

## Elmer C. Applegate

Occupant Name: Elmer C. Applegate

Location: **Section C**

Date of Birth: 3/25/1864

Date of Death: 4/27/1885

Date of Burial: 1885

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:

No legible headstone at site

### Death of a Promising Young Man.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of one of Ewing's promising and worthy young men, Elmer E. Appelgate, who departed this life on Monday morning at 7 o'clock. For many years he had been a sufferer from that dreaded disease—consumption, and for several months past had been confined to bed. He bore his affliction with calmness and resignation, and never uttered a word of complaint. Elmer was a model young man in every respect, and his death has thrown a pall of gloom over the entire community. He was a son of E. D. and Sarah E. Appelgate. The family have resided in Ewing for several years, and Elmer was well known and beloved by our people generally. His age was 21 years, 1 month and 2 days.

Elmer Applegate, ever since we have known him, had been a young man of good habits, and always mingled in the best society. He was kind and devoted to his friends, and his loss will be deeply mourned by all. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction, and they can only find consolation in the hope that Elmer has gone to a world free from sorrow and sickness, where he will abide in peace evermore.

The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with impressive services conducted at the residence by Rev. Thos. Harrison, after which the remains were conveyed to the New Cemetery and lain beneath the sod to rise no more until the resurrection morn.