

# Allred Family Newsletter

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Identify and Unite the Allred Family through Gathering,  
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## 1943–2011 Past President Eddie Clay Allred



*Eddie Clay Allred*

Former Allred Family Organization President Eddie Clay Allred, 68, Franklinville, North Carolina, died Wednesday, September 7, 2011, at his home.

He was a native of Randolph County, North Carolina, a Vietnam veteran in the US Air Force, a member of Franklinville Wesleyan Church, President of the AFO from the fall of 2004 to the fall of 2007, retired from Black & Decker, and was currently employed with Jackson Creek Manufacturing.

He was also a co-founder of the East Coast Allred Family Organization. He was preceded in death by his parents, Edward Clay and Mary Duggins Allred, and a son, Eric Todd Allred.

Survivors are his wife, Carolyn Smith Allred, son, Steven Clay Allred, and wife Melissa, and grandchildren, Shawn, Nathan, Lucas, and Wrenn Allred.

Funeral Services, were September 10, 2011, Franklinville Wesleyan Church, Franklinville. Officiating were Rev. Wayne L. Byrd and Rev.

Alvin Newcombe. Burial followed at the Whites Memorial Baptist Church Cemetery, Franklinville. Military honors were provided by the Randolph County Honor Guard. AFO member Franklin D. Allred is a member of the honor guard. *Eddie Clay, Edward Clay, Burgess Sherman, Henry Branson, Elisha, John, William.*

## AFO Officers Re-elected for a Three-Year Term

Melvin Alred, Rome, Georgia, was re-elected president, of the Allred Family Organization. Elected to serve with Melvin are: vice president, Linda Allred Cooper, Pittsboro, North Carolina; treasurer, Joyce Allred, Reston, Virginia, and secretary, Alice Allred Pottmyer, Arlington, Virginia.

According to elections chair, Larry C. Allred, Farmington, Utah, Melvin Alred, received 69

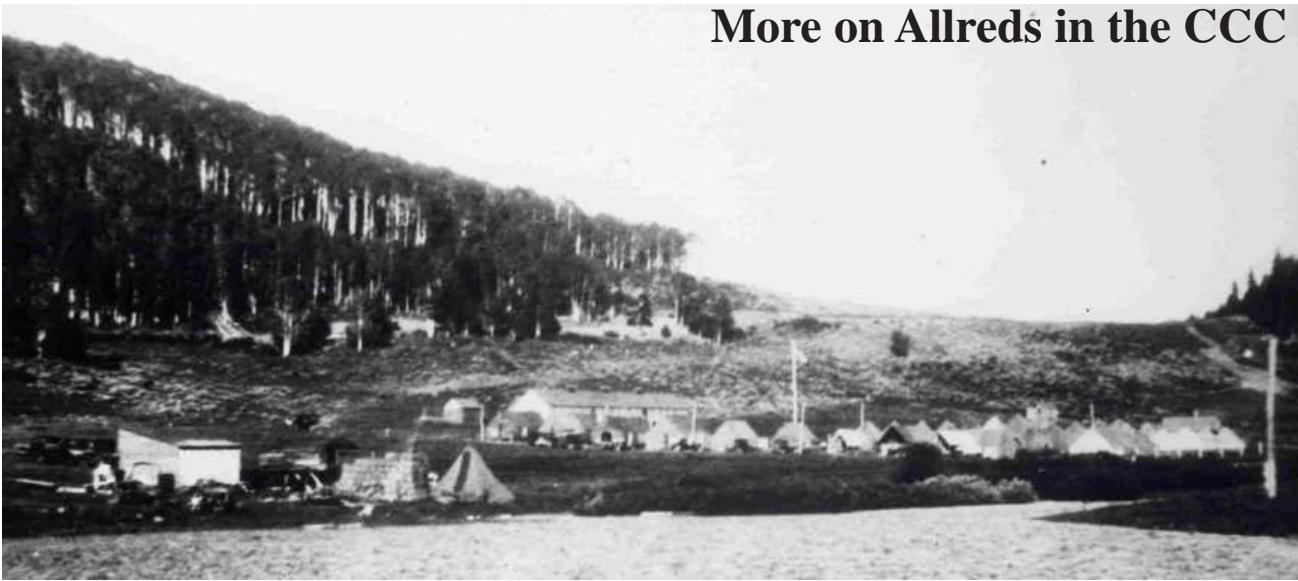
votes, Linda Allred Cooper received 69 votes, Joyce Allred received 70 votes and Alice Allred Pottmyer received 70 votes.

