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*Via*

*George, Thomas*

*S. 16821*

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Order to pay 11. Jan 1838.  
Settled to Gen Wm G. Graves  
Dtd to Cas Agt. 19. Sept 1839.

To Madison Indiana from  
4 March 1839 10. Oct 1839.  
Notification to Pensioner  
Madison Indiana

Indiana 7392  
Herbert  
Thomas George

Oldham in the State of Kent  
who was a private in the company commanded  
by Captain Walker of the Regt commanded  
at the battle of ... in the West  
for 11 months

Enrolled on the Roll of Kentucky  
at the rate of 36 Dollars 66 Cents per annum,  
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1834.

Certificate of Pension issued the 9 day of April  
1833 and sent to Wm G. Graves  
Madison Indiana

Appears to the 1st of March 73.32  
Semi-ann. allowance ending 4 Sept = 18.33  
\$91.65

{ Revolutionary Claim, }  
{ Act June 7, 1832. }

Recorded by Daniel P. ... Clerk  
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**BRIEF in the case of** *Thomas George Hendrickson*  
**of** *Oldham County* **in the State of**  
*Kentucky* **(Act 7th June, 1832.)**

1. Was the declaration made before a Court or a Judge? *before a Court*
2. If before a Judge, does it appear that the applicant is disabled by bodily infirmity?
3. How old is he? *72*
4. State his service, as directed in the form annexed.

Period.	Duration of Service.			Rank.	Names of General and Field Officers under whom he served.
	Years.	Months.	Days.		
<i>drafted</i> <i>fall</i> In 1778 <i>Dis-</i> 1780 <i>Feb'y</i> 1781 <i>to Sept'r</i> still in service a <i>little</i> 8 months		<i>9</i>			<i>Capt'n Walker &amp; Sec'y Green</i>  <i>Gen'l Green Commandant</i>

5. In what battles was he engaged? *Guilford C. House - N. Carolina*
6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? *Sumnerburg County, Va.*
7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditionary evidence, or by the rolls? *Traditionary & living intemp*
8. Are the papers defective as to form or authentication? and if so, in what respect?

**Certify** that the foregoing statement and the answers agree with the evidence in the case above mentioned.

Examining Clerk.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Oldham County. - 1832.

In this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1832; Personally appeared, before the Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Judge of the Circuit Court of the State, and County aforesaid now sitting, Thomas George a resident of said State, and County, - aged 72 Years, and who being first duly sworn according to Law - doth on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress, passed the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1832.

That (agreeable to his Father's request) he was born in the Year 1759 - Oct<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> in the State of Virginia, and County of Amherst - That he removed from Amherst County, on the first day of Novem<sup>r</sup> 1776. to Surrenburg County, in in the same State, where he resided when he first entered the service of the United States, - and some time in the summer, or autumn of 1778, he was drafted in the State Militia for the defence of Norfolk, and Williamsburg, and ordered out for term of three months - was discharged at Smiths City (County) Court house some few days before the term of four expires (Richard's 13, or 12 days) - and that in December 1780. he entered the service as a Volunteer, in the Continental Army by Capt. Silvanus Walker - 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. James Broad - 2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Matthew F. Murry. Ensign Peter Hottis - This was raised in the Counties of Lunenburg & Woodbury, and marched from June to meet, and aid Gen<sup>l</sup>. Green, who was then flying before the Enemy for want of Food, and in the Month of February 1781. Capt. Walker with his company joined Gen<sup>l</sup>. Green's Head Quarters at the Red House in Caswell County, North Carolina (known by the name of Dobbin's) Thence the Army Marched in several zig-zag direction, until Wednesday evening March 13<sup>th</sup> on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> about between N. Col. A. M. and S. P. M. - The American Army Commanded by Gen<sup>l</sup>. Green, and his Division Army Commanded by Lord Cornwallis met on an eminence in the Woods, some small distance S. of Guilford Court house in said State of N. Carolina, when and where a bloody engagement took place & continued several hours, in which <sup>the</sup> Lieutenant <sup>was</sup> a wound through his right side a little below his Ribs - Lieutenant Murry, a ball through his left hip (and by the vigilance of friends both brought off the field of action) The American Army retreated to Frier's Iron Works - distance from the scene of <sup>action</sup> and continued at said rendezvous until Monday the 19<sup>th</sup> of March on which day Gen<sup>l</sup>. Green with the American Brigade Gen<sup>l</sup>. Thomas, Col<sup>l</sup>. Nathaniel Cook, Capt. Silvanus Walker &c. &c. to whose Brigade, Regiment and Company this applicant was attached, took the line of March in pursuit in Enemy. Our Troop some Scouts at Ramsey's Mills, where Scrimmish took place - Thence marched in various routes until the 8<sup>th</sup> of Sept 1781 <sup>met at Ectaw Springs</sup> when and where the American Army Commanded by Gen<sup>l</sup>. Green: and the Britists, under Lord Cornwallis, again confronted each other, in a bloody conflict of several hours, in which this applicant was and was discharged sometime in the Month of Sept. 1781, but through Lapse of time, have lost or mislaid his discharges. He also states that he has no other evidence of his service as a revolutionary Soldier, except that of Capt. Thomas Gains, whose affidavit, and Statement is

herewith transmitted to the department - He hereby relinquishes all & every claim whatsoever to a pension, or annuity, except the present, and declares that his name (to his knowledge or belief) is not <sup>any</sup> Pension or agency of any state in the union - Sworn to ~~and~~ subscribed the day and year above written. - - - - - Thomas George

