

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Mollihon (Mollehon)¹ R7295

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