

Matilda Simpson (Foster) New

Matilda Foster was born October 29, 1811 in Caswell County, North Carolina and died in Dekalb County, Tennessee January 12, 1846. She was the daughter of Robert F Foster (1784-1843) and Elizabeth Grant (1786-1856) both of Caswell County, North Carolina.

On October 26, 1832 she married in Wilson County, Tennessee Nelson M New of Georgia. He was born about July 17, 1803 and died in Dekalb County, Tennessee July 13, 1877. His parents were William New (1761-1839) and Elizabeth Peters (1762-1808).

Matilda (Foster) and Nelson M New had the following children: Elizabeth F (1833), Mary F (1835), Hester Ann (1837), Martha (1839), Louisa (1841), an infant (1842/3) and Ellen (1844).

Matilda New was interred at T B Helm cemetery, and was later disinterred and relocated at Mt Holly cemetery. Her daughters Louiza and Ellen and the infant were disinterred with her and also relocated at Mt Holly. Matilda's daughter Hester married Dr Ezekiel Timothy Rose, M D and had six children. One was Ira B Rose who was listed as being present at his mother's and sister's disinterments.