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New on the AFO Web Site

by Linda Allred Cooper

Have you visited the AFO web site lately? If not, you've missed a lot of new information posted there. Check it out and check back often as more information, photos, copies of original documents and family histories are posted there every week. The address is www.allredfamily.com. For the very latest information, simply click on "What's New." Don't have a computer? Visit your local library.

The most recent new postings include:

- Copies of the documents found on the Allred men who served during the American Revolution;
- Copies of the documents found during our recent research project: The Allred and Pemberton Family of Eccles Parish, Lancashire, England;
- The Journal of Byron Harvey Allred, Jr.;
- Portions of the Diary of Reddick Newton Allred;
- Photos and information about Elizabeth Allred Horner (daughter of the "original" John);
- Copies of the original handwritten 1755 Orange County, North Carolina, Tax List;
- Photos of Allred Tombstones taken in Richmond County, North Carolina;
- Article (with photo) about the Allred Family of Indian Tomb Hollow, Blount County, Alabama, and
- And much more!

Rocky Mountain Allred Reunion

by Bob Olson, RMA President

The Rocky Mountain Allred's held their annual Reunion at a new site this year. Since 1989 we have held an annual reunion in Spring City, Utah. Several family members suggested we try having a reunion closer to where many of the members live. So the reunion was held June 19 at Murray City Park near Salt Lake City this year.

We had several shaded pavilions reserved with

plenty of seating. We had more than 150 people in attendance during the day. Linda Allred Bronson and her family did an outstanding job of organizing the reunion. There was good food available and plenty of entertainment



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Pat Allred Schieb, founding editor of the AFO Newsletter.

2004 Allred Reunions

Randolph County

Gray's Chapel School

Intersection of Hwy 22 and Old Liberty Road

Randolph County, North Carolina

September 9 - 12, 2004

Thursday, September 9: Spend a day at the North Carolina State Archives. We'll leave from the WalMart parking lot in Asheboro at 8 a.m., travelling in two 15 passenger vans to the archives in downtown Raleigh. The North Carolina State Library and North Carolina Genealogy Library are located within the same building as the archives, so you'll have access to all three. Serious researchers can enjoy working with the original documents including wills, estate records, court records, bonds and much more. Yes, you can touch and hold the actual document! There is a Security Check and you are required to show a photo ID. If you plan to attend, please contact Linda ASAP so she can get your ID information and have you pre-signed to expedite the security process. We eat lunch and supper in Raleigh, returning to Asheboro around 8 p.m.

Friday, September 10: Our Annual Tour of Family and Historic Sites in Randolph County is scheduled. In the past years, this tour was hosted on Sunday. We will visit the original Allred family land, old cemeteries, and hear stories from the War of the Regulation, Revolutionary War and Civil War while visiting historic sites in the county. Please RSVP for this so we can make plans for transportation. Vans will leave from Gray's Chapel School parking lot at 9 a.m. Lunch at Capt. Tom's Seafood Restaurant. The tour usually ends around 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 11: The Main Reunion Day!
9:am Doors Open
10:30am: Family Meeting and Welcome Announcements
Noon: Covered Dish / Pot Luck Lunch
1pm: Enjoy some old fashioned Gospel Music throughout the afternoon

1:30 pm: Genealogy Session - The Allred Family in the Revolutionary War. Raffle drawings all day long!

Sunday, September 12: New This Year: Sunday: activities start at 10 a.m. and last all afternoon. Covered Dish / Pot Luck lunch at noon. We will spend the day enjoying a picnic in the Allred-Trogdon Cemetery. The ECAFA are proud of all their hard work cleaning and

preserving this ancient abandoned cemetery where some of Randolph County's original settlers are buried, including the "original" William and his wife, Elizabeth Diffie Allred. We will have a relaxed schedule.

If you wish, poke around to see if you can find buried tombstones. If you are up to the challenge, ECAFA members will show you how to do tombstone rubbings. Can you read the writing and identify the ancestor buried there? Dress appropriately. We will be in the woods. The cemetery itself is cleared and free of underbrush. Bring yard chairs if you can. Some benches and seating are provided, but not enough for everyone. The ECAFA will provide ice, cups, drinks, plates and eating utensils, but you bring the rest. You will be able to drive and park within a short distance of the cemetery. Rides are provided for anyone unable to walk the rest of the way.

For more information or hotel and camping advice, contact, Linda Allred Cooper, 919/642-0422 or lacooper@mindspring.com or Eddie Clay Allred, 336/672-1229 or eddiepot1@earthlink.net.

Texas Reunion

October 9-10, 2004

Quanah, Texas

The Texas reunion began as a way of getting the descendants of Calvin (1871-1951) and Ellena Allred Rowland (1882-1973) together. Ellena descended from the "original" Thomas Allred who first appeared in North Carolina land records in 1755.

This year Allreds from many different branches of the family tree are expected. For motel needs contact either, Casa Royale Inn, 940/663-6341 or Quanah Parker Inn, 940/663-6365. Camping is available at the Cotton Gin in Goodlet about 10 miles west of Quanah on Hwy 287. There is also camping at Copper Breaks State Park about 16 miles south of Quanah.

For more information, contact Mirion Cloud, 817/444-4397 or scmc@highstream.net.

Melissa Allred Teacher of the Year

Melissa Allred, a fifth-grade teacher at Guy B. Teachey Elementary School, was chosen Asheboro City Schools Teacher of the Year. Asheboro is county seat of Randolph County, North Carolina.

