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Subject: [REAVIS] Re: Wm Holeman whose dau Patience m/1809 Rowan Co NC
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This was sent to me by a fellow researcher, frm the book "The Ancestry
of Grafton Johnson" by Darmaris Knobe, Hollenbeck Press, 1924

Excerpts:

William Holeman..next to oldest of three sons of parents, names unkown,
who migrated frm Va at separate times and settled on adjacent plantations
in that part of Rowan Co., NC, which is now Davie Co.

He received his first land grant of 200 acres in 1786 rec Rowan Co DB-11
another land grant of 126 acres DB 19
This increased his plantation to 326 acres and was nw of that of his brother,
Isaac Holeman.

The log house where he lived and died, has since moved a short distance
frm the original site, and is occupied today (1924?) by an outsider of the
family., who also acquired part of the land

His experience as soldier in the Rev War, was disclosed by an account
written by his son, David Holeman, and passed down in the family;
"he fought with the NC troops and captured by Cornwallis, was paroled
with the stipulation that he would not take up arms again "against King
George"; but as he promptly disregarded this agreement, the British
"proclaimed him a reble with a price on his head" Severely wounded
seven times in the battle of Cowpens which occurred in nw SC, ...he was
abandoned on the battlefield as dead; but fate favored him for he was aft-
erward discovered by a slave who bore him away and eventually nursed

him back to heath."

William Holeman was twice married, ..Elizabeth Johnson, second Sarah Whitlock

William Holeman was "buried on his plantation, as later was his second wife; the tombstones were stolen long ago by somebody who needed a door-step.."

"His Bible, inscribed with excellent penmanship, are the dates of the births of his eleven sons and daughters"

Seven children of William Holeman and Elizabeth Johnson were:

Rebecca b Oct 27, 1775 married John Hendricks
Patience b Aug 31, 1779 married David Reavis
Mary b Nov 01 1782 m/Sigler
William b Apr 11, 1782
James b May 18, 1788
Isaac Holeman b Apr 2 1790
David HJoleman b Oct 1792 married Mary Welch

four chn of William Holeman and 2d marr to Sarah Whitlock

Thomas b Nov 26, 1797 m/Sarah Hendricks
Samuel b Jun 23, 1800 married #1 Elizabeth Jones
#2 Polly Cain-Little
Sarah b May 12, 1803 married Bennett Windson
Temperance Holeman b Feb 12, 1806 married Thos Whitlock
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