

Patriot Thaddeus Beall

Major Thaddeus Beall fought in the Revolutionary War. Thaddeus was born in 1747 and died July 4, 1808. According to the Sons of the American Revolution, Thaddeus Beall is named a Patriot. He commanded a battalion in the Maryland line in the army of General George Washington. Thaddeus' father, Josiah Beall, and grandfather, Samuel Beall, were Frederick County judges in Maryland. Along with 10 other judges, they repudiated the Stamp Act in 1765. This refusal to pay England's oppressive taxes earned them the title, "The 12 Immortals." The episode was the spark that ignited other rebellious acts which led to the Revolutionary War.

Thaddeus's son, General Fredrick Beall, was born Oct 20, 1768 and died June 13, 1847. He held the offices of clerk, Court of Ordinary, and was a Justice of the Peace in Franklin County, Georgia. General Beall commanded the 2nd Brigade, Georgia division in the War of 1812.

Fredrick's son, Josiah Daniel Beall, was born Oct 1, 1805 and died about 1867. He was a farmer in Mississippi who migrated to Texas. Six of his sons fought for the Confederacy during the Civil War.

Josiah Daniel's son, William Malcom Beall, was born August 7, 1825 and died March 19, 1898. William Malcom Beall served the Confederacy in Company K, 7th Texas Calvary.

William Malcom's son, Josiah "Joe" Beall was born February 11, 1854 and died September 23, 1925. He married Josephine C. Yates and one of their sons was Henry Walter Beall.

Henry Walter Beall was born Feb 28, 1889 and died Oct 10, 1954. He broke horses, was a salesman, and a miner in New Mexico.

Henry's son, Raymond Beall Sr., was born the February 26, 1932 and died February 20, 1995. Raymond, a Marine, was attached to the Weapons Company 3rd Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, California. He served in the Korean and Vietnam War.

Raymond Beall Jr, who is now a Compatriot and Officer in the Cradle of Texas Chapter #33, Texas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, is the son of Raymond Beall Sr.