She has taught for 10 years and the last six with the Asheboro City Schools at Teachey. She decided in the third grade to become a teacher. "I remember pestering my third-grade teacher for worksheets and nubs of chalk," she told the Asheboro *Courier-Tribune*.

Melissa and her husband, Steven, are the parents of an 8-year-old son, Sean. Her in-laws are Eddie Clay and Carolyn Allred.

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Rocky Mountain Allred Reunion

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for the kids. There was a Bouncy House (thanks Carl), a trampoline, and a nice cloudburst everyone got to run from.

Several years ago it was decided that we would have the president of the RMA organization serve two years. We elected Larry Allred as president and Norma Allred and me, as vice-presidents. Larry finished his two years, so I have the privilege for the next two years then Norma will follow. We elected Kay Allred as a new vice-president. He will follow Norma. I would like to thank Larry for all the hard work he has done for the family as president. I also would like to thank him for all the hard work he will probably still be doing in the future.

During our business meeting, we had a discussion about where next year's reunion should be held. When we decided to hold this year's reunion in the Salt Lake City area, we thought we would try have a reunion in Spring City every other year. There was general agreement by family members to hold next year's reunion in Spring City. So we will work towards making that happen, and then see where we go from there. Most of the family members said they would attend the reunion, wherever it was held. We had a report on the DNA project and a genealogy report from Dawnell Griffin and Alice Allred Pottmyer. It seems the family is definitely of English origin. A plaque was presented to first newsletter editor, Pat Allred Schieb, for her 11 years of service to the Allred family.

We had never hosted a reunion at Murray City Park, so there was a learning curve. The park has several entrances, so there was a certain amount of confusion. I apologize to those who had difficulties. If we decide to do another reunion there, we will provide better instructions and more signs.

Thanks to each of you who attended, I saw a lot of folks enjoying each others company, and I really enjoyed seeing each of you.



Food could be purchased all day under the reunion tent. Balloons were also available. Neileen Allred and Sandy Allred (left to right) were among the helpers. The young woman in the middle is not identified.



Exchange of Allred Family information is an important reunion activity. Charles Augade, Bernice Augade, Ron Hall and Dawnalyn Hall (left to right) discuss family history.



Dawnell Griffin reported to the RMA reunion on British research.

Allred Family Crest

The Rocky Mountain Allred's have a Stained Glass Overlay of the Allred Coat of Arms, (Crest) that was previously announced to be for an auction. No one bid on this item and it is believed that it was because of the high cost of the item. So, at the Rocky Mountain Allred Reunion, held June 19 at Murray Park in Salt Lake City, it was decided to raffle the crest at \$10 per ticket. This would give everyone a chance to claim the Allred Coat of Arms, rather than a select few, as it would have been with the auction.

The deadline to purchase raffle tickets is September 15. Checks to the Rocky Mountain Allred's should be sent to Larry C. Allred, 447 North 200 East, Farmington, Utah 84025. Please include your address and phone number with your check. For further information, contact Larry at 801/451-2742 or larry.allred@utsalt.ang.af.mil.

You may purchase as many tickets as you like. The drawing will be held September 25 at the RMA business meeting. The winner will immediately be contacted, and will also be announced in issue # 61 of the Newsletter.



Allreds in the Civil War: We Were a Divided Family

The United States National Park Service maintains the Civil War Battlefields. As a result, a list of those men that served in both sides of this war is maintained on their Web site. This Web site, (itd.nps.gov), lists 386 men with the surname Allred or one of the common derivations.

More than three and a half million served on both sides of the war, but the total listing has more than five million names. This is because the clerk wrote down how he thought the name was spelled or a person in one military unit was often reassigned to other unit or joined another unit. Note: In the Union listing Allred listing 9. Gamblin M. Allred, 1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry; Alred 6. Gamblin Alred, same unit; Allread 1, Gamblin Allread, same unit, and Alread 1. Gamblin M. Alread, same unit. This is probably the same man, but he has four listings. In the first two Confederate listings, A.C. Allred was probably the same man that served in two different units. Also, if you know you had an ancestor who was in the Civil War and you don't find his listing under Allred, check one of the other spellings. You may find him there.

The breakout of the list is:

Surname	Confederate	Union
Allred	141	31
Alred	70	17
Alldred	5	1
Aldred	51	14
Allread	22	10
Alread	13	11
<u>Totals</u>	<u>302</u>	<u>84</u>

Allred

Grand Total 386

Union Army

No.	Soldier Name	Function	Regiment Name
1.	Allred, Alphonso	Infantry	8th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
2.	Allred, Anderson	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Iowa Cavalry
3.	Allred, Andrew J.	Cavalry	11th Regiment, Illinois Cavalry
4.	Allred, Cyrus J.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Missouri State Militia Cavalry
5.	Allred, Erin	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Illinois Cavalry
6.	Allred, Francis	Infantry	156th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
7.	Allred, Francis	Infantry	138th Regiment, Illinois Infantry (100 days, 1864)
8.	Allred Francis M.	Infantry	58th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
9.	Allred, Gamblin M.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
10.	Allred, Garrison	Infantry	20th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
11.	Allred, George N.	Infantry	130th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
12.	Allred, Henry	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
13.	Allred, J.	Infantry	Unassigned US Volunteer Infantry
14.	Allred, James	Infantry	1st Regiment, US Volunteer Infantry
15.	Allred, James	Infantry	Unassigned US Volunteer Infantry
16.	Allred, Jeremiah	Infantry	151st Regiment, Indiana Infantry
17.	Allred, Jesse	Infantry	91st Regiment, Illinois Infantry
18.	Allred, John T.	Infantry	47th Regiment, Iowa Infantry (100 days, 1864)
19.	Allred, John W.	Infantry	147th Regiment, Indiana Infantry

