Jan. 26, 1968
(
(Carl E.
(Dec. 26, 1909
(Feb. 19, 1958

Peyton

(Blank side
(
(Martha Z.
(March 14, 1906
(May 1, 1969

In memory of
Joe E. Peyton
Mar. 17, 1902
Nov. 13, 1957
Buried Oklahoma City,
Oklahoma
(With Lewis and Privett
graves)

Prewitt

(John H.
(1888 - 1963
(
(Frances N.
(1900 -

Rhoda Edwin Privett
July 30, 1916
Apr. 13, 1917
Footstone: plain

Four adj. matching stones:

Joe Privette
1898 - 1935

Jim Privette
1896 - 1924

R.D. Privette
1857 - 1931

Jennie Privette
1862 - 1940

Father
George Dudley Rice
June 9, 1876
July 19, 1962

Daughter
Lillian Beatrice Rice
July 22, 1932
Dec. 15, 1957
and a (Treadwe)ll-Norris
Funeral Home marker:
Lillian Beatrice Rice
Died December 15, 1957
Aged 35 ys 4 ms 25 ds

Mother
Flarence M. Rice (as is)
June 11, 1893
April 21, 1952

Marion Lynn Rice
Son of Lillian
Oct. 29, 1950
Dec. 18, 1971
and a Treadwell-Norris Fun-
eral Home marker:
Mr. Marion Lynn Rice
Died December 18th, 1971
Aged 21 ys 1 mo 29 ds

With above Rice graves were
two old headstones and foot-
stones (with no data) on
what appeared to be graves.

Father
Dr. D.M. Sanders
Born Nov. 11, 1835
Died Apr. 26, 1909
C.S.A.

Infants Sanders
1947

Dr. W.D. Tucker
Born June 3, 1825
Died Mar. 25, 1894
C.S.A.

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY, continued.

Sparks

(Raymond Hill
(Oct. 27, 1878
(Mar. 19, 1931
(
(Lillian Etter
(Nov. 7, 1884
(

Viola M. Stocks
April 7, 1906
Aug. 13, 1952
Footstone: V.M.S.
(Only stone in large wire-
fenced lot.)

Three stones in wrought-
iron fenced lot with
space for others:

Ward

(John Wesley Ward
(Oct. 28, 1806
(Oct. 7, 1865
(
(His wife
(Permelia P. Phipps
(Dec. 28, 1821
(Nov. 12, 1895
(
(Brunswick Co., Va.

John Newton Ward
Born Feb. 11, 1844
Died Nov. 19, 1899

Lucy R. - Dau. of
J.W. & P.P. Ward
Died Aug. 29, 1893
Aged 39 years

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Five stones in wrought-
iron fenced lot:

Ward

(Andrew J. Ward
(Oct. 22, 1842
(Nov. 30, 1913
(C.S.A.
(
(Ophelia D. Reaves
(Wife of A.J. Ward
(Feb. 27, 1847
(Sep. 24, 1905

Pauline (Ward Hammontree)
Apr. 19, 1870
Nov. 13, 1928

James A. Rodgers
Sept. 10, 1875
May 14, 1932

Ophelia W. Rodgers
July 24, 1881
Sept. 25, 1960

Our Little Lamb
Mary Rodgers
Aug. 19, 1913
Oct. 9, 1918

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Charles Spencer Ward
Apr. 23, 1862
Dec. 3, 1925
Footstone: Father

Letitia Saunders Ward
June 15, 1865
July 6, 1933
Footstone: Mother

Charles Wesley Ward
Jan. 16, 1902
Nov. 26, 1942
Footstone: C.W.W.

Virginia Frazer Ward
Oct. 27, 1904
Dec. 12, 1969
Footstone: V.F.W.

Ward

(J.O. Ward
(May 2, 1852
(Oct. 15, 1912
(
(Died in the faith
(Emma F.
(Wife of J.O. Ward
(Sept. 26, 1856
(Aug. 26, 1907
(In Dwyer lot)

Thomas W. - Son of
J.O. & E.F. Ward
Born Dec. 31, 1890
Died June 26, 1891
Footstone: plain

Memphis Funeral Home
marker:
David S. Ward, Sr.
Died Jan. 17, 1972
Aged 73 years
(Grave planted with winter
grass and 12 stalks of
cotton)

Mary Kilgo
Wife of T.W. Warren
May 29, 1884
Sept. 28, 1931

Her footstone: M.K.W.
at head of adj. grave with
illegible funeral home
marker.

J.G. Whitaker - Son of
David & Mary Whitaker
Born July 15, 1849
Died Nov. 6, 1906
Loose footstone: J.G.W.