Larry Allred was assisted on the elections committee by Sue Estep, Riegglewood, North Carolina and Jim Allred, Reston, Virginia. A total of 70 people voted in the election.

AFO elections will again be held in 2014.

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## More on Allreds in the CCC



## Pete Allred's CCC Camp Report

R. L. "Pete" Allred was in a Civilian Conservation Corps Camp 65 miles north of Craig, Colorado, and 25 miles south of Bagg, Wyoming, on a beautiful river. He received \$5 a month and his mother and father received \$25 a month. It was a great deal of money at that time.

Pete, an AFO member, was 91 on August 14, 2011. He was born in Quannah, Texas. His sister, Frankie Allred Ritchie, was 88 on August 15, 2011. They are the last of their family. *R. L.*

*"Pete," Renee, Albert, Renee, William, William.*

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## Letter to The Editor

Dear Editor,

I enjoyed the article by Linda Allred Cooper on the search made to find, *Who Was Thomas Allred's Wife?* Maybe we will never know. I enjoy the Allred Family Newsletter also.

Mary Walker

St. George, Utah

*Mary, Marlin Park, Reddin Reddick, Reddin Alexander, Isaac, William, Thomas*

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*The Civilian Conservation Corps Camp East of Fairview, Utah. The photo was sent by AFO member Virgil "Cliff" Allred of Mantua, Utah.*

## Oops!

There was a goof in the dates on the last newsletter. No. 88 said Summer and it should have been Fall. No. 87 was the Fall issue. This issue, No. 89, is Winter. Sorry for the inconvenience.

## 2012 Allred Reunions Mark Your Calendar

### Rocky Mountain Allred Reunion:

Friday evening, June 29, and Saturday, June 30, 2012, Spring City, Utah. For further information contact, Larry C. Allred, 447 North 200 East, Farmington, UT 84025, 801-558-6753 or [larrycallred@msn.com](mailto:larrycallred@msn.com).

### Randolph County Reunion:

Friday, September 7, and Saturday, September 8, 2012, in Randolph County, North Carolina. For further information contact, Linda Allred Cooper, PO Box 415, Pittsboro, NC 27312, 919/548-7099 or [lacooper@mindspring.com](mailto:lacooper@mindspring.com).

### Send 2012 Allred Reunion Information

If you plan an Allred reunion in your area, please send the information to Alice Allred Pottmyer. Her contact information is on pages 2 and 19. Reunion information is printed in the newsletter and posted on the AFO web site.

# An Allred Story from the *Pickens County Progress*

Thursday, August 4, 2011

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Pickens County, Georgia

## Federal debt Problem has Pickens ties

by Robert Davis MEd, MA  
*Wallace State College*

Why the United States government has to pay its debts, come what may, on August 2 [date Federal Government might close] has a curious Pickens County tie. It goes back to a case before the United States Supreme Court that, as so often happens, had little to do, originally, with the matter that started the legal proceedings.

John Marion Allred (1831-1915) served as the Federal Justice Department Commissioner in Jasper in the 1880s and 1890s. He had supported the Union during the Civil War, had been a Republican member of the Georgia Legislature in 1871 and operated one of the few licensed distilleries in the county. In his official position, he had to handle the paperwork on arrests made of his neighbors and sometimes relatives for producing untaxed alcohol, what today we call “moonshining” because so much of it went under the cover of darkness.

In 1890, a group of Pickens Countians from the Sharp Mountain District revived resistance to the enforcement of the alcohol tax laws by forming a group of vigilantes called the “Honest Man’s Friend & Protector. These hooded men burned down the houses of men who reported on stills and sought to intimidate revenue and law enforcement agents. Through the efforts of such men as John’s brother Rev Elias Walter Allred, the HMF&P became the only such group of “white caps” brought to justice. John Marion

Allred pleaded on behalf of the men arrested, claiming that they were good citizens driven by unfair laws to taking desperate action. As part of his job, however, he had to issue warrants and organize posses.

When he came to seek reimbursement from the Federal Court of North Georgia for almost \$300, the court’s budget was empty and so his claim was deigned. United States government agencies for many years had simply stopped paying bills when their budgets ran out of funds.

John Marion Allred fought back. He sued for his money through the Court of Claims in Washington and won. The Federal government could not afford to lose this case and appealed to the United States Supreme Court in 1893. The justices agreed with Allred to the tune of more than \$200.

Undoubtedly, Jasper’s Justice Department Commission received little after paying his legal expenses. He did create a legal precedent that the United States must pay what it owes even to employees in far off Pickens County.

Pundits now point to the Fourteenth Amendment to say that the United States must meet its obligations. They might also remember to mention that the good faith and credit of this country comes from Allred v. United States.

