

ELK CREEK CEMETERY

This is a public cemetery and is accessible from the road. From Ansley, Custer County, Nebraska travel on Hwy 183, south, for 11 miles. At the gravel road (there is a sign here announcing the turn off to Cumro) turn and go 3/4 of a mile east. This cemetery is fenced in and has a large archway over the gate leading inside. The name Elk Creek Cemetery is written across the top of the arch. There is a marble sign in the southeast corner of the cemetery that reads; "In memory of all unmarked graves Elk Creek Cemetery Established Nov 22, 1887 Land donated by Howard Rood"

Arritt, __. A. 1891 (this is a homemade stone - there appears to have been an initial in front of the A., but it has been chipped away)
Bramer, Edwin Phillips, Feb 10, 1897 - Apr 11, 1985;
Bramer, Lena E. A., Oct 17, 1900 - Apr 25, 1997
Bramer, Wesley Eugene, Feb 7, 1936 - Dec 10, 1962
Bramer, Merlyn Charles, Feb 26, 1939 - Sep 27, 1940, son of Edwin & Lena Bramer
Bramer, Deanna Darlene, March 19, 1988, "Our Angel", dau of Ken & Sherry
Devish, Frank, 1854 - 1903
Devish, Fannie, 1852-1930
Devish, Charles, 1889-1899
Devish, Frank, 1885-1931 (these four stones are place in a row near the one stone; they appear to be for the same people - although the dates don't match correctly and the name is spelled differently)
Divis, Frank, "Father", died August 28, 1903, Aged 51 ys 11 ms 7 ds; 4 of these on same stone
Divis, Charley, died Feb 27, 1899, Aged 10 ys 9 ms; 4 of these on same stone
Divis, Fannie, died June 8, 1930, Aged 76 ys 10 ms 5 ds; 4, "Mother"4 of these on same stone
Divis, Frank, "Brother", died Dec 7, 1931, Aged 41 ys 6 ms 21 ds 4 of these on same stone
Lee, Arlene M., July 28, 1924 - June 2, 1981, Daughter
Lee, Andrew E., Apr 9, 1894 - Nov 18, 1976;
Lee, Hulda A. Oct 12, 1895 - Mar 12, 1992)
Porath, Reinhard, Apr 5, 1860 - July 6, 1934;
Porath, Amelia, Dec 10, 1872 - Oct 13, 1939
Porath, Samuel, Jan 23, 1897 - Dec 2, 1897
Porath, Leland H., Jan 25, 1942 - Jan 27, 1987
Porath, Lawrence, 1914-1914
Porath, Alton D., Dec 19, 1937
Rohde, Rosa Minnie, Jan 5, 1889 - Aug 23, 1889
Rohde, Albert J., Jan. 19, 1866 - May 4, 1946;
Rohde, Minnie, July 22, 1865 - Mar 10, 1911
Rohde, Herman Frank, 1891-1931
Rohde, Christlieb, Dec 14, 1827 - Jan 14, 1910
Rohde, Henrietta, Mar 25, 1838 (no other date shown at all appears to be missing a death date)
Rohde, Otto H., Feb 2, 1873 - Mar 16, 1960
Rood, Wilbert E., born Aug 9, 1886, died Feb 23, 1887, son of H. E. and D. A. Rood
Rood, Sarah, born Nov 7, 1827, died July 15, 1899, wife of W. H. H. Rood, "Gone but not forgotten"
Samp, Lute M. 1879 - 19__ (date was not completed - only the 19 is carved into the stone) – Samp, Lute M., Update: Lute Samp is not buried beside his wife, Luella. He died 09 September 1966 in Caldwell, Canyon, Idaho, and is buried there in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens. With his second wife. (Information

provided by Ardie Grimes)

Samp, Luella J. 1886 - 1935 –

Samp, Luella J., Update: Luella Josephine "Ella" Roeder Samp was born 12 January 1886 in Grant Township, Norton County, Kansas to William & Augusta Voss Roeder and died on 12 May 1935. She married Luther Louis M. "Lute" Samp on 23 March 1905 in Norton County, Kansas. Her sister, Elsie Roeder married George Samp, who was Lute's brother. They are buried in the Broken Bow cemetery. (Information provided by Ardie Grimes)

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