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Jaeger-Witte Cemetery [2006]

(aka: Hagedorn-Witte) [2006]

Latitude 30° 05' 42" - Longitude 96° 36' 46"

Located along 5800 Jaeger Rd. in the Winedale Community.

Carl Dietrich Hagedorn was an Evangelical Lutheran pastor and teacher in Lubbecke, Westphalia, Germany. He was born July 14, 1786, in Germany and married Marie Louise Knipping on February 2, 1826, and had 5 children. Their oldest daughter Anna Marie married Victor Witte and in April 1850, along with their two children and her brother Ferdinand, left for America arriving in Galveston June 1850; their destination was Washington County, Texas. Anna Marie's parents, Carl Dietrich and Marie Louise (Knipping) Hagedorn, and their daughter Adele, age 15, left for America arriving in Galveston December 28, 1853, going to Washington County where they stayed with their daughter Anna Marie and Victor Witte. Carl Dietrich Hagedorn soon bought property (about 100 acres) next to their daughter and son-in-law Victor Witte. This land was part of a larger tract of land owned by Hamilton Ledbetter and Samuel K. Lewis. Carl Dietrich donated land for the Witte/Hagedorn Cemetery shortly before he died, circa 1860. After the death of Carl and Marie Louise Hagedorn, the Hagedorn farm was divided among their children. Adele and her husband, Herman von Bieberstein, received the land where the cemetery was located. In 1899, Henry Claude Jaeger, Sr., born March 12, 1864, in Texas, and his wife Alvina (Tonn) Jaeger, born February 15, 1872, in Pudewitz, Posen, Germany, bought the Herman von Bieberstein farm. Additional land was set aside for a cemetery next to the Hagedorn/Witte Cemetery as a burial place for Jaeger family members. The Cemetery sites have since been combined and the name changed to the Jaeger/Witte Cemetery. Henry Claude Jaeger, Jr. bought the farm in 1932 from his dad, Henry Claude Jaeger, Sr. This site continues as the final resting place for Jaeger family descendants.

[The Hagedorn family members and Marie Lisette Witte were the first burials in this cemetery. There were no markers found for the four van den Heuvel family members. The historical information cited above is taken from the Hagedorn and Witte Family History Book.]

Altmann, Elsie (Witte), b. Sep 20, 1885, d. May 7, 1969, wife of Paul Altmann, daughter of Rudolph & Henrietta (Menn) Witte.

Altmann, Merton E., b. Jun 12, 1912, d. May 8, 1913, son of Paul & Elsie (Witte) Altmann.

Altmann, Paul H. b. Oct 30, 1884, d. Apr 20, 1958, husband of Elsie (Witte) Altmann, son of Heinrich & Sophie (Menn) Altmann.

Brandt, Marie (Witte), b. Dec 14, 1855, d. Aug 29, 1936, wife of William Brandt, daughter of Victor & Anna Maria (Hagedorn) Witte.

Brandt, Walter, b. Nov 11, 1876, d. Sep 26, 1902, son of William & Marie (Witte) Brandt, Woodmen of the World.

Brandt, William, b. Oct 4, 1853, d. Jan 2, 1938, husband of Marie (Witte) Brandt, son of William Brandt.

Dittrich, Elsie (Naegeli), b. Mar 6, 1891, d. Aug 5, 1914, wife of Otto Dittrich, daughter of Johann Albert & Francisca (Witte) Naegeli.

Dittrich, Infant, born and died Aug 15, 1914, child of Otto & Elsie (Naegeli) Dittrich.

Gummelt, Delvin R. "Jack", b. Nov 11, 1929, d. May 17, 1982, husband of Delores (Jaeger) Gummelt, son of Norman & Lydia Gummelt

Hagedorn, Carl Dietrich Rudolph, b. Jul 14, 1786 in Germany, d. about 1870, husband of: 1st Henriette Meyer, 2nd Marie Louise (Knipping) Hagedorn.

Hagedorn, Ferdinand, b. Sep 23, 1833 in Germany, d. before 1860, son of Carl D. R. & Marie Louise (Knipping) Hagedorn.

Hagedorn, Marie Louise (Knipping), b. (no date) in Germany, d. (no date), 2nd wife of Carl D. R. Hagedorn, daughter of Christian Philipp & Anna Elisabeth (Herschel) Knipping.

Jaeger, Alvine (Tonn), b. Feb 15, 1872, d. Mar 7, 1936, wife of Henry Claude Jaeger, Sr.

Jaeger, Benno Henry, b. Aug 30, 1899, d. Nov 16, 1990, husband of Louise (Steffen) Jaeger, son of Henry Claude, Sr. & Alvine (Tonn) Jaeger.

Jaeger, Henry Claude, Sr., b. Mar 12, 1864, d. Feb 1, 1943, husband of Alvine (Tonn) Jaeger, son of Peter and Regina (Ullrich) Jaeger.

Jaeger, Irvin Lloyd, b. Apr 24, 1930, d. Nov 22, 1972, son of Benno & Louise (Steffen) Jaeger.

Jaeger, Lillie (Neumann), b. Apr 8, 1913, in Shelby, d. Sep 26, 1995, wife of Henry Claude Jaeger, Jr., daughter of Theodore & Mary (Quade) Neumann.

