



Henry Puckett

Henry Cherry Puckett was born August 2, 1861 in Smithville, Dekalb County, Tennessee and died August 8, 1944 in Dekalb County, Tennessee. He was a son of Henry Lyda Puckett (1816-1885) and Annie J Null (1830-1874).

On January 15, 1885 he married Lamenta Etta Reeves, the daughter of Jim Reeves (1845-?) and Sarah Jane Farmer (1845-?). Etta Reeves was born November 15, 1866 in Dekalb County, Tennessee and died August 29, 1930 in Dekalb County, Tennessee.

Henry and Etta reared a large family. Beginning in 1886 they had Annie, Flossie (1888), Henry E (1890), Mettie (1891), Jainnie (1895), Vennie (1896), Dewitt (1902), Vura (1904), Luther (1907) and Thoburn (1908).

Henry and Etta were interred at D T Puckett cemetery, and were later disinterred and relocated at Mt Holly cemetery. It is recorded that Luther, one of the younger sons, was present at Etta's disinterment, but noone was present at Henry's. This is probably in error. Luther, more than likely, was present when both were disinterred.