



Bettie Rackley

Mary Elizabeth “Bettie” (Ford) Rackley was born about 1846 in Tennessee. She was a daughter of Greenberry Ford (1817-about1901) in Dekalb County, Tennessee, and Eliza Ford (1817-?) of Tennessee.

On February 28, 1862 she married Ruffin Rackley in Dekalb County, Tennessee. Ruffin Rackley was born about 1818 in Franklin County, North Carolina, and died in July, 1890. He was the son of John Micajah Rackley (1758-1839) of Person County, North Carolina and Elizabeth Stallings of White County, Tennessee (1762-1829). John Micajah Rackley drew a pension for his work in the Revolutionary War.

Ruffin and Bettie had six children: John C (1863), James F (1866) and William F (1868).

Bettie Rackley was interred at Puckett Cemetery and then later disinterred and relocated at Mt Holly Cemetery. Noone was listed as being present at the disinterment.