*John Marion, Elias, Jr., Elias, Thomas*

Thanks to AFO President Melvin Alred for submitting the article and also for requesting and receiving permission to reprint the article in the AFO Newsletter.

# Randolph County 2011 Allred Reunion



*Sue Estep on the grounds of Bennett Place.*

Allred cousins gathered in Randolph County, North Carolina, September 9 and 10, 2011, for the annual reunion. When Dottie Allred Cruse, Gainesville, Florida, returned home, she sent the following to her cousins. However, it applies to all her Allred cousins. Hi Folks,

This is your Florida cousin speaking. I hope all is well with you all; we sure missed you at the Randolph County Reunion this year.

How is your research going? I have been working on our families quite a bit, but it is slow going as we



*The group inspecting a chimney that was part of the slave quarters at the Stagville Plantation.*



*The group at Stagville Plantation.*

don't have a lot of family left who know the family history or even care. I am even having trouble locating some of our Allred first cousins. People shouldn't move or disconnect phones until they notify 'the family.' HA!

We had a nice showing for the September 2011 reunion and the Friday tour was very nice, though it was a very long day. Linda Allred Cooper really worked hard to present and promote the history of the Allred family and North Carolina. She never lost her sense of humor, though she did claim to lose her mind on occasion. HA!

Bennett Place was most unique and interesting, you could envision the history unfold; the tour guide was very well spoken. The Stagville Plantation was equally interesting; the original and expanded house and the slave quarters down the road with the background detailing each. The guide at the North Carolina Museum of History, in Raleigh, was informative and the museum was great.

Linda showed us a few more sites in Raleigh before taking us back to Pittsboro. The camaraderie was wonderful, the luncheon was great and we met new cousins from Ohio, Alabama, and South Carolina. Alice Allred Pottmyer from Virginia and Sue Estep were present also, making the visit lots more fun. All in all it was a hit, thanks to Linda and all the other 'cousins.'

Hope you enjoy the photos.

Dottie Allred Cruse

P.S. Mark your calendars for September 7 and 8, 2012, in Randolph County, North Carolina, and catch up with your Allred family.



*John Allred, Janice Mueller, J.T. Mueller, and Charlette Allred (left to right) look for graves in the Allred Trogon Cemetery in Randolph County.*



*Attendees at the 2011 Reunion look at the scroll of early Allred genealogy prepared by Linda Allred Cooper. At left are John T. Allred, his daughter, Becky, is behind him, Kathy Christensen and her husband, Jud, in the center, and John Allred and Dottie Allred Cruse.*

*Photos by Linda Allred Cooper and Dottie Allred Cruse*

# Berten Wendell Allred: Range Conservationist and Author

by Alice Ann Allred

Berten Wendell Allred, was a prominent range conservationist and author. He was born in Moab, Utah, January 17, 1904, to Birten and Anna Johnson Allred. He was given the name Berten so people would know the difference between him and his father, Birten. However, he was known as Bill or B. W. Allred most of his life.

He was the eldest of Birt and Anna's 13 children. Ten of the children lived to adulthood. As a boy he assisted with the family cattle and sheep and also often drove the second horse-drawn wagon team for the Allred Transportation Company when it operated between Moab and Thompson by his father and Uncle Wilson Allred. His father and uncle were also ranchers.

He graduated from Utah Agriculture College (now Utah State University) in 1926 with degrees in ecology and agronomy. In 1931 he received his masters degree in animal husbandry and range management from the college. He later studied ecology at the University of Nebraska.

In addition to his early ranching activities in Moab, he operated a partnership ranch, raising cattle and sheep on private and public land in Utah and Wyoming. He also served as a county



*Bill Allred at his desk in the Soil Conservation Service Regional Office in 1952 in Fort Worth, Texas.*

agent in two stock raising counties in Colorado. In 1935, while living in Colorado Springs, he joined the U.S. Department of Agriculture's new Soil Conservation Service. The family moved to Rapid City, South Dakota, and after two years they moved to Lincoln, Nebraska. He was first in charge of the range work for the Northern Plains states and in 1945, after a move to Fort Worth, Texas, in a similar capacity for the Western Gulf Region comprising the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

He spent more than 30 years in the Soil Conservation Service as a range specialist. He retired in 1965 as Head Range Conservationist.

He wrote widely for livestock journals and other magazines on livestock and grassland management problems. He was the author of *Practical Grassland Management*. This book stressed the importance of grass for conservation. It was widely used as a text in this field for 30 years. He was senior editor on *Flat Top Ranch: The Story of a Grassland Venture*. The 17,000 acre ranch in Texas was worn-out land that was developed into good grass, good water and good cattle. He also wrote numerous articles on range life and western history.

