range 21. This was located southwest of Sandy. He later sold it to Luke Altman. Herod & Eliza Keen were listed in the 1895 State Census of Florida in Manatee County. Living in their home were

Barnet, 19, Elza, 16, Jack, 9 and an infant.
On August 6, 1907 Herod Keen applied for a Confederate pension. He gave his age as 73 years and that he resided at Tura, Florida. His brother, Jesse Keen, gave an affidavit stating that they served in the same company during the war. He submitted another application on September 3, 1909 for a pension under the Act of 1909. He was 74 years old and his post office was Lily, Florida. He was disabled with rheumatism and blind in one eye. Newton J. Arnold gave an affidavit stating that they were in the same company. Herod's pension was approved September 23, 1909 and he received \$120 per year.

Herod owned cattle but later sold them to Washington Keen. He later worked in an orange grove in the Lily area. He died on

December 27, 1909 and was buried in the Sardis Cemetery.

The 1910 DeSoto County census listed Liza Keen, age 63 living in Lily with children Jackson Keen, 23 and Lovy Keen, 15. On January 19, 1910 Eliza applied for a widow's pension. It was approved & she received \$120 per year.

Eliza (Boyd) Keen died September 28, 1924.

REFERENCES: Herod Keen's pension application; Eliza Keen's widow's pension application; Lily, Sardis, New Zion cemeteries; Confederate military service records; J. E. Keen death certificate; marriage records of Manatee & DeSoto counties; 1870, 1880, 1885, 1895 Manatee County census; 1910 DeSoto County census; Dennis & Ollie Keen, Myakka City; Hollie Taylor, Myakka City; Lorena Keen, Alva; John Waldron, Gainesville; Lillie Rogers, Parrish; Opal McCray, Arcadia; Ruby Keen Collins; Eunice Keen, Lakeland.

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## GLADES COUNTY: ORTONA CEMETERY

Mar. 20, 1865 - Sept. 28, 1959 Nancy E. DANIELS

William M. DANIELS 1842 - 1924

Harry DANIELS 1920 - 1928

William J. CURRY 1870 - 1950

Archie Lee RAULERSON, Pvt, U S Army, WWII Jan. 7, 1917 - Nov. 12, 1983

Vivian L. HAMAN 1931 - 1963

Avant BROWN 1902 - 1953

Ronald Earl BRYANT 2-14-1944 died 9-29-1979

Rossie BRYANT 1905 - 1975

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