



86B-004 Skinner Family Cemetery at Mansfield Site

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The Skinner Family Cemetery at Mansfield is the only remaining feature of the large nineteenth-century Skinner family plantation. The original site of Mansfield comprised Dr. John H. Skinner's late nineteenth-century house, the family cemetery, and at least four agricultural outbuildings. After the house and outbuildings were deemed ruinous and beyond salvage, the family cemetery was designated as a historic site. The cemetery, with its Victorian iron fencing and large trees, contains at least seven flat horizontal tombstones, with full-size slabs inscribed with the names of members of the Skinner family.