

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Torrence Curry R20355 f9VA
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Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you the application of Torrence Curry, an applicant for pension for revolutionary services, under the 18th of May, 1828, and have to ask the favor of you to correspond directly with me on the subject

Very respectfully, Sir
Your most obt. Servant
Samuel F. Hunt

Honble. R. Rush
Sec. of the Treasury

Revolutionary Claims

Treasury Department,
6 January 1829

Torrence Curry, of Sparta in the County of Dearborn in the State of Indiana has applied to the Secretary of the Treasury for the benefits of the act, entitled "An Act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution," approved the 15th of May, 1828. He states that he enlisted in the Continental line of the army of the Revolution, for and during the war, and continued until its termination, at which period he was Private

in captain Taylor's company, in the regiment of the Virginia line; and that he received a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars, provided by the resolve of the 15th of May, 1778; and further, that he was not on the 15th day of May, 1828, on the pension list of the United States, and that he has received as a pensioner since the 3d of March, 1826, nothing.

The Third Auditor is requested to report how far the several statements corroborated by the records in his office.

By order of the secretary,
F A Dickens

Treasury Department,

Third Auditor's Office

9th January 1829

~~It appears by the records in this office, that a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars has been issued to _____ in the _____.~~

It further appears that Torrence Curry is not now on the pension list of the any agency and has been so since the 3d March 1826

~~_____ at the rate of _____ dollars per month.~~

The name of Torrence Curry cannot be found among those of the Virginia Line to whose certificates for the gratuity of eighty dollars were issued.

Peter Hagner, Aud.

General Land Office

February 6th 1829

The name of Torrence Curry does not appear on the list on the list of warrants by the register of the Land Office of Richmond, Virginia, so far as they have been received.

G.W. Gresham

Commissioner

War Depart.: Bounty Land Office

6th May 1829

The records of this office do not show that Torrence Curry of the Virga. line ever received or is entitled to bounty land of the United States.

Robert Taylor

For the purpose of obtaining the benefits of the act entitled "an act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the army of the revolution." approved on the 15th day of May 18. 1828, I Torrence Curry of the township of Sparta in the County of Dearborn in the State of Indiana do hereby declare that I enlisted in the Continental Line of the army of the Revolution for and during the war, and continued in its Service until its termination; at which period I was a private in Capt. Taylor's Company of the 4th Regiment of the Virginia Line on the Continental Establishment But the name of the Colonel who commanded the Regiment I do not now recollect. And I do also declare that I was afterwards received certificates for the reward of Eighty dollars to which I was entitled under an act of Congress Passed the 15th day of May 1778.

And I further declare that I was not on the 15th day of May 1828 on the pension list of the United States.

Witness my hand this 19th day of December 1828. Signed
in presence of
Samuel F Hunt

His
Torrence X Curry
Mark

State of Ohio

City of Cincinnati J.P. Before me Isaac G Burnett. Mayor of the City Aforesaid personally appeared this day Eliel Chaffin and John R. Arnold the first who resides in Dearborn County in the State of Indiana and John R Arnold who resides in the City of Cincinnati who did severally make oath that Torrence Curry by whom the forgoing declaration was subscribed is generally reputed to have been a soldier in the army of the Revolution. In manner as there in stated.

Eliel Chaffin
John R Arnold

In testimony of all which have here with hereunto subscribed my name and a fixed the corporate seal of the said City. This 19th day of December 1828

Isaac G. Burnet,
Mayor