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The cemetery is located on the south side of State Route 33 about one-half mile west of Lydia and near the former Temple Hill Methodist Church. The graves are arranged in approximate rows north and south with stones facing east. The original census taker has placed the names of twenty people for whom there are no stones in various rows. Since it would appear that the original census taker had some intimate knowledge of the area, we include those names with original notes. There are fourteen unmarked stones. In this listing Row 1 is farthest east; and the first stone is at the north.

Row 1

✓ Ranson Geer
Co. D. 34 VA Inf. CS

✓ Bertram C. Haney
June 26, 1902
Feb. 13, 1905

Martha E. Cheek
Wife of W. M. Cheek
Died 1893 29 yrs

✓ H.J. Haney
Feb. 10, 1831
Feb. 20, 1923

✓ Francis Haney
Sept. 6, 1833
Sept. 2, 1925

Irene E. Deane
Ap. 4, 1933
Ap. 14, 1934

Infant son of George E. & Bessie Deane
Mar. 14, 1927

ROW 2

Eula May Deane
1900 - 1908

Lucinda Ada Lam
(mother of Ben Lam)
[no stone]

George Herman Lam
(brother of Ben Lam)
[no stone]

ROW 3

Rebekah F. Garnes
1837 - 1903

Robert B. Garnes
Co. D. 34 VA Inf. CSA
1827 - 1895

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Matilda F. Raines
July 29, 1878
Aug. 14, 1883

Robert Raines
[no stone]

Barbara A. Raines
1849 - 1930

ROW 4

Louise McDaniel Breeden
Died April
[no stone]

Fanny McDaniel
(mother Louise Breeden)
[no stone]

Henry McDaniel
(14 yr. old brother Louise)
[no stone]

Froni McDaniel
(25 yr old sister Louise)
[no stone]

ROW 5

John W. McDaniel
1875 - 1902

Armitta F. McDaniel
1878 - 1959

Ida Alice McDaniel
June 12, 1871
July 26, 1966

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Charles C. Haney
Sept. 4, 1868
May 28, 1898

Mary E. Haney
Dec. 4, 1841
Ap. 10, 1908

James E. Haney
Died Ap. 4, 1895

Zady A. Haney
Died May 25, 1879

Annie B. Haney
Died Feb. 9, 1881

James B. Haney
1853 - 1930

Cleveland Deane
1910 - 1932

ROW 6

Nancy C. Lamb
May 30, 1854
Nov. 22, 1933

ROW 7

Martha Deane
(Jake Deane's mother)
[no stone]

Harold Deane
(Jake's brother)

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[no stone]

Mamie Deane
(11 yrs Jake's daughter)
[no stone]

Will Dunnivan
[no stone]

ROW 8

Lou Anna Knight
1892 - 1893

Russell Shifflett
March 10, 1883
Oct. 23, 1960

Sadie W.
June 28, 1878
Aug. 16, 1962

Haley Shifflett
Co. D. 34 Va. Inf. CSA

ROW 9

✓ E.B. Morris
(father of Gene, Grover and Ollie)
June 5, 1852
Mar. 25, 1928

✓ Martha Haney Morris
(Mother of Gene, Grover and Ollie)
Jan 5, 1859
Oct. 30, 1947

✓ Elizabeth Morris
Ap. 11, 1888
May 6, 1890

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✓ Mamie R. Morris
Sept. 16, 1880
Ap. 3, 1883

Geo. L. Haney
1860 - 1905

Lillie Collier (mother)
[no stone]

Herbert Collier (brother)
[no stone]

Ollie Collier (brother)
[no stone]

Jason Collier (brother)
[no stone]

ROW 10

Maggie L. Hensley
1873 - 1924
[no stone]

Gallie Weaver
[no stone]

Lucy Weaver
[no stone]

Iny Weaver
(Reubin Weaver brother)
[no stone]

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Malcom Sheler
(1936)
[no stone]

ROW 11

James Henry Lam
1905 - 1986

Willie T. Lam
Ap. 7, 1899
July 18, 1968

Ethel M.
May 2, 1904
Sept. 14, 1970

Vergie Lam
Jan 29, 1937
Mar. 31, 1966

Pearl Lam
Mar. 15, 1899
Dec. 13, 1979

Leonard Sheler & Family

Gilmer Weaver
[no stone]

Reuben F. Weaver
July 10, 1903
Aug. 9, 1983

John Porter Sheler
Sgt. U.S. Army WW II
1923 - 1985

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Louise Wilma Sheler
Aug. 20, 1895
Mar. 20, 1987

Paul Wallace Sheler
Feb. 6, 1906
Jan. 22, 1989

ROW 12

Mamie Lee Morris Deane
June 9, 1918
June 29, 1989

Rosa T. Deane
Ap 17, 1897
Feb 24, 1980

✓ Claude H. Deane
Feb. 10, 1883
Mar. 5, 1964

ROW 13

James Ellis Conley
1938 - 1961

Edgar B. Morris
Oct. 21, 1918
Aug. 4, 1976

Maxine M.
Nov. 23, 1921
Ap. 3, 1987

Marshall Morris
Sept. 13, 1895
Jan. 7, 1974

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Clemmie G.
May 9, 1898
Oct. 5, 1969
