

Description of the North Branch Graveyard in Madison County Earlham Iowa 7-7-1908

The records will show at Winter Iowa that the original tract of land for meeting house and grave yard for North Branch Monthly Meeting of Friends of Madison Co. Iowa contained five (5) acres and we whose names are hereunto subscribed have this day read the deed from Trustees of Bear Creek Quarter Meeting of Friends namely Christoph Wilson, Abner L. Newlin, William H. Henry Standing and Milton Miller to the following described premises to David Davis,

Commencing at a point (40) forty rods East of the North West Corner of the North East quarter (4) of Section Nine (9) Township Seventy seven (77) North of Range Twenty eight (28) West 5th P.M. Iowa - thence running South Twenty (20) rods, thence West Forty (40) rods, thence North Ten (10) rods - thence East Sixteen (16) rods thence North Ten (10) rods thence East to the place of beginning.

Containing Four (4) acres more or less. It being evident by the above described deed that the remaining one acre is the graveyard belonging to Bear Creek Quarterly Meeting of Friends, thence described, to wit: Beginning at the North West Corner of the North East Quarter (4) of Section

Range (9) Township Seventy seven (77) North of Range Twenty Eight (28) West of the 5th P.M. of Iowa, thence East 16 rods thence South Ten (10) rods, thence West sixteen (16) rods, thence North Ten (10) rods to the place of beginning containing one acre more or less.

Signed on the above date

Witnesses

Abner L. Newlin

Adnah Spencer

Edith Newlin

Ella Newlin

Darham Iowa
7-7-1908

The records will show at Winter Iowa that the original tract of land for meeting house and graveyard for North Branch Monthly Meeting of Friends of Madison Co Iowa contained five (5) acres. and we whose names are hereunto inscribed have this day read the deed from Trustees of Bear Creek Quarterly Meeting of Friends namely Christopher Wilson, Peter L. Newell, William H. Henry Standing and Milton Miller to the following described premises to David Fries:

commencing at a point ⁴⁰ forty rod East of the North West corner of the North East quarter (4) of section ¹⁷ 17, Township Twenty seven (77) North of Range Twenty Eight (28) West 5th P.M. Iowa - thence running South Twenty rods, thence West Forty (40) rods, to North Ten (10) rods - thence East Sixteen (16) rods - thence North Ten (10) rods - thence East to the place of beginning.

containing four (4) acres more or less.

It being evident by the above described deed that the remaining one acre is the graveyard belonging to Bear Creek Quarterly Meeting of Friends thus described, to wit, beginning at the North West corner of the North East Quarter (4) of section

Nine (9) Township Sixty Seven (77) North
of Range Twenty Eight (28) West of the
5th P.M. of Gowa, thence East 16 rods
thence South Ten (10) rods, thence West
Sixteen (16) rods, thence North Ten (10) rods
the place of beginning containing one acre
more or less

Signed on the above date

Witnesses

Anna L Newlin

Adriah Spencer

Edith Newlin

Ella Newlin