



**Watkins Lee Foster**

**Watkins Lee Foster was born October 9, 1832 and died May 20, 1920. He was a son of Eppsolum Foster (1787-1864) and Sarah R Vasser (1797-1843). He was born and died at Silver Point in Dekalb County, Tennessee.**

**On June 17, 1866 he married Susan Prudence Alsup, daughter of Hyrum Alsup (1809-1855) and Morning Alsup (1819-1871). She was born February 13, 1831 in Wilson County, Tennessee and died March 13, 1925 at Silver Point, Dekalb County, Tennessee.**

**Watkins and Susan Foster had these children: Samuel (1867), William Clayburn (1867), Elijah Alsup (1869), Robert Lee (1871), Eppes (1873), John (1874), Samuel Nelson (1876) and George Hiram (1878).**

**Watkins fought in the Civil War for the Confederacy in A Company, 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion (Colm's) Tennessee Infantry.**

**He was buried at Moss Generation Cemetery and later was disinterred and relocated at Mt Holly Cemetery. His granddaughter, Mrs Jewel Walker, was present at the disinterment**