He married Alice Worthington of Grantsville, Utah. They met while he was driving his sheep



*Alice and Bill Allred with their daughters, (l-r) Doris Jean and Alice Ann in their farmhouse on their Ellis County, Texas farm. The Texas longhorns in the photograph were a favorite of the family.*

from a summer range in Wyoming to a winter range in Nevada. He had his mail sent General Delivery to the Grantsville Post Office. She was working in the Post Office. They were married in September 1930. She accompanied him on his many moves in the United States, plus Saudi Arabia and Argentina.

While the family lived in Fort Worth, Texas, they also purchased a farm in Ellis County where they had cattle and a horse for their two daughters, Alice Ann, born in Rapid City, South Dakota, and Doris Jean, born in Lincoln, Nebraska.

In 1954, he transferred to Washington, D. C. He was then Head Range Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service. The family purchased a 400-acre farm near Old Town in Western Maryland where they again raised cattle and had horses. However, they lived in Washington where their daughters attended high school.

He was a former president of the American Range Society, Charter Member and Sheriff of the Potomac Corral of the Westerners, and a



*Professor Frank Allred, who taught journalism and French at Utah Agriculture College, now Utah State University, with Bill Allred near Moab, Utah. The professor was from Braintree, Massachusetts, and enjoyed visiting areas of the Western United States during his time in Utah. During this visit, his student Bill Allred showed him ranching activities as well as the red rock areas of Utah.*



*In 1949, Bill Allred received an award from the U.S. Department of Agriculture for outstanding service. The award was presented by Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannon. The award ceremony was held at Sylvan Theater on the grounds of the Washington Monument in Washington, D.C.*

member of the Soil Conservation Society of America.

While living in Washington, D.C., he and two friends from Texas and Montana, reviewed western themed books for western magazines. They were known as the “Old Bookaroos.”

For three years after his retirement in 1965, Mr. Allred was a consultant with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations in Saudi Arabia and Argentina. He was also a consultant to the U.S. Agency for International Development in Mali, Africa.

In 1972, his health began to fail and he and Alice sold the Maryland farm where they lived after they returned from Argentina. They moved to Tooele, Utah, where he continued as a range management consultant. He died in Tooele on December 14, 1976. He is buried in the Tooele City Cemetery.

Alice Worthington Allred died June 24, 2001, in Tooele, Utah. She is buried next to husband in the Tooele City Cemetery. Daughter, Doris Jean Allred Halladay, died November 21, 1995, in Simi Valley, California. He was an Allred descendant three ways: *Berten Wendell, Birt, Elizabeth Ann, Richard Anderson, James Russell, Sarah, William, Thomas and Berten Wendell, Birt, Elizabeth Ann, Richard Anderson, James Russell, Sarah, William, Thomas and Berten Wendell, Birt, Wilson Monroe, William Hackley, James, William, Thomas.*

# Allred Obituaries

**Jewell Allred Moore**, 85, of Marietta, Georgia, died May 6, 2011, at Kennestone Hospital, Marietta. Jewell was the daughter of the late Isaac and Emma Clark Allred of Jasper, Pickens County, Georgia. She was preceded in death by her brothers, Norman Allred, Speer Allred, Earnest Allred, Carl Allred and sisters, Gladys Allred, Veivey Allred Painter, nephew Terry Allred and niece, Mary Allred Dupree. Jewell was a native of Pickens County, Georgia, and lived her young life in Cherokee County, Georgia. She moved to Cobb County, Georgia in 1951. Jewell was the personnel manager for Woolworth department store in Town and Country Shopping Center from 1956 until she retired in 1988 in Marietta. She was a member of Pleasant Union Baptist Church. She was a member of the Allred Family Organization. Jewell was preceded in death by her husband (no children), Fletcher Henry Moore. Survivors include her sisters, Mae Allred Bennett, Canton, Georgia, Ada Allred Martin, Marietta, several nieces and nephews also survive. The funeral was May 10 at the Chapel of Marietta Funeral Home. The Reverend Franklin McPherson officiated. Interment followed in Cheatham Hill Memorial Park. Jewell was the granddaughter of the late Reverend William Brantley Allred. He was a Confederate Civil War Veteran. *Jewel, Wm. Isaac, Wm. Brantley, Miranda, Elias, Thomas.* Obituary submitted by Mae Allred Bennett her sister and AFO member.