N. B. The Tower, 1778 was under Capt. W. Mumfords  
Lieut. Richd. Dennis, field officers not Remanded }  
We John Nowell, and John Rowlett Just. of the State of Kentucky and County

of Oldham, do hereby certify that we have been acquainted with the above named Thomas George for upwards of thirty years, having lived in the same Neighbourhood where he resided in Virginia until he moved to Oldham in the state of Kentucky in the Year 1822, and still lives in the same Neighbourhood, in Oldham County Kentucky, - Who has subscribed, and Sworn to the above declaration, and have no doubt but that his age, as he has stated, and that he was a reputed, and beloved, where resided in Virginia, and is considered to be a man of honourable deportment, and strict Veracity, in the County and in the Neighbourhood where he now resides, and we have no hesitation in saying that we believe that he was a Soldier in the revolution in which Opinion we concur. The above certificate subscribed and Sworn <sup>to</sup> the day & date above written. John Nowell

John Rowlett

John Rowlett  
do certify as a Justice of the Peace in and for Oldham County Kentucky that John Nowell & John Rowlett made oath before me to the above statements given under my hand as a Justice of the Peace this 17<sup>th</sup> of September 1832

John Rowlett, Clerk  
And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion after the investigation of the matter and after putting the interrogatories prescribed by the War department that the above named Applicant was a revolutionary soldier and served as he states and the Court further certifies that it appears to them that John Nowell and John Rowlett who have signed the preceding affidavit are residents in the County of Oldham and are credible persons and that their statement is entitled to credit

J. J. Crittendon Clerk

July 20, 1836.

Mrs. A. C. Ehrhart  
"Greenacre"  
Mifflinburg, Pennsylvania.

BA-J/ILL  
Thomas George  
S. 16821  
John Tupman  
E. 104

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the Revolutionary War records of Thomas George of Virginia, and John Tupman of the Virginia State Navy.

The records of Thomas George and John Tupman are furnished herein as found in pension claims based upon service in the Revolutionary War.

THOMAS GEORGE-S. 16821.

Thomas George was born October 17, 1759, in Amelia County, Virginia; the names of his parents were not shown. He moved from said Amelia County, November 1, 1776, to Lunenburg County, Virginia, and resided there during the period of the Revolutionary War.

Thomas George enlisted in the summer or autumn of 1778, and served three months as private in Captain William Mumford's Virginia company, and was discharged at Charles City Court House. He enlisted in December 1780, served as private in Captain Sylvanus Walker's company, Colonel Nathaniel Cooke's Virginia regiment, was in the battles of Guilford Court House, Barbour's Mills and Eutaw Springs and was discharged sometime in September 1781.

The soldier moved about the year 1822, from Virginia to Oldham County, Kentucky.

He was allowed pension on his application executed September 18, 1832, at which time he resided in Oldham County, Kentucky. In September 1839, Thomas George was a resident of Jefferson County, Indiana, having moved there from Kentucky.

No reference was made to wife or children of Thomas George.

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JOHN TUPMAN - R. 104.

John Tupman resided in Westmoreland County, Virginia, previous to the Revolutionary War. His age was not stated, nor the date and place of his birth and the names of his parents given.

John Tupman was a sailing master in the Virginia State Navy during the Revolutionary War, at one time was taken prisoner by the British, and continued in service until the reduction of that navy in 1781. The length of service and other details were not given.

About April 1798, he went on board a vessel bound for the West Indies, which vessel and crew were lost at sea, presumably about 1801; said John Tupman never returned.

John Tupman was survived by a widow, who died many years prior to 1834, whose name was not given, and also by two children, William Tupman of Adair County, Kentucky, in 1834 and resided there still in 1844, and Nancy, who married Benjamin Settles; said Nancy was deceased in 1834, and was survived by four children, given in 1834, as Louisa, who married John Clark, Matilda, who married Thomas Smith, Emily, who married Thomas Stubbs, and Sally, who married Lonsey (?) or Sansay(?) Stubbs.

The Virginia half pay which was due on account of service of John Tupman, sailing master, Virginia State Navy, War of the Revolution, was allowed his heirs in 1847.

He was allowed 1000 acres of bounty land by the State of Kentucky on account of his service in the Virginia State Navy on warrant #213. Information regarding this land might be obtained from the Librarian, Virginia State Library, Richmond, Virginia.