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Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
20.	Allred, Jonathan	Infantry	1st Regiment, US Veteran Volunteer Infantry
21.	Allred, Joseph R.	Cavalry	14th Regiment, Kansas Cavalry
22.	Allred, Lemuel Q.	Cavalry	11th Regiment, Illinois Cavalry
23.	Allred, Levi J.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Minnesota Infantry
24.	Allred, Levi J.	Artillery	1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery
25.	Allred, Moses	Infantry	34th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
26.	Allred, Samuel	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
27.	Allred, Solomon R.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Missouri State Militia Cavalry
28.	Allred, Thomas T.	Infantry	40th Regiment, Missouri Infantry
29.	Allred, William	Infantry	31st Regiment, Missouri Infantry
30.	Allred, William H.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Missouri State Militia Cavalry
31.	William H.	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry

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Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Allred, A. C.	Infantry	11th Battalion, Louisiana Infantry
2.	Allred, A. C.	Infantry	Consolidated Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry
3.	Allred, Aaron		6th Regiment, North Carolina Senior Reserve
4.	Allred, Alfred	Cavalry	Holloway's Company, Alabama Cavalry
5.	Allred, Allen	Infantry	50th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
6.	Allred, Arlendo W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
7.	Allred, Benjamin F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
8.	Allred, Blackstone W.	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
9.	Allred, Burrell K.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
10.	Allred, C. F.	Infantry	11th Battalion, Louisiana Infantry
11.	Allred, Calvin	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry.
12.	Allred, Calvin C.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
13.	Alfred Charles	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
14.	Allred, Charles	Infantry	16th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
15.	Allred, Clarkson		Townsend's Company, North Carolina State Troops
16.	Allred, Clemmons M.	Infantry	14th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
17.	Allred, D. Franklin	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
18.	Allred D.W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
19.	Allred, Daniel	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
20.	Allred, Daniel F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
21.	Allred, Doctor F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
22.	Allred, Duncan M.	Infantry	9th Regiment, Florida Infantry
23.	Allred, E.	Infantry	32nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry (Lenoir Braves)
24.	Allred, E.E.		Cherokee Legion, Georgia (State Guards)
25.	Allred, Eli W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry

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<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
26.	Allred, Elias R.	Cavalry	9th Battalion, Georgia Cavalry (State Guards)
27.	Allred, Elijah	Cavalry	5th Regiment, North Carolina Cavalry
28.	Allred, Elisha	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
29.	Allred, Elish T.	Cavalry	29th Regiment, Texas Cavalry (DeMorse's)
30.	Allred Emsley	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
31.	Allred, Franklin		Camp of Instructions, Talladega, Alabama
32.	Allred, Frederick C.		25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
33.	Allred, Gamblen	Infantry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
34.	Allred, George	Infantry	35th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5th Infantry) (1st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
35.	Allred, H.V.		5th Regiment, North Carolina Senior Reserves
36.	Allred, H.W.	Artillery	14th Battalion, Georgia Light Artillery (Montgomery's)
37.	Allred, H.W.	Artillery	King's Battery, Georgia Light Artillery
38.	Allred, Hansford	Infantry	24th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
39.	Allred, Hanson D.	Infantry	34th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
40.	Allred, Henry	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
41.	Allred, Henry C.	Cavalry	5th Regiment, North Carolina Cavalry
42.	Allred, Henry C.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
43.	Allred, Henry H.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
44.	Allred, Isaac	Artillery	2nd Regiment, North Carolina Artillery
45.	Allred, Isaac	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
46.	Allred, Isaac N.	Cavalry	24th Battalion, Mississippi Cavalry (Moorman's)
47.	Allred, J.	Infantry	2nd Regiment, Florida Infantry
48.	Allred, J.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
49.	Allred, J.E.	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
50.	Allred, J.J.	Infantry	2nd Regiment, Mississippi Infantry (State Troops) (Quinn's)
51.	Allred, J.O.	Infantry	33rd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
52.	Allred, J.W.	Infantry	13th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
53.	Allred, Jackson A.	Infantry	50th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
54.	Allred, James	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
55.	Allred, James	Cavalry	Holloway's Company, Alabama Cavalry
56.	Allred, James	Infantry	5th Battalion, Alabama Infantry Volunteers
57.	Allred, James	Cavalry	10th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry (Witt's)
58.	Allred James A.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
59.	Allred, James A.	Infantry	36th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
60.	Allred, James C.	Infantry	12th Regiment, Louisiana Infantry
61.	Allred, James E.	Infantry	12th Regiment, Louisiana Infantry
62.	Allred, James F.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
63.	Allred, James F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
64.	Allred, James L.	Infantry	Griffin's Battalion, Texas Infantry (Griffin's Regiment) (21st Infantry)
65.	Allred, James L.	Infantry	19th Regiment, Alabama Infantry

