



Lucian Daniel Watson

Lucian Daniel Watson was born August 9, 1858 in Dekalb County, Tennessee and died July 3, 1937 in Tennessee. He was a son of Allen Watson (1809-1885) of North Carolina and Margaret Bates (1821-1900) of Tennessee.

On December 22, 1887 he married Martha Delaney, the daughter of James Marion Delaney (1838-1922) of Van Buren County, Tennessee and Nancy Cantrell (1833-1895). Martha Dulaney was born November 13, 1867 and died January 25, 1895. The February 15, 1895 issue of The Liberty Herald begins with the statement "Mrs Mattie Watson, wife of Daniel Watson, died of the consumption." The same issue says "J M Dulaney of Illinois is in our country. He was called to the bedside of his daughter, Mrs Watson."

Lucian Daniel and Martha had three children: Julia (1889), Elzen (1891) and Shelvy (1894).

Lucian married again on April 21, 1896, in Dekalb County, Tennessee, Mary F Hailes, the daughter of Jesse Hailes (1824-after 1900) and Lenetter Coggin (1822-before 1900). Mary was born August 5, 1865 in Dekalb County, Tennessee and died September 18, 1911 in Tennessee. They raised a family of four children: Mattie Vera (1897), Leslie Grady (1900) Verva Estel (1901), and Jessie (1908).

Lucian Watson was interred at Alpha Watson cemetery and was later disinterred and relocated at Mt Holly cemetery. His daughter Jessie (Watson) Walker was present at his disinterment.