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RUFUS H DONALD

Enlisted as a private for service in the Confederate States Army, April 28, 1864 at Demopolis, Al by C.A. Huddleston for a period of three years. He was taken prisoner when his company surrendered at Citronelle, Al on May 4, 1865. Rufus was paroled June 8, 1865 at Mobile, Al. He was five feet six inches in height, had florid complexion, gray eyes and brown hair, and was 47 years old when he was paroled.

Rufus H Donald was born in Fl to Lige and Malinda Jane Deal Donald. They left Fl because of the uprising with the Seminole Indians, where his father was killed, and moved to MS. He married second Sarah J Ables, Feb 5, 1855 and they had two children who were John and Stephen. Rufus, had Malinda A, Elijah and Orena by his first wife. They family farmed in Madison County, MS
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