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66.	Allred, John	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
67.	Allred, John		Floyd Legion, Georgia (State Guards)
68.	Allred, John	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
69.	Allred, John	Infantry	21st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
70.	Allred, John	Cavalry	7th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
71.	Allred, John A.	Cavalry	10th Regiment, Texas Cavalry (Locke's)
72.	Allred, John C.	Infantry	43rd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
73.	Allred John E.	Infantry	44th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
74.	Allred, John H.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
75.	Allred, John L.	Infantry	58th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
76.	Allred, John P.	Infantry	57th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
77.	Allred, John W.	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
78.	Allred, John W.	Infantry	13th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
79.	Allred, Jonathan	Infantry	2nd Regiment, Florida Infantry
80.	Allred, Joseph	Infantry	29th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
81.	Allred, Joseph	Engineers	2nd Regiment, Confederate Engineer Troops
82.	Allred, L. M.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
83.	Allred, Lathan	Infantry	14th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (Powers')
84.	Allred, Lemuel	Infantry	29th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
85.	Allred, Lemuel	Cavalry	Holloway's Company, Alabama Cavalry
86.	Allred, Masten	Infantry	65th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
87.	Allred, Milton	Artillery	10th Battalion, North Carolian Heavy Artillery
88.	Allred, N. C.	Artillery	14th Battalion, Georgia Light Artillery (Montgomery's)
89.	Allred, N. C.	Artillery	Havis' Battery, Georgia Light Artillery
90.	Allred, N. C.	Artillery	King's Battery, Georgia Light Artillery
91.	Allred, Nat. C.	Infantry	18th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
92.	Allred, Nathaniel	Infantry	18th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
93.	Allred, Osmond	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
94.	Allred, Philip	Infantry	26th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
95.	Allred, R. W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
96.	Allred, R. W.	Infantry	26th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
97.	Allred, Reuben, R.	Infantry	42nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
98.	Allred, Richard	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Missouri Cavalry State Guard (1st Division)
99.	Allred, S. B.	Infantry	19th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
100.	Allred, S. B.	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
101.	Allred, S. H.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
102.	Allred, S. A.	Infantry	35th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5th Infantry) (1st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
103.	Allred, S. A.	Infantry	32nd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
104.	Allred, Samuel	Infantry	16th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
105.	Allred, Samuel A.	Infantry	35th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5th Infantry) (1st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
106.	Allred, Samuel C.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry

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107.	Allred, Samuel D.	Infantry	20th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
108.	Allred, Samuel H.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
109.	Allred, Saul A.	Infantry	35th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5th Infantry) (1st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
110.	Allred, Seaborn	Infantry	8th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
111.	Allred, Solomon	Infantry	31st Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
112.	Allred, Solomon		15th Regiment, Arkansas Militia
113.	Allred, Stephen	Infantry	8th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
114.	Allred, T.J.	Infantry	11th Battalion, Louisiana Infantry
115.	Allred, T. J.	Infantry	Consolidated Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry
116.	Allred, Thomas	Infantry	17th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (Lemoyne's)
117.	Allred, Thomas	Infantry	21st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
118.	Allred, Thomas J.	Cavalry	Lewis' Battalion, Alabama Cavalry
119.	Allred, Thomas M.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
120.	Allred, Thomas M.	Infantry	10th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
121.	Allred, Thomas M.	Cavalry	10th Regiment, Texas Cavalry (Locke's)
122.	Allred, Tolbert J.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
123.	Allred, Uell L.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
124.	Allred, W. H.	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
125.	Allred, W. B.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Mississippi Infantry (State Troops) (King's)
126.	Allred, W. B.	Infantry	40th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
127.	Allred, W. B. (William Brantley Allred)	Infantry	43rd Regiment, Georgia Infantry (Pickens Volunteers)
128.	Allred, W. J.	Infantry	16th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
129.	Allred, W. P.	Cavalry	7th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
130.	Allred, William	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
131.	Allred, William	Infantry	14th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
132.	Allred, William	Cavalry	Martin's Regiment, Texas Cavalry (5th Partisan Rangers)
133.	Allred, William	Artillery	3rd Regiment, North Carolina Artillery
134.	Allred, William B.	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
135.	Allred, William C.	Infantry	33rd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
136.	Allred, William C.	Infantry	24th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
137.	Allred, William F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
138.	Allred, William J.	Infantry	59th Regiment, Tennessee Mounted Infantry (Cooke's) (Eakin's 1st Battalion)
139.	Allred, William R.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
140.	Allred, Y. N.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
141.	Allred, Yancey	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry

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1.	Alred, Anderson	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Iowa Cavalry
2.	Alred, Emerson	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Ohio Cavalry
3.	Alred, Erin	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Illinois Cavalry
4.	Alred, Francis	Infantry	156th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
5.	Alred, Francis M.	Infantry	58th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
6.	Alred, Gamblin M.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
7.	Alred, Garrison	Infantry	20th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
8.	Alred, George N.	Infantry	130th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
9.	Alred, Henry	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
10.	Alred Jeremiah	Infantry	151st Regiment, Indiana Infantry
11.	Alred, Jesse	Infantry	91st Regiment, Illinois Infantry
12.	Alred, John F.	Infantry	8th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
13.	Alred John T.	Infantry	47th Regiment, Iowa Infantry (100 days, 1864)
14.	Alred, Jon F.	Infantry	6th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
15.	Alred, Joseph R.	Cavalry	14th Regiment, Kansas Cavalry
16.	Alred, Levi J.	Artillery	1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery

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1.	Alred, A.E.	Cavalry	6th Regiment, North Carolina Cavalry
2.	Alred, A. L.	Cavalry	Martin's Regiment, Texas Cavalry (5th Partisan Rangers)
3.	Alred, Abner S.	Infantry	14th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (McCarver's)
4.	Alred, Absalom	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
5.	Alred, Allen		1st Regiment, Georgia Reserves (Fannin's)
6.	Alred, B.A.		3rd Battalion, North Carolina Junior Reserves
7.	Alred, Burrell K.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry
8.	Alred, C. J.		Cumberland County Battalion, North Carolina Detailed Men
9.	Alred, Calvin	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
10.	Alred, Charles	Infantry	16th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
11.	Alred, Charles	Cavalry	12th Regiment, Alabama Cavalry
12.	Alred, Charles	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
13.	Alred, D.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
14.	Alred, Daniel	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
15.	Alred, David L.	Infantry	52nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
16.	Alred, E. G.		3rd Battalion, North Carolina Junior Reserves
17.	Alred, Elias		Cherokee Legion, Georgia (State Guards)
18.	Alred, F. C.	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
19.	Alred, J. D.	Infantry	13th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
20.	Alred, James	Infantry	5th Battalion, Alabama Infantry Volunteers
21.	Alred, James L.	Infantry	Griffin's Battalion, Texas Infantry (Griffin's Regiment)

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<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
			(21st Infantry)
22.	Alred, John	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
23.	Alred, John	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
24.	Alred, John	Infantry	21st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
25.	Alred, John	Infantry	17th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (Lemoyne's)
26.	Alred, John	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
27.	Alred, John	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
28.	Alred, John B.	Infantry	6th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
29.	Alred, John C.	Artillery	9th Battalion, Georgia Artillery
30.	Alred, John C.	Infantry	43rd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
31.	Alred, John W.	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
32.	Alred, John W.	Infantry	13th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
33.	Alred, Joseph	Infantry	29th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
34.	Alred, L.	Cavalry	Schnabel's Battalion, Missouri Cavalry
35.	Alred, L. A.	Infantry	35th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5th Infantry) (1st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
36.	Alred, Lemuel	Infantry	29th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
37.	Alred, Masten	Infantry	65th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
38.	Alred, N. J.	Infantry	27th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
39.	Alred, N. P.	Infantry	27th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
40.	Alred, Osborne	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
41.	Alred, P.	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
42.	Alred, Philip	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
43.	Alred, Reuben	Infantry	42nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
44.	Alred, Richard	Infantry	52nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
45.	Alred, Richard	Cavalry	2nd Regiment, Missouri Cavalry
46.	Alred, Riley W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
47.	Alred, S.	Infantry	2nd Regiment, Texas Infantry State Troops (6 months, 1863-64)
48.	Alred, S. C.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
49.	Alred, S. E.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
50.	Alred, Samuel	Infantry	27th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
51.	Alred, Samuel D.	Infantry	20th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
52.	Alred, Sylvester	Cavalry	38th Regiment, Mississippi Cavalry
53.	Alred, T.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
54.	Alred, Thomas	Cavalry	12th Regiment, Alabama Cavalry
55.	Alred, Thomas M.	Cavalry	10th Regiment, Texas Cavalry (Locke's)
56.	Alred, W. Brant	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
57.	Alred, W. F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
58.	Alred, W. H.	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
59.	Alred, W. N.	Infantry	1st Confederate Battalion, Georgia Infantry
60.	Alred, W. R.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
61.	Alred, William	Infantry	25th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry

Alred

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
62.	Alred, William	Infantry	14th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
63.	Alred, William	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
64.	Alred, William	Cavalry	Martin's Regiment, Texas Cavalry (5th Partisan Rangers)
65.	Alred, William B.	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
66.	Alred, William B.	Infantry	43rd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
67.	Alred, William J.	Infantry	59th Regiment, Tennessee Mounted Infantry (Cooke's) (Eakin's 1st Battalion)
68.	Alred, William J.	Infantry	50th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
69.	Alred, Wilson M.	Cavalry	Martin's Regiment, Texas Cavalry (5th Partisan Rangers)
70.	Alred, Y. B.	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry

Alldred

Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Allred, William	Cavalry	2nd Regiment, US Cavalry (Regular Army)

Alldred

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Alldred, F. N.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
2.	Alldred, J. W.		1st Regiment, North Carolina Junior Reserves
3.	Alldred, Jackson	Infantry	50th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
4.	Alldred, John	Infantry	7th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
5.	Alldred, W. W.	Infantry	28th Regiment, Georgia Infantry

Aldred

Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Aldred, Francis	Infantry	156th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
2.	Aldred, Jacob C.	Infantry	2nd Regiment, North Carolina Mounted Infantry
3.	Aldred, James	Infantry	4th Regiment, Massachusetts Infantry
4.	Aldred, James	Cavalry	8th Regiment, New York Cavalry
5.	Aldred, James M.	Infantry	50th Regiment, Missouri Infantry
6.	Aldred, John	Infantry	169th Regiment, New York Infantry
7.	Aldred, Joseph D.	Infantry	5th Regiment, Delaware Infantry
8.	Aldred, Marion	Infantry	136th Regiment, Indiana Infantry (100 days, 1864)
9.	Aldred, Moses	Infantry	34th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
10.	Aldred, Nathaniel	Infantry	79th Regiment, Illinois Infantry
11.	Aldred, Peter C.	Infantry	182nd Regiment, Ohio Infantry

Aldred

Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
12.	Aldred, Peter C.	Infantry	183rd Regiment, Ohio Infantry
13.	Aldred, Thomas C.	Infantry	3rd Regiment, Delaware Infantry
14.	Aldred, William R.	Infantry	3rd Regiment, Delaware Infantry