Jaeger, Louise (Steffen), b. Jul 18, 1895, d. Dec 22, 1945, wife of Benno Jaeger, daughter of Heinrich & Louise (Wickel) Steffen.

Lange, David D., b. Jan 30, 1928, d. Nov 10, 1940, son of Bernhard & Paula (Altmann) Lange.

Naegeli, E., Infant, (no dates), child of Alfred & Lena (Stoerner) Naegeli, (fieldstone marker with initials N., E).

Naegeli, Francisca "Frances" (Witte), Apr 28, 1864, d. Dec 20, 1938, wife of Albert Naegeli, daughter of Victor & Anna Maria (Hagedorn) Witte.

Naegeli, Johann Albert, b. Apr 24, 1854, d. Mar 16, 1901, husband of Francis (Witte) Naegeli, son of Hans Heinrich & Anna Maria (Voegler) Naegeli.

Naegeli, L., Infant, (no dates), child of Alfred & Lena (Stoerner) Naegeli, (fieldstone marker with initials N., L).

Naegeli, M, Infant, (no dates), child of Alfred and Lena (Stoerner) Naegeli, (fieldstone marker with initials N., M).

Schlick, Agnes, b. 1873, d.1889, daughter of F. Albert & Helena Frances (Witte) Schlick.

Schlick, Edward, b. 1875, d. 1877, son of F. Albert & Helena Frances (Witte) Schlick.

Schlick, Nellie, b. 1883, d. 1889, daughter of F. Albert & Helena Frances (Witte) Schlick.

Schlick, Oscar, b. 1879, d. 1880, son of F. Albert & Helena Frances (Witte) Schlick.

Teague, Louis Lane, b. Dec 9, 1952, d. Aug 25, 1953, son of W. V. & Reta Ferm (Jordon) Teague.

van den Heuvel, Caroline Maria Amalia (Hagedorn), b. Aug 21, 1835, in Oldendorf, Germany, d. Feb 20, 1897, wife of Dietrich Alexander van den Heuvel, daughter of Carl Dietrich & Marie Louise (Knipping) Hagedorn, (no marker).

van den Heuvel, Dietrich Alexander, b. Jul 4, 1816, in Holland, d. Jan 6, 1897, husband of Caroline Maria Amalia (Hagedorn) van den Heuvel, son of Johannes & Charlotte Emilia Cecilia (Gordon) Van den Heuvel, (no marker).

van den Heuvel, Lina, b. (no date), d. after 1853, daughter of Dietrich Alexander & Caroline M.A. (Hagedorn) van den Heuvel, (no marker).

van den Heuvel, Rudolph, b. (no date), d. after 1853, son of Dietrich Alexander & Caroline M.A.(Hagedorn) van den Heuvel, (no marker).

von Bieberstein, Adele (Hagedorn), b. Sep 20, 1838, d. Apr 19, 1931, wife of Hermann von Bieberstein, daughter of Carl Dietrich & Marie Louise (Knipping) Hagedorn.

von Bieberstein, Fritz, b. Aug 1, 1857, d. Oct 9, 1882, son of Hermann & Adele (Hagedorn) von Bieberstein..

von Bieberstein, Hermann, b. Mar 12, 1823, d. Mar 18, 1906, husband of Adele (Hagedorn) von Bieberstein, son of Friedrich Christoph & Auguste (Lorenz) VonBieberstein.

von Bieberstein, Rudolph, b. Mar 11, 1880, d. Aug 4, 1935, husband of Estelle von Bieberstein, son of Hermann & Adele (Hagedorn) von Bieberstein.

Witte, Anna Marie (Hagedorn), b. Jul 14, 1827, d. Dec 16, 1900, wife of Victor Witte, daughter of Charles Hagedorn.

Witte, Bertha (Menn), b. Jun 16, 1863, d. Nov 30, 1943, wife of Armin Witte (he's buried in Cranfills Gap, TX), daughter of William & Wilhelmine Caroline (Albert) Menn.

Witte, Henrietta (Menn), b. Dec 26, 1859, d. May 15, 1917, wife of Rudolph Witte, daughter of William & Wilhelmine Caroline (Albert) Menn.

Witte, Infant , born & died Dec 5, 1883, son of Armin & Bertha (Menn) Witte.

Witte, Laura, b. Sep 29, 1881, d. Oct 16, 1900, daughter of Rudolph & Henrietta (Menn)Witte.

Witte, Marie Lisette, b. Nov 20, 1847, in Germany, d. circa 1850, age about 2 yrs., daughter of Victor & Anna Marie (Hagedorn) Witte.

Witte, Rudolph, b. Sep 23, 1857, d. May 22, 1934, husband of Henrietta (Menn) Witte, son of Victor & Anna (Hagedorn) Witte.

Witte, Rudolph V., b. Feb 10, 1896, d. Oct 8, 1918 killed in action as an Artilleryman with the 126th Field Artillery, Battery A, in Glasgow, Scotland, WW I.

Witte, Victor, b. Oct 13, 1820, in Blomberg, Germany, d. Oct 2, 1900, husband of Anna Maria (Hagedorn) Witte, son of Dr. Johann Ernst & Christiane Elizabeth (Linnemann) Witte.

Zemanek, Robert Allen, b. Jul 28, 1936, d. Nov 14, 1997, husband of Jeanette (Jaeger) Zemanek.