

Remember Them Forever

Name: Edward William "Doc" Jarrell

Birth: 07 Jan 1832

Lebanon, Wilson County, TN

Death: 03 Jun 1885

Argyle, Denton County, TX

Cemetery: Prairie Mound Cemetery

Cemetery Location: 1006 4th Street

Argyle, TX 76226

Section:

Plot GPS: 33° 06' 32" N, 97° 13' 34" W

Military: Edward "Doc" Jarrell enlisted at Camp Cheatham on 01 April 1862 as a Sergeant in the Confederate 2nd (Smith's) Cavalry. As illness and combat losses severely reduced troop numbers, Smith's Cavalry was consolidated with other units. Edward was subsequently transferred to the 2nd (Biffle's) Battalion Cavalry and later to the 2nd (Ashby's) Battalion Cavalry, also known as the 2nd Tennessee Cavalry. During his service, he fought at the Battle of Stones River near Murfreesboro, Tennessee. By 1864 he was billeted with the 4th Tennessee Cavalry Regiment (McLemore's), and saw extensive combat including Parker's Cross Roads, Chickamauga, The Atlanta Campaign, and The Campaign of the Carolinas.

Civilian: By 1876, Edward, his wife Letticia, and their children had relocated from Tennessee to Graham, just north of Argyle. There, Edward listed his occupations as both farmer and physician. Edward and Letticia were charter members of the Graham Baptist Church, where Edward served as superintendent of the Sunday School until his death. He was a highly respected and well-loved member of the community.

Family: Edward and Letticia had several sons and daughters, many of whom married into other local families. They, along with many of their descendants, are buried here in Prairie Mound Cemetery.

Sources:

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