**Charles Franklin Allred**, 77, Cartersville, Georgia, died June 10, 2011, at his home. He was born in Cartersville, May 3, 1934. He was the son of the late Frank Allred and the late Pauline Owan Allred. A life-long resident of Cartersville, he was raised by his grandparents. He was a graduate of Cartersville High School and served his country in the U.S. Army. He was a member of Friendship Baptist Church. He worked for E-Z Mills and later retired from Shaw Industries. He was an independent person who loved outdoor activities, especially hunting. Survivors include his wife of

54 years, Carol Otting Allred, his sons and daughters-in-law, Don and Terry Allred and Chris and Lorie Allred; his daughters and sons-in-law, Lisa and Dennis Chambers, Debbie and Sonny John Earwood, and Sale and Eddie Jenkins, his grandchildren and their spouses, Jennifer and Austin Luedtke, Chase Allred, Heather and Katie Boliver, Monica and James Brown, and Alex Brown; his brothers and sister, Jack Allred, Robert Ed Allred, and Janice Roberts. Funeral services were June 13, 2011, at the Parnick Jennings Funeral and Cremation Services with the Rev. Jeff Duvall officiating. Burial followed in Georgia National Cemetery in Canton.

**Beverly L. Veach Harris**, 68, passed away June 18, 2011, at Pointer Trail Health and Rehabilitation Center in Van Buren, Arkansas, after a decline in health. She was the daughter of Ralph L., Sr., and Bessie L. Alger Veach of Kansas City, Missouri. She was employed by the Business Men's Association in Kansas City following her graduation from Center High School. Prior to her residency in Arkansas, she had lived in Wilburton, Oklahoma, and faithfully attended church there. She was preceded in death by her parents, sisters, Helen, Joan, Laura Hess, and brother Ralph L. Jr., She is survived by sister, Florence Garner, Ft. Smith Arkansas, sister Jean Helms, Carrolltown, Virginia, sister Dorothy Bowlus, Independence, Missouri, brother, James Veach, Goffstown, New Hampshire and numerous nieces and nephews. She lives on through her children Charles Johnson, Edwardsville, Illinois; Kimberly Casaus and husband Gil of Albuquerque, New Mexico; David Harris, Houston, Texas, Clifford Harris, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, James Harris, Tulsa, Oklahoma and her five grandsons. Interment was June 25, at Park Lawn Cemetery, Kansas City, Missouri, after a graveside service. *Beverly, Bessie, James Alva, James Anderson, Sarah Diane, Polly Ann, Sarah, William, Thomas*



**Joan Allred Neron**, 65, died June 24, 2011. She was surrounded by her family and friends. Joan was born in Roosevelt, Utah, July 31, 1945. She served an LDS mission in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, and attended BYU earning a BA in history and education. Joan taught history and library science for 10 years and stopped teaching to become a full-time mother. She was very active in the LDS church and held the positions of ward and stake librarian, Sunday School teacher, and Relief Society leader. Joan was a woman of intelligence and enjoyed socializing and discussing religion and politics. Joan was predeceased by her mother, Jesse Allred, her sisters Rosalie Allred and Joyce Saderup, and her best friend Tawnie Olsen. She is survived by her father Don Allred; her brothers Kay, Norman, and Brent Allred; her sisters Maurine Murphy and Clyda Brattos; children John and Tammy Neron, Angie Healy, Tracy Goldman, Laurie Sontag, and her seven grandchildren. Funeral services were July 1, 2011, at the Western Hills 3rd Ward in Kearns, Utah. Interment followed in Wasatch Lawn Memorial Park. *Joan, Don, Louis Ephraim, Ephraim Lafayette, Reuben Warren, James, William, Thomas*

**Randy Lee Allred** died July 23, 2011, at the age of 57. Randy never knew a stranger. Everyone was his friend. He loved animals and being in the mountains. Randy was preceded in death by his mother, Anona Allred. He is survived by his dad: Harry, brother; Ken (Cheryl), sister; Tami, daughter; Tina (Jason) Sansing, grandchildren; Alex, Sam and Madison, nephews; Richard (Tashina), Craig (Corrine) and Erik (Karen). A memorial service was held at Taylorsville Park September 24, 2011. *Randy, Anona, Cyrus Hillman, Julia Louisa, William Alma, Isaac, James, William, Thomas and Harry Winn, William Parley, Parley Aldebert, Mary Leoma, Isaac James, William, Thomas and Harry Winn, William Parley, Parley Adelbert, Joseph Parley, William, William, Thomas.*