Aldred

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Aldred, A. C.	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
2.	Aldred, A. R.	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
3.	Aldred, Aaron	Infantry	28th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
4.	Aldred, Absalom	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
5.	Aldred, B. F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
6.	Aldred, Benjamin F.	Artillery	Sanford's Company, Mississippi Light Artillery
7.	Aldred, C. M.	Infantry	14th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
8.	Aldred, C. S.	Infantry	31st Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
9.	Aldred, Clemmons M.	Infantry	14th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
10.	Aldred, D.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
11.	Aldred, D. F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
12.	Aldred, D. D.	Cavalry	7th Battalion, Georgia Cavalry (State Guards)
13.	Aldred, D. W.	Infantry	29th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
14.	Aldred, David L.	Infantry	52nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
15.	Aldred, David W.	Cavalry	7th Battalion, Georgia Cavalry (State Guards)
16.	Aldred, E.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
17.	Aldred, E. S.	Infantry	10th Battalion, Georgia Infantry
18.	Aldred, Elkanab	Infantry	29th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
19.	Aldred, Isaac	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
20.	Aldred, J.	Infantry	2nd Regiment, Florida Infantry
21.	Aldred, J.	Infantry	26th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
22.	Aldred, J. A.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
23.	Aldred, J. A.	Infantry	48th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
24.	Aldred, James	Infantry	5th Battalion, Alabama Infantry Volunteers
25.	Aldred, James A.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
26.	Aldred, John B.	Infantry	6th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
27.	Aldred, John M.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
28.	Aldred, John M.	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
29.	Aldred, K.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
30.	Aldred, Lemuel	Infantry	29th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
31.	Aldred, M. M.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
32.	Aldred, Mathew W.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
33.	Aldred, Milton	Artillery	10th Battalion, North Carolina Heavy Artillery
34.	Aldred, Nathaniel	Infantry	18th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
35.	Aldred, P.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
36.	Aldred, Parham	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry

Aldred

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
37.	Aldred, Richard	Infantry	52nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
38.	Aldred, S.	Infantry	29th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
39.	Aldred, S. C.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
40.	Aldred, T. J.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
41.	Aldred, Thomas	Infantry	8th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
42.	Aldred, Thomas J.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, Georgia Infantry
43.	Aldred, W. C.	Infantry	45th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
44.	Aldred, W. F.	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
45.	Aldred, W. H.	Infantry	57th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
46.	Aldred, W. W.	Infantry	28th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
47.	Aldred, William	Infantry	14th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
48.	Aldred, William	Infantry	28th Regiment, Georgia Infantry
49.	Aldred, William	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
50.	Aldred, William	Infantry	22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
51.	Aldred, William H.	Cavalry	1st Northeast Regiment, Missouri Cavalry

Allread

Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Allread, Gamblin	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
2.	Allread, Henry	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
3.	Allread, Isaac F.	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Ohio Cavalry
4.	Allread, John	Infantry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
5.	Allread, Marion E.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
6.	Allread, Samuel	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
7.	Allread, Solomon A.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
8.	Allread, Thomas	Infantry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
9.	Allread, William	Infantry	32nd Regiment, Missouri Infantry (New)
10.	Allread, William J.	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry

Allread

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Allread, A. L.		Brush Battalion, CSA
2.	Allread, Charles	Infantry	1 st /27 th Consolidated Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
3.	Allread, Charles	Infantry	16 th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
4.	Allread, D. M.	Infantry	9 th Regiment, Florida Infantry
5.	Allread, Gamblen	Infantry	Adams' Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
6.	Allread, George	Infantry	35 th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry (5 th Infantry) (1 st Mountain Rifle Regiment)
7.	Allread, J. H.	Infantry	Adams' Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
8.	Allread, James	Infantry	12 th Regiment, Louisiana Infantry

Allread

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
9.	Allread, John	Infantry	25 th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
10.	Allread, John C.	Artillery	9 th Battalion, Georgia Artillery
11.	Allread, N.C.	Artillery	King's Battery, Georgia Light Artillery
12.	Allread, Philip	Infantry	25 th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
13.	Allread, S.	Cavalry	Well's Regiment, Texas Cavalry
14.	Allread, S. A.	Infantry	32 nd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
15.	Allread, S. M.	Cavalry	31 st Regiment, Texas Cavalry (Hawpe's)
16.	Allread, S. N.	Cavalry	8 th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
17.	Allread, Starlin	Infantry	7 th Regiment, Georgia Infantry (State Guards)
18.	Allread, T. J.	Infantry	16 th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
19.	Allread, Thomas J.	Cavalry	Lewis' Battalion, Alabama Cavalry
20.	Allread, W.	Cavalry	Mead's Regiment, Confederate Cavalry (Mead's Partisan Rangers)
21.	Allread, W. J.	Cavalry	8 th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
22.	Allread, William	Infantry	25 th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry

Alread

Union Army

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Alread, Gamblin M.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
2.	Alread, Henry	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
3.	Alread, Isaac F.	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Ohio Cavalry
4.	Alread, Isaac M.	Cavalry	8th Regiment, Ohio Cavalry
5.	Alread, John	Infantry	1st Arkansas Infantry
6.	Alread, John F.	Infantry	8th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry
7.	Alread, Marion E.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
8.	Alread, Moses	Infantry	12th Regiment, Indiana Infantry
9.	Alread, Samuel	Cavalry	3rd Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
10.	Alread, Solomon A.	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry
11.	Alread, Thomas	Cavalry	1st Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry

Alread

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
1.	Alread, B. A.		3rd Battalion, North Carolina Junior Reserves
2.	Alread, B. K.	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
3.	Alread, C.	Infantry	48th Regiment, Alabama Infantry
4.	Alread, F. G.		Camp of Instruction, Talladega, Alabama
5.	Alread, G. W.	Cavalry	21st Regiment, Tennessee Cavalry (Carter's)
6.	Alread, H. H.	Infantry	16th Regiment, North Carolina Infantry
7.	Alread, J. R.		North Carolina Conscripts

