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CRABBE, HENRY A _____

Born in Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee, _____ about 1823.

Only son of Judge Henry Crabbe, a Virginian, (1793-1827 and _____

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from Tombstone*

Married, Falconina (Augusta) Ainsa, daughter of _____ Ainsa

(The Manila Man), 1853.

Son, Henry A.

Went from Tennessee to Vicksburg, Mississippi, 1847, to practice law; killed John Jenkins, editor of the Vicksburg Weekly Sentinel, who in a political quarrel attacked him with a bowie knife, September 15, 1864; left the next year for California and settled at Stockton early in 1850; City Attorney of Stockton, 1850-51; member from San Joaquin County, State assembly, 1852; member, State Senate, 1853, 1854; California Presidential Elector for Fillmore, 1856.

Organized a filibustering expedition which left San Francisco on the steamer Sea Bird January 21 and landed at San Pedro January 24, 1857; marched to Fort Yuma, arriving March 1, 1857; left Fort Yuma March 12 and marched about 45 miles up the Gila to what was afterwards known as Filibusters Camp (near the present town of Wellton); left there with about 90 men and crossed the Mexican border at Soncita on March 21; proceeded to Caborca on April 1 where he and his men were besieged on the Church; he and 58 of his men surrendered; were executed April 7, 1857.

HENRY A. CRABBE

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MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. JONES

- (1) Please ascertain the name of his mother.
- (2) Was his name Crabb or Crabbe?
- (3) What was his middle name?