**Wendell Union Allred** died August 25, 2011, in Provo, Utah, following a stroke. He was born June 8, 1918, in Afton, Wyoming, to Theras and Florence Porter Allred. He spent his youth in Star Valley, Wyoming, Paris, Idaho, Sanford, Colorado, and Logan, Grantsville and Provo, Utah. He graduated from Provo High in 1936. He served in the U.S. Army, 29th Engineer Topographic Battalion, 1941-1946, in Portland, Oregon, and the Philippines. He married Norma Jean Hall June 2, 1945. They were later divorced. He married Virginia Booth December 19, 1952, in the Salt Lake Temple. He received a bachelor's degree from BYU in 1954 in math and physics. While working for the Topographic Division of the U.S. Geological Survey for 35 years, he and his family resided in Sacramento and Palo Alto, California. He and Virginia retired and returned to Provo in 1981. A faithful member of the LDS Church, he served in many callings, including twice as stake missionary and financial clerk, and for 16 years enjoyed being the Webelos Leader in the Oak Hills 4th Ward. He was the recipient of the Provo Peak Award and inventor of high-tech Arrow of Light box extraordinaire. Wendell is survived by his wife, Virginia, of Provo, son Kelly (Lynda) Allred of Las Cruces, New Mexico, daughter Beverly (Eric) Royer of Orem, daughter-in-law Janie Allred of Pleasant Grove, and 12 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren in Utah, Idaho, New Mexico and Oklahoma. He is also survived by brother McKay (Velma) Allred, Boulder, Colorado, sisters Elaine (Keith) Hawkins of Highland, Joye (Rulon) Cluff of Provo, Noreen (Dennis) Hess of Orem, and Carol (Vern) Bean of Frederick, Maryland, and sisters-in-law LuDean Allred of Wales, Utah, and Emily Allred of Aberdeen, South Dakota. He was preceded in death by his son Cory Wendell Allred, grandson Nathan Kelly Allred, brothers Quathel, Avard, Worth and Forrest, and sisters Iris Nielsen, Olga Nicol and Quella Hart. Funeral services were, August 30, 2011, at the Oak Hills 1st and 7th Ward Chapel. *Wendell Union, Theras Orson, Orson Pratt, William Moore, Isaac, William, Thomas.*

## Obituaries

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**Russell Alan Jones**, 64, Alvord, Texas, died September 12, 2011, in Decatur, Texas. He was born December 27, 1946, in Nacogdoches, Texas, to George Alvin and Era Allred Jones. He married Glenda Kay Farris October 9, 1997, in Chico, Texas. Russell retired from the U. S. Navy in 1992 after 23 years of service. He was a member of the Old North Church in Nacogdoches. He enjoyed his farm animals and fishing. He loved his family, especially his grandchildren. He is survived by his wife, Glenda, two sons, Glen Alan Jones, North Richland Hills, Texas, and Edward Alvin Jones, Rhome, Texas; stepdaughter Teona Maroney, Decatur, stepson, Eddy Welder, Bridgeport, Texas; two brothers, Glenn and Jerry Jones, both of Nacogdoches, a sister, Sue Evans, Nacogdoches, two stepsisters, Betty Allen, Nacogdoches, and Margie Phillips, Timpson, Texas. He is also survived by 10 grandchildren. Funeral services were September 16, 2011, at the Laird Funeral Home, Nacogdoches. Services were conducted by Bro. Sonny Scarborough. Interment followed in the Old North Church Cemetery, Nacogdoches. *Russell Alan, Era, Will S., John Calvin, Steven, Jr., Steven, Sr., William, William.*

**Dorothy (Dot) Burrow Judd**, age 92, of Asheboro, North Carolina, died September 24, 2011, at Randolph Hospice House. Mrs. Judd was born June 15, 1919, in Franklinville, North Carolina, the daughter of Isaac and Mary Agnes Heilig Burrow. Mrs. Judd enjoyed doing volunteer work for several organizations. She was a devoted member of Asheboro Friends Meeting and especially loved singing in the choir. She was a loving mother and grandmother and was truly loved by everyone she met. Mrs. Judd was predeceased by her husband, John A. Judd; grandson, Brent Franklin Vestal; brothers, Howard Burrow and Obert Burrow; and sisters, Lillian Burrow Brown and Bebe Burrow Johnson. She is survived by three daughters: Nancy Martin and husband Jim of Ramseur,

