

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Henson Day R2782 Rosanna Day VA
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[The pension application is evidently missing from the file, but the following correspondence gives some indication of its content.]

COPY. [Typed] War Department, Pension Office./ May 8, 1824.
Hon. J. B. Reynolds,/ H. R. [House of Representatives]
Sir:/ The claim of Hanson Day to a pension on account of revolutionary service, has been examined. He states that he served in a regiment commanded by Col. Stark of the Virginia line. No Colo. of that name belonged to the Virginia line of continental troops. As the law of the 18th of March 1818, under which Mr. Day claims, provides for those only who served on the continental establishment, his claim cannot be allowed. His declaration will remain on the files of this Office, agreeably to our regulations.
J. L. E. [James L. Edwards, Commissioner of Pensions]

Hardeman county, Tenn./ February 9th, 1854.
Hon. L P. Waldo [Commissioner of Pensions],
Sir:/ Some years since, my husband, Henson Day, made application to be pensioned, which application was suspended or rejected. At the time the application was made he was residing in Hardeman county, Tennessee, I wish you to examine the papers filed in your office, and inform my Attorney, Geo. W. Talbot, of Spring Creek, Madison county, Tenn., the cause of said suspension or rejection
Yours, &c./ Rosanna Day