Katherine Whitaker
Wife of J.G. Whitaker
Mar. 27, 1850
Oct. 29, 1926

William J. Wilkerson
Jan. 5, 1903
July 18, 1953

Elizabeth Dwyer Webb
Wilkerson
Jan. 15, 1899
Sept. 26, 1965

Lot with large concrete
wall contains two stones
and empty funeral home
marker:

Wortham

(James David
(Jan. 19, 1857
(Aug. 2, 1927
(
(Etta Harrell
(Aug. 24, 1864
(Jan. 6, 1951
(
(Edith May
(Apr. 7, 1900
(June 8, 1905

WARD MEMORIAL CEMETERY, continued.

Maggie Privett Wortham
Sept. 6, 1890
Dec. 27, 1921

Next four cradle graves and
one modern stone together:

Minor A. Gillespie
1859 - 1945

George Rufus - Only Son of
Ovid & Ada G. Wynne
Died July 25, 1913
Aged 8 ys & 23 ds
Cradle foot: Our George

Dee Dee
Clarence H. Wortham
Apr. 8, 1906
May 14, 1971

Ida Wynne Gillespie
Died Aug. 23, 1918
Cradle foot: Wife

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Mother
Ann C. Wortham
Dec. 23, 1906
Oct. 3, 1965

(Headstone missing)
Cradle foot:
Mrs. A.C. (G.?) Wynne
Died Aug. 21, 1914

Ziebarth
(Charles J.
(Oct. 26, 1875
(Mar. 18, 1971
(
(Married Nov. 1, 1899
(
(Grace G.
(June 4, 1876
(Jan. 27, 1965
And a Memphis Funeral Home
marker:
Charles J. Ziebarth
Died March 18, 1971
Aged 95 years.

Mary Elizabeth - Dau. of
Ovid & Ada G. Wynne
Died Jan. 8, 1902
Age 8 ys 10 ms & 2 ds
Cradle foot: Our Bess

Notes:

Obituary, The Commercial Appeal, 19 Nov. 1972: Miss Sarah Letitia Branch, 80, died yesterday. She leaves three nephews and a niece.

The 1870 Census, Shelby Co., Tenn., 2nd Civil District, P. 53, Line 1, No. 398:
Massey, Geo. W. 26-M-Farmer-\$4500/\$500-Tenn.; Sarah J. 27-F-Tenn.; Gift, James H.
11-M-Tenn.; Wm. R. 9-M-Tenn.; Vashti 7-F-Tenn.; Massey, Celia 4-F-Tenn.

Obituary, The Commercial Appeal, 15 Nov. 1928: Mrs. Pauline Ward Hammontree, 58, died at LaFeria, Texas, wife of W.S. Hammontree, sis. of Mrs. J.A. Rodgers (Ophelia Ward.)

Obituary, The Commercial Appeal, 28 Aug. 1970: Albert W. Hannah, 78, died yesterday. Leaves wife, Mrs. Willie Hannah, 2 daus., Miss Mary Sue Hannah and Mrs. Allene Dupree, a sister, Mrs. Nettie Campbell, and two grandchildren.

Obituary, The Commercial Appeal, 1 Aug. 1970: Bruce C. Oakley, 78, died today. Leaves wife, Mrs. Lucille H. Oakley, two sons, Robert H. and Bruce Jr., dau., Virginia, brother, Minor C. Oakley, one grandchild and one great grandchild.

The 1850 Census, Shelby Co., Tenn., 3rd Civil District, P. 141-L, 31 Oct. 1850:
949/949 Ward, Jn. W. 43-M-Farmer-\$6700-Va.; Parmelia 28-F-Va.; Andrew 7-M-Tenn.;
John 6-M-Tenn.; Mary 3-F-Tenn.; Martha 1-F-Tenn.

The 1870 Census, Shelby Co., Tenn., 3rd Civil District, P. 4, Line 30, 8 July 1870:
No. 27 Ward, P.P. 49-F-Keeps house-\$3300/\$3000-Va.; Newton 26-M-Farmer-\$6000/\$150
-Tenn.; Mattie 22-F-\$6000-Tenn.; Joseph 18-M-\$6000-Tenn.; Lucy 16-F-\$6000-Tenn.;
Wm. 11-M-\$6000-Tenn.; and Chas. 8-M-\$6000-Tenn.

NOTES - PULLIAM FAMILY CEMETERY (Page 150 of Volume I)

The 1850 Census, Shelby Co., Tenn., 7th Civil District, 5 Nov. 1850, P. 147-R:
1020/1020 Pulliam, Elijah 50-M-Farmer-Va.; Parmelia 38-F-Va.; Joseph 19-M-Ala.;
John 16-M-Farmer-Ala.; Edward 14-M-Ala.; Susan 11-F-Tenn.; Lucy 9-F-Tenn.; Mary
6-F-Tenn.; and Henry 8/12-M-Tenn. The 1860 Census shows this family with the addi-
tion of Charles R. Pulliam 7-F?-Tenn.; and William C. Dickey 22-M-Overseer-Tenn.