North Carolina; Patricia Hinton and husband Robin of Knoxville, Tennessee; Kathy Pierce and husband Mark of Graham, North Carolina; granddaughter, Julie Rochelle and husband Greg of Durham, North Carolina; grandson, Eric Martin and wife Melissa of Ramseur; granddaughter, Shannon Hagen and husband Michael of Ashland City, Tennessee, three great grandchildren and several beloved nieces and nephews. The funeral was September 28, 2011, at Asheboro Friends Meeting, with Rev. Ken Thames, Rev. Pat Thames and Rev. Leslie Winslow officiating. Burial followed in Oaklawn Cemetery, Asheboro. *Dorothy, Agnes Heilig, Eleanor Allred, Aaron Allred, John C. Allred, Catherine Allred and Dorothy, Isaac Burrow, John H. Burrow, Nancy L. Allred, Solomon Allred, Isaac Allred*

**Don Allred** died September 27, 2011. Don was born in Talmage, Utah, July 7, 1914. On August 8, 1941, he married Jessie Young. Being a son of the Great Depression, Don exemplified the definition of hard work. As a young man, he was a sheepherder and farmer on his family's ranch. As a new father, he supported his family dueling as both a miner and a farmer in Neola, Utah. Later, in the mid-1950s, he worked as a plasterer and a chief custodian for the LDS Church in Salt Lake City. Don also believed in the strength of service, and was very active in the LDS church. He served as a Stake Missionary, a member of the Sunday School Presidency, as well as an Elder's Quorum President. He was a committed Boy Scout Master and a faithful Home Teacher. Don was the example of leadership in his family. He ensured he was an active part of all of their lives. He was never absent for a birthday, baptism, graduation, wedding, or any other life event. Every member of his family can point to a door hung, a shingle nailed, or a wall plastered that was done by Don. Frequently he stood shoulder to shoulder working on projects with grandchildren four times less his age - often outworking them. Don was predeceased by his wife Jessie Allred, his parents Louis and Lydia Allred, 13 brothers and sisters and his three daughters Rosalie Allred, Joan Neron, and Joyce

Saderup. He is survived by his remaining children and their spouses, Maurine (Gerald) Murphy, Clyda (Leif) Brattos, Kay (Julie) Allred, Norman (Sherrie) Allred, and Brent (Nancy) Allred. Funeral services were September 30, 2011, at the Garden Heights Ward. Interment followed at Wasatch Lawn Memorial Park. *Don, Louis Ephraim, Ephraim Lafayette, Reuben Warren, James, William, Thomas.*

**Irene Rogers Hatch**, age 105, died at her home in Murray, Utah, on September 27, 2011. She was born June 13, 1906, in Lehi (now Mesa), Arizona, the daughter of Isaac Higbee Rogers and Myra Sanders Rogers. She graduated from Mesa Union High School in 1925. She married Charles Jenner Hatch on January 13, 1928, in the Mesa Arizona LDS Temple. Irene was a lifelong and dedicated member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. She held various positions in all auxiliaries of the Church. She especially enjoyed her time serving with her husband in the Cub Scout organization and teaching Primary. After her husband's death in 1966, she worked for the Watters Garden Center in Prescott, Arizona, for many years. There, she shared her knowledge and expertise in gardening with their customers. She moved to her daughter's home in Murray, Utah, in 1993 and enjoyed attending the Salt Lake and Jordan River Temples several days a week until just a few years ago. Irene and Jenner were had seven children; Duane, Lorraine, David, Darrell and Von. Roger Kay and Shirley Ann died as infants. They had 24 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren, and 23 great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by two of her nine siblings; Francis Rogers, Portland, Oregon, and Lucille Rogers Burnham, Gilbert, Arizona. Funeral Services were October 3, 2011, in Murray, Utah. A viewing was held on October 8, 2011, in Prescott, Arizona. Graveside services followed at the Chino Valley Cemetery, Chino Valley, Arizona. *Irene, Myra Irene, John Franklin Jr., John Franklin Sr., Moses Martin Sanders, Mary, William, Thomas*

**Phillip Troy Allred** died September 28, 2011. Phil was born on November 13, 1978 to Art and Connie Allred. He was the youngest of six brothers and had to be tough, but was tough with a great heart. Phil's friends and family always knew that "Phil had their back." Phil was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Phil loved everyone and he was known for his hugs. He loved children, especially his 18 nieces and nephews. Phil graduated from Olympus High School where he played football and went on to play at Dixie College and Benedictine College. He loved the time he was an ultimate fighter and gained many friendships while serving in the Army. He is survived by his parents, brothers: Gary (Gina), David (Cindy), Mark, Steve (Emily), Mike (Amber). Funeral Services were October 3, 2011, at the Valley View 1st Ward House. Interment followed at Mt. View Memorial Park.