Alread

Confederate States of America

<i>No.</i>	<i>Soldier Name</i>	<i>Function</i>	<i>Regiment Name</i>
8.	Alread, J. L.	Infantry	21st Regiment, Texas Infantry
9.	Alread, John		Floyd Legion, Georgia (State Guards)
10.	Alread, N. C.	Artillery	King's Battery, Georgia Light Artillery
11.	Alread, Nathan	Infantry	12th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry
12.	Alread, Solomon	Infantry	31st Regiment, Mississippi Infantry
13.	Alread, U. L.	Infantry	1st Regiment, Confederate Infantry

Civil War Research Sites

www.itd.nps.gov

This site is maintained by the U. S. National Park Service. There is a roster of names. There are some regiment histories. Information on each Civil War Battlefield is on this site.

National Archives References Services Branch (NNIR)

National Archives and Records Services

8th and Pennsylvania Ave., NW

Washington, D. C. 20408

The best source of information on Civil War soldiers is the National Archives. Write to the address above and request several copies of form NATF-80. You will need to fill out a separate form for each piece of information. You should fill out at least two copies, one for military records and one for pension records. The Archives will search their sources for information and let you know the results. You can then purchase copies of their records.

State Archives and Records

Many states have archives and records that can be a valuable source of information. Check with the state archives or historical society in the home state of your ancestor's unit. County and local historical societies can also be helpful.

An Allred

James Walter Allred, Jr., Greensboro, North Carolina. James Walter, Jr., James Walter, Sr., George Henry Monroe, Elijah, John Calvert, John, Thomas. Photo submitted by his great granddaughter, Amber Lea Varner.

This description was written on the back of the photo by his wife, Katie Reynolds, Allred: "he was killed in an auto wreck in SC on the 21st of September of 1941, he had come home to see his family, and was on his way back to a job he had taken 2 weeks previous. Three people in a car vired into his ford, and ran him off the road flipping it, his injuries were a broken neck and 2 or 3 fractures to the skull."



Photos taken of paintings thought to be of Elizabeth Allred Horner, daughter of the "original" John, and her husband William Horner. Elizabeth was born August 17, 1747, and died March 11, 1823, in Jefferson County, Tennessee. William was born October 30, 1746. He died October 12, 1824, in Jefferson County, Tennessee. That area is now Hamblen County.

Below is the worn tombstone of Elizabeth Allred Horner.



The Pioneer Cemetery in Ephraim, Utah, has a memorial stone to Hannah Caroline Allred Whitlock. She died in Council Bluffs, Iowa. Her husband, Andrew Whitlock, continued the journey to Utah with their children. He is buried in this cemetery. His original stone is at top. Because of the wear of his stone, family members placed a new stone in the cemetery that honors both of them. Hannah Caroline was the daughter of James and Elizabeth Warren Allred. She was born September 20, 1808, in Ohio County, Kentucky. She lived in Tennessee, Missouri, and Illinois prior to her death February 25, 1850, in Council Bluffs.



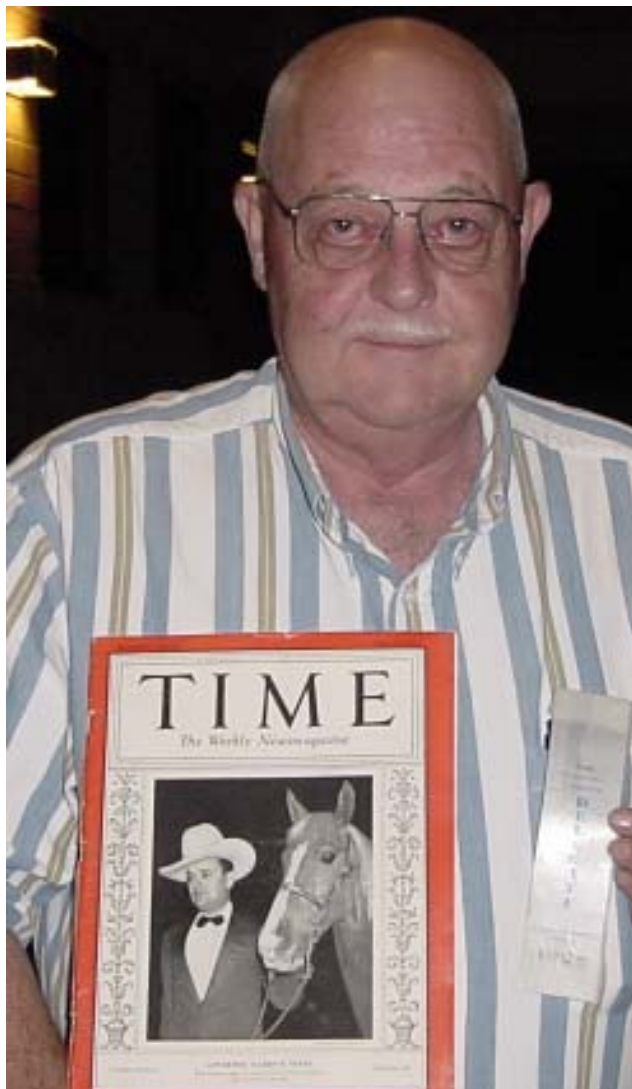
Family Album



Valerie and Ed Finch celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on April 24, 2004, in Bedford, Texas. Their children honored them with a party. Valerie descends from the “original” Thomas Allred.



