

Remember Them Forever

Name: Elijah Bays

Birth: 10 Jan 1846
Arkansas

Death: 06 May 1898
Denton County, Texas

Cemetery: Chinn's Chapel Cemetery

Cemetery Location: Copper Canyon, Denton County, Texas, USA

Plot GPS: 33° 05' 09" N, -97° 05' 14" W
Section IV, A5

Family: Elijah's mother is Clarisa. It appears on the 1860 census that Elijah had two older siblings and together they are living with their mother on a farm in Lewisville, valued at \$1400. Elijah married Mary Penina Hawk. They were blessed with many children

Military: CSA, Private with Company E, 29th Cavalry. Mr. Bays enlisted in August 1862 in Denton County. His initial Muster Regiment was 1st Chick Choc Cavalry

Civilian: Elijah registered to vote in Aug 1867 in Denton County.

Sources: The History of Chinn's Chapel by Shirley B. Faile, Ph. D. , Find-a-Grave, Index to Compiled Confederate Military Service Records (researched by Patricia Adkins-Rochette) found on Ancestry, Texas US Voter Registration Lists, 1860 US Federal Census

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