**Michael Thair Allred**, 63, died November 4, 2011, in Ogden, Utah, after a nine month battle with melanoma. He was born in Ogden on June 23, 1948, to Thair and Reta Allred. Mike spent many years living and working in Ogden. He enjoyed working for Larsen Beverage (Pepsi) of Ogden until 1980. He made many lasting friendships and always valued the work ethic he learned there. In 1991 he moved to St. George, Utah, where he also worked with Pepsi. It was there that he met the love of his (Beverly) and together they decided to move back to Ogden to be closer to family. He worked for Pepsi Bottling Group of Salt Lake City until his retirement in July 2010. He is survived by his wife, Beverly; two sons; two stepsons; two stepdaughters; five grandchildren; his sister Sandy (Johnny) Gorum, Wendover, Utah; and his brother Steve (Mary Anna Clay) Allred, Star Valley, Wyoming; and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by both of his parents. Funeral services were November 8, 2011, at the Lorin Farr 3rd Ward Chapel, Ogden. Interment was in Myers Evergreen Memorial Park where Military Honors were accorded. *Michael Thair, Thair Butler, Henry Garcia, Byron Harvey, William Moore, Isaac, William, Thomas.*

# Two books Available About Isaac Allred: Son of James and Elizabeth Allred

The second edition biography of *Isaac Allred, Son of James and Elizabeth Allred, 1813-1859*, is available for shipping in mid-December. This volume is basically the same as the first edition but contains fewer pages.

The family group sheets have been eliminated from this printed version. This saved huge printing costs as well as mailing for the book. The book weighs less and is easier to handle than the volume published in 2009. However, there is a pocket in the cover of the second edition that contains a CD. The family group sheets are on this CD.

Because there are fewer pages, the price is reduced. The price is \$57.00 for the book and \$5.00 for shipping.

The book has the history of Isaac Allred, his family and his children. There are photos of various family members.

He played the violin and it has been passed to various members and it is played today.



*Isaac Allred, son of  
James and Elizabeth  
Warren Allred*

## Missionary Diary: Companion to the Isaac Allred Book

This book on Isaac Allred, son of James and Elizabeth Warren Allred, highlights some of his missionary diary. Isaac Allred served Mormon missions to Central Missouri: December 12, 1837, to March 18, 1838; Southern Illinois and Western Kentucky: June 11, 1838, to September 29, 1838, and Northeastern Missouri, October 26, 1842, to November 25, 1842.

He served a fourth mission to England, but no diary has been found.

Each page of the diary was photographed and digitally enhanced. There is also a transcription of what he wrote. Period maps of Missouri and Kentucky are highlighted in this volume.

The book is \$22.00 plus \$5 shipping and handling.

## Sales Information

Please send checks for either or both books made payable to the Rocky Mountain Allreds to Larry C. Allred, 447 North 200 East, Farmington, UT 84025. The price for the Isaac Allred book is \$57, plus \$5 shipping. The price for the missionary diary is \$22 plus \$5 for shipping.

If you have questions, please contact Larry Allred at [larrycallred@msn.com](mailto:larrycallred@msn.com), 801-558-6753 or 801-451-2742.

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## Allred Connection to Coupons

A page one article in the August 8, 2011, issue of *The Washington Post* featured modern-day couponing. The news article credited Allred cousin, John Pemberton, with creating the first coupon.

“The coupon was born in 1886, when John Pemberton handed out drink cards around Atlanta, offering free samples of his new creation, Coca-Cola. The promotion coupons took off when the Coke formula was sold to druggist Asa Candler, who direct-mailed coupons to customers who lived near soda

fountains. The promotion seemed to work just fine for Coca-Cola and marketers.”

The article further stated that in 2010, more than 330 billion coupons were distributed in the United States.

An article on Dr. John Sith Pemberton was featured in Allred Family Organization Newsletter, No. 86, pages 12 and 13. John Allred married Ellen Pemberton. It was their son, Solomon Allred, who came to America in the early 1700s with assistance from his Pemberton cousins who had arrived earlier in America.

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by Jim Allred

*AFO Research Chairman*

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# President's Message

Last week, I went to the Pickens County, Georgia, Courthouse to record deeds where I bought land and was surprised how much real estate the Allred's owned in that county in the Eighteen Hundreds. Checking and reading old deeds records can tell you a lot about our ancestors.

The people in the courthouse related stories about the Allreds. One sued the Federal Government for a debt and took it all the way to the Supreme Court. See page 3 for this story. One Allred flew the Union flag over the Pickens Courthouse during the Civil War, and one discovered marble in Pickens County.

I'm sure hundreds of Allred stories out there just waiting to be discovered.



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