

ALCOCK, Robert

The GG-grandfather of Alice Hannah BATES was Robert Alcock, born in 1762 in Yorkshire, England.

Robert was a private Dragoon in the 3rd Regiment.

He was found guilty in 1792 of theft of a pair of spectacles and other things, and sentenced to 7 years imprisonment in New South Wales. Transported on the 'Pitt(1)'.

FAMILY NOTES

HUSBAND NOTES: Robert ALCOCK

Birth: Information from book "Fourth Fleet Families" by C. J. Smee. Also from Colin Thomas.

IGI shows bap. of Robert Alcock on 12th May, 1762 in Bingley, Yorkshire, father Robert which could be this Robert Alcock, although I have listed Robert as born in Bradford.

Convict: Transported "Pitt (1)" arrived Sydney 14th February, 1792 Reference 4/4003, reel 392 plus 4/4003A reel 2662. Muster and Papers 2/8273 page 229 reel 2426.

Trial at York Assizes on Saturday, 5th March, 1791, "Robert Alcock, a private Dragoon in the 3rd Regiment, committed the 31st day of January, 1791, charged on Oath on a violent suspicion with feloniously robbing Richard Simpson in the City of York, of a Pair of Spectacles, a Night-Cap, and other Things his Property".

Occupation: General Muster of 1822 shows Robert Alcock - free by servitude - arrived by the ship "Pitt" and was sentenced to 7 years.

Death: Registered Church of England Sydney St. James' v. 1827 7369 2C also v. 1827 31 11 - age shown as 60 years. Date from book "Fourth Fleet Families" by C. J. Smee.

Burial: v. 1827 31 11 Church of England, St. James Sydney - shows Robert Allcock, Free, Nail Maker aged 60 buried 31st May, 1827.

WIFE NOTES: Sarah BUCKHAM

Birth: Age from details on death register. Colin Thomas gives information as Sarah Buckham born 15th May, 1772 Ponteland, Northumberland.

Death: Registered Church of England Parramatta St. John's 1806 748 148 - age shown as 40 years. Surname could also be Buchan or Beecham.

CHILD NOTES: Elizabeth ALCOCK

Birth: Registered Church of England Sydney St. Phillip's v. 1797 650 1A also at Church of England Parramatta St. John's v. 1797 188 148 Mother's surname shown as Beecham, probably looked like that when hand written. Surname also shown in another book as Bucham.

Death: Registered Church of England Parramatta St. John's v. 1839 854 23A Place of abode shown as Prospect

CHILD NOTES: Laetitia ALCOCK

Birth: Registered Church of England Parramatta St. John's 1801 977 1A also 1801 283 148. Mother's surname shown as Buckan or Buchan.

In the 1880-1801 Muster, name is shown as Letitia Buckham born 22nd June, 1801.

Death: Registered Church of England Parramatta St. John's 1844 554 29 age shown as 44 years.

CHILD NOTES: William ALCOCK

Birth: Registered Church of England Parramatta St. John's not listed but found with Laetitia Alcock.

In the 1800-1801 Muster, William is shown as William Buckham born 22nd June, 1801.

Death: Registered Church of England Sydney St. James 1825 6583 2B - age 24 years. I assume this to be related to this William Alcock.

SOURCES

