

Individual Summary for Hiram ALLEN-258

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Event	Date(s)	Place	Description
Born	1768/1772		
Christened			
Died	1813	, , LA	
Buried	1813	, , LA	
Nickname: AKA: Married Name:			
Sex: M		ID:	AFN:
Last Changed: 24 Jun 2001			

Parents

MRIN	Father	Relationship	Mother	Relationship
127	Benjamin ALLEN-148	Biological	Mary -1940	Biological

Marriages

MRIN	Spouse	Marriage Date/Place
196	Mary Suzanna ALLEN-3391	Abt 1793

Notes

!From Katherine Allen Harison," A Hiram Allen died between 1812/1814 (So could have been in or following The Battle of Medina). His widow Mary Ann Allen married Drury Thompson in St Landry Ph La in 1814. John W.Allen who married Mary Holcombe is the son of Hiram Allen. We know Hiram is a brother to Martin Allen because in Martin's petition to The Republic of Texas he states that his brother was a member of the Gutierrez/Magee Expedition that was all but wiped out in The Battle of Medina where Benjamin Allen was killed.We know that Hiram lived in N. La where Martin lived and after the battle Hiram's wife remarried in N. La. He may have been wounded, made his way back to N. La., and then died?

THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE CAMPBELL COUNTY, KENTUCKY TAX LIST RELATIVE TO HIRAM ALLEN:

6 July 1795 - lived at Wilmington, owned 1 lot (So did Benjamin)
 29 July 1796 - 1 male above 21
 1797 - 1 male above 21 - 1 town lot
 1798 - 1 tithable above 21 - 1 town lot
 1799 - records water soaked-almost impossible to read
 1899 - See 2nd Census of KY

NOTE:Probate proceedings #99B Hiram Allen Dec 15, 1818 Parish of St. Landry Louisiana
 William Campbell and Mary Ann Allen, wife of Drury Thompson, of St. Landry Parish, appoint Drury Thompson attorney in fact in Estate of Hiram Allen, deceased. Witnesses included Sarah Allen, wife of William Campbell.

NOTE: Court Proceedings, St.Landry Ph. La. 15 January 1820: Family

Notes (Continued)

meeting called for Rebecca Allen, aged 11 years; Nesbett Allen, aged 16; James Allen, aged 15; and Mary Allen, about 19 years of age. Drury Thompson appointed tutor to Rebecca and curator ad bona to other 3, these 4 being minor heirs of Hiram Allen, deceased.

Mrs Verena L. Garvey (Mrs Wallace L. Garvey, 106 Primera Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78212, as of June 29, 1984) is a descendant of Hiram Allen and exchanged information with Katherine Allen Harrison from 1971 through June of 1984. Following is an excerpt from some of Mrs Garvey's letters:

"The 1860 census of Angelina County, Texas shows John Calhoun Allen as being 65 years of age and born in Kentucky. He married Mary Holcombe about 1818 around Claiborne Parish, Louisiana (He is a son of Hiram Allen)."

"Several years ago, I employed Mrs. S. J. Nations of Shreveport, La. to search and exhaust all possible records of Claiborne Parish. In her report she gave the following miscellaneous item: Connecticut Hist. Soc, Vol VIII, Page 39, March 1776. MARTIN ALLEN enlisted Feb 6, 1776 on the pay roll of Capt. Titus Watson's Co., being the 8th Co. in C. Charles Burrells Battalion, Conn. Battalion. THE SAMENESS OF THE NAME MAKES ONE WONDER??? (Could this person be an early ancestor of our Martin, Benjamin and Hiram? It is not our Martin as he was not born in 1776).

"Another puzzle to me is my great-grandmother, Rebecca ALLEN McAuley moved with two sons to Kimble County, Texas in 1881. Her husband, Cornelius McAuley, had died in Coleman County, Texas a short time before. THEY HAD COME FROM CLAIBORNE PARISH, LOUISIANA! One of her sons, a bachelor, often went to Angelina County, Texas and spent the winters with his Allen relatives there.

In those early days Rebecca Allen McAuley loaned money she had to H. H. "TIP" Allen in Kimble County. I do not know from whence Tip Allen had come nor when he left Kimble County but there is still a safe in existence there, I understand, that has his name on it. I wonder if the Tip Allen was related to Rebecca and if he could have been the son of JOHN CALHOUN ALLEN and MARY HOLCOMBE, who was born 24 May 1829 or 1830. John was born in Claiborne Parish, Louisiana and died in Angelina County, Texas." (Was there a Harmon Holcombe Allen?)"

Hiram, along with brother Martin and father Benjamin are listed on the Old Attakapas Census (Present day St Mary's Parish, Louisiana, and surrounding Parishes) in the year 1810.

Did Hiram have addition children other than those shown for him? If so was there a Harmon Holcombe "Tip" Allen child who resided at one time in Kimble County, Texas?