

her youngest brother, Elias Britton Keen.

REFERENCES: Elias E. Johnson family Bible; 1850 & 1860 Columbia Co., Fl. census; 1870 Manatee Co., Fl. census; 1880 Polk Co., Fl. census; Elizabeth Johnson's pension application; Elias E. Johnson's military service records; Fort Ogden & Corinth Cemetery records.



ELIAS E. & ELIZABETH (KEEN)
JOHNSON (above)



MRS. ELIZABETH JOHNSON
IN LATER YEARS (right)



ROWLAND WILLIAMS 1812-1867

Rowland Williams was born in Bryan County, Georgia on February 16, 1812 son of Roland Williams and Jincy (Jane) Banks. He was a veteran of the Seminole Indian Wars in the Florida Territory. His first enlistment was in December of 1835 under Capt. Andrew Jackson Bird's Company. At the time of his enlistment he was 23 years old, 5'8" tall with black hair and his occupation was farming. He joined Capt. Niblack's Company in 1836 at Alligator (Lake City), Fla. He enlisted as a Private at Jacksonville on June 17, 1837 under Capt. William Haddock's 1st Regiment of Florida Mtd. Volunteers and served until Sept. 18, 1837. He next enrolled on Nov. 14, 1839 as a Private in Capt. Andrew Jackson Bird's Company, 1st Regiment of Fla. Mtd. Volunteer Militia commanded by Col. John Warren and was paid from Dec. 3, 1839