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Hundley, John

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Kentucky

Robert Hamilton

of Adams in the State of Kentucky
who was a Private in the 1st Regt. commanded
by Captain Labrey of the 1st Regt. commanded
by Col. Nicholas during the 1st year
of the war for 1 year beginning

Inscribed on the Roll of Kentucky
at the rate of 60 Dollars per annum
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 13 day of May
1832 and 11th of
O'Neil & Hamilton

Amount to the 1st of 1832 150.00
Pension allowances ending 1st March 30.00
\$180.00

Revolutionary Claims
Act June 7, 1832

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to Gen C. Allen

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John Linnaley
clerg. Rev. War

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

State of Kentucky
Alachua County Feb 3
1830

On this 11th day of December 1830 personally appeared
and in open Court before Andrew Steele, Gabriel Rumbow Washington
Carter, & G. W. Lewis Esqrs. Justices composing the County Court
for the County of Alachua in the State of Kentucky John
H. Hundley a resident of County and State aged twenty seven
years who being first duly sworn, according to law with out aid
oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the
benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed
June 18th 1830; - that he entered in the army of the United
States, but from the great lapse of time and his advanced
age he cannot now remember what year but he
states that it was in the spring of the year preceding
that in which the battle of Antietam was
fought. - Now can he now recollect the number of the Reg-
iment which he states belonged to the Virginia line in
which he served, under the following named officers
that he resided in the County of Hanover & State of Vir-
ginia when he entered the Service, that he enlisted and
went out under Captain Charles Hlabney, Lieutenant Rich-
ard Cliff and now recollects and that he was the orderly Sergeant
and Thomas Richardson was Colonel
and - Mentenbury General, that the Company was
mustered in the County of Hanover, whence they marched
to Williamsburg, where they joined General La Fayette
that after he arrived at Williamsburg, Capt. Hlabney's
Company (the one to which he belonged) was sent for-
ward to oppose the British who were crossing the
river in their small vessels called Tom Cods - that
the day before he arrived the British were repulsed
in a fight by the troops - that there, that he and
the whole of Capt. Hlabney's Company remained at
Kemp's Landing four or five months, that from
there they returned to Williamsburg and after
remaining there about three months he then marched
back to Hanover. Court-house to meet the British
who were then marching great detachment in
that quarter - that some time after he returned to
Hanover Court-house, the British having abandoned
that neighborhood, he received a written discharge
from Capt. Hlabney which he has now since lost

He states that he was in the service during this engage-
ment as orderly sergeant ~~at least~~ - one year
The further state, that in about two weeks after he was
discharged by Capt. Labau, he was sent for by Gen-
eral M'Arthur de La Fayette, by a special messenger
to ride upon express - that he immediately
boarded La Fayette, and was charged with distributing
the waste acts of Virginia to ten Counties, that he
was sent by General La Fayette upon an express and
delivered to General Greene who was then in the South
that while performing this duty he was taken prisoner
by Col. Tarleton & his Corps, about twenty miles
from Richmond in Virginia, by whom he was
robbed of his papers, dispatches, &c. and then taken
to Richmond thence to Williamsburg at which
place he was confined in close jail ten days
thence to Jamestown, where on the night of the battle
at that place he was exchanged, - that as soon
as he recovered of the small pox which he took
with ^{from} the British, he joined La Fayette again
and continued to ride express, carrying dispatches -
to various parts of the United States, in which he
was continually engaged for ~~more than~~ one year
and until about two weeks before the close of
the war - for all of which services he has never
~~received~~ ^{that he knows of} any living wages, or by whom he can prove his services
received any compensation ~~whatsoever~~ ^{for his} ~~services~~ ^{and} ~~any~~ ^{claim} ~~whatsoever~~ ^{to a pension or an an-}
~~nuity except the present and he declares that his~~
~~name is not on the pension roll of any agency~~
~~in any State,~~

~~I have to and submitted the above to his~~
~~you of and -~~

~~A. H. H. H. H. H.~~
~~M. H. H.~~

he states that he was born in the County of Hanover
and State of Virginia in the year 1762 - that he has
no record of his age; that he lived in Roanoke
County Virginia when called into service, that he lived
in Hanover County Virginia two years after the close
of the revolutionary war from thence he moved
to Wilkes County Georgia where he lived about
two years & then moved to Kentucky where he
was since ^{he was his principal residence} ~~resided~~ that he enlisted in the ser-
vice in the Virginia State line - and that Capt
Charles Hatney, Richard Cluff anderson Jackson
were those above named and a part of the regular
officers who read over the books when he served
he does not collect the ^{military} Continental & military
money with which he was acquainted - that he received
a written discharge from Capt Hatney which
he has lost - he states that he is well known to
Jesse Fryer, William Gatewood, and others etc,
who can testify who reside in his present neigh-
borhood who can testify to his character for
bravery and true belief of his services as
a soldier of the revolution - The jury believe
grants every claim whatever to a pension or an-
nuity except the presents - and declares that his
name is not upon the pension roll of the agen-
cy of any state -

Given to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid

John A. Henderson
In and to

And the said Court do declare their opinion
that the above applicant was a revolutionary
soldier & served as he states -

Andrew Steele
Gabriel Barber
Washington Carter
William E. Gibson

I Isaac B Swathney clerk of the Aldham County Court in the State of Kentucky do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings of the said Court in the matter of the application of John Hundy son of the same.



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hands and Seal of office this 10th Day of November 1833 and 42nd Year of the Commonwealth

Isaac B Swathney

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John Hundy
for Hundy

Isaac B Swathney
Clerk

on Recd

John Hundy
son of the same

Isaac B Swathney

Isaac B Swathney
Clerk

Kentucky original
20 Dec 1865



Ward & Secretary of War

Ward

(Reduction by Davis)

Washington City

Louisville Ky. Dec. 18th 1833

Honble Secretary of War

Sir

Enclosed is the declaration
of John Hundley - applying for a pension
from the government - as a revolutionary
soldier - You will please direct your
answer to me at this place -

J. H. Field