Kaye Allred Nielson, Cedar City, Utah, visited Randolph County, North Carolina, in May in search of her Allred roots. She is the daughter of Carl Allred, Monticello, Utah. However, the road sign honors Carl Allred who lived in Randolph County. She is shown at right with one of the Randolph County sons of Carl Allred, Franklin Allred, Randleman, North Carolina.



Eddie Clay Allred, Franklinville, North Carolina, purchased a copy of the June 8, 1936, Time magazine that featured a photo of Governor James V. Allred and his horse. The purchase was made on eBay. The cover story featured the centennial of Texas and the growth of the state in the first 100 years. Governor Allred descended from the “original” William Allred as does Eddie Clay.



Why DNA?

by Linda Allred Cooper

* Four men named John, William, Thomas and Solomon Allred show up in North Carolina land records in the 1750s. But, to date, no one has been able to prove who their parents were or where they came from. We think they may have been brothers, but no paper documentation has been found to prove this.

* Tax records prove a Solomon Allred lived in Pennsylvania in the 1720s. Could he be the father or related in some way to those four men?

* We have documentation proving a Solomon Allred was born in Eccles Parish, Lancashire, England, in 1680. Is he the same man who is in the Pennsylvania tax records in the 1720s? Is he the same man who was the father of those four men who showed up in North Carolina land records in the 1750s?

To date: no one has been able to provide or find any documentation to answer these questions. Many have tried - and many have family stories - but no documented proof has been found (to our knowledge).

This is why we started the DNA project.

Paper documentation has survived which help us answer many questions, but at times paper documentation either doesn't exist or hasn't been found. This is where the DNA Project helps. When paper documentation can't be found, DNA results will tell us if we are on the right track or not.

DNA can be very confusing and the answers very overwhelming - full of scientific "mumbo jumbo." Since most of us are not math or science wizards, the Allred DNA reports are being kept at a very simple and (hopefully) easy to understand level. If you desire more complex answers or additional information, please visit Family Tree DNA at www.familytreedna.com

Basically, the "bottom line" is the DNA of two people either match or it doesn't. If the DNA matches - those two people are related. If it doesn't

match - those two people are not related.

Perfect Match

You are definitely related and have a common ancestor. No doubt about it!

One Mutation

Yes, you are related and have a common ancestor. Since mutations can happen at any time, we will accept one mutation regardless of where it is within the DNA results.

Two Mutations

Now we're into the "fuzzy" area. If the mutations are within one or more of the "fast mutating" categories, then we will accept the results as a match and say "Yes, you are related and have a common ancestor." But, if both of the mutations are in normal categories - not within "fast mutating" categories - then the answer is "No, you are not related." Confusing? Not really. Remember, some markers (categories) mutate faster than others for unknown reasons. If your paper documentation is considerable and all clues show you are probably related - and you are within two mutations (in fast mutating markers) of a match - then we'll say "Howdy Cousin!"

Three or More Mutations

Sorry - there is no relationship. You belong to another family group. If your surname is Allred, then most likely was an adoption or illegitimate child somewhere in your family tree. The other possibility is that you descend from an entirely unrelated family who's surname just happens to be Allred

We Need More Participants!

Do You Descend From The "Original" John?

At this writing, we have 32 men participating in the DNA Project. But, we need more! We have had several descendants from the "original" William, Solomon and Thomas participate and match - proving those three men were related. But, we have not found any male descendants of the "original" John. DNA test is for Y-Chromosome, so the DNA Project

is only open to male descendants of all male Allred lines. Unfortunately, John's branch of the family seems to have been blessed with mostly girls (daughters). With each generation, there are fewer and fewer male descendants of John. If you are a male descendant of John and would like to participate in the DNA Project, please contact us as soon as possible. We need your DNA to confirm our theory that John was related to the other "original" men: William, Solomon and Thomas. Right now, all we can prove is that they all showed up in the same place (North Carolina) at the same time. We THINK they were all related, possibly brothers. Help us confirm this!

Do You Descend From The "Original" Thomas?

Some of our participants have received surprising DNA results. Although their genealogy research and paper documentation show they descend from Thomas, their DNA proves they do not. Some where in their family tree there must have been an adoption or illegitimate child which no one ever spoke about or has been forgotten over the generations. We are trying to figure out where this mystery child entered the family tree. Your DNA will help solve this puzzle. If your DNA matches the other descendants of Thomas, we can eliminate your direct ancestors as the mystery child. We are especially interested in the descendants of the "original" Thomas! We have had a lot of surprising results from his descendants. Thomas's children and grandchildren traveled all across America in the 1800's. Did one or more of them adopt an orphan child along the way - a child whose parents may have been in the same wagon train or traveling group - a child whose natural parents died - a child who was loved and raised as an Allred and took the Allred name? If your DNA matches one of our mystery descendants, we have

narrowed down the list of possible mystery children and know which ancestors to look at more closely.

Participation Is Easy

The test kit consists of two giant cotton swabs. You simply run them around inside your mouth and mail them back to the lab. The results usually arrive 4-6 weeks after the lab receives the samples. The cost is \$171 per participant. Does this seem too expensive? Consider how much is

spent buying gas to travel back and forth to your local library, courthouse or Family History Center to do research. Consider how much time and money is spent traveling to other states or countries to do research. Now, it doesn't seem that expensive at all - does it? If you have several siblings, consider getting them to help pay for it. If everyone "chips in," it won't cost too much at all!

To participate or to receive more information on the DNA project, contact Linda Allred Cooper, lacooper@mindspring.com or P.O. Box 415, Pittsboro, NC 27312. Or visit the AFO web site at www.allredfamily.com and click on DNA Project.

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