

Other Families of Lee Creek

Within the Lee Creek Valley was the Camedy, Squalls, Wakefield, and Nichols home places. Mr. Squalls ran a cedar mill. The cedar was cut from the many limestone glades in the surrounding area. The Wakefields and Nichols were intermarried and ran a large syrup mill. Mr. William Nichols was a revolutionary war soldier and is buried on Forest Service property in the mouth of Indian Tomb Hollow, east of the Alexander Motorway. The Nichols Cemetery is located on Forest Service property at the edge of the present day Dallas Yeager farm in Section 1 of township 8 South and Range 7 West.

The above was copied from the book "Warrior Mountains Folklore" page 100. Printed in Oct. 1995. I have spoke with the author, Ricky Butch Walker. Who is very much an expert of the Warrior Mountains, it's people (both past and present), the many different places within, and it's rich history. Ricky has written 4 books to date, on the Warrior Mountains. He has great knowledge of the different periods of Indians and early settlers of the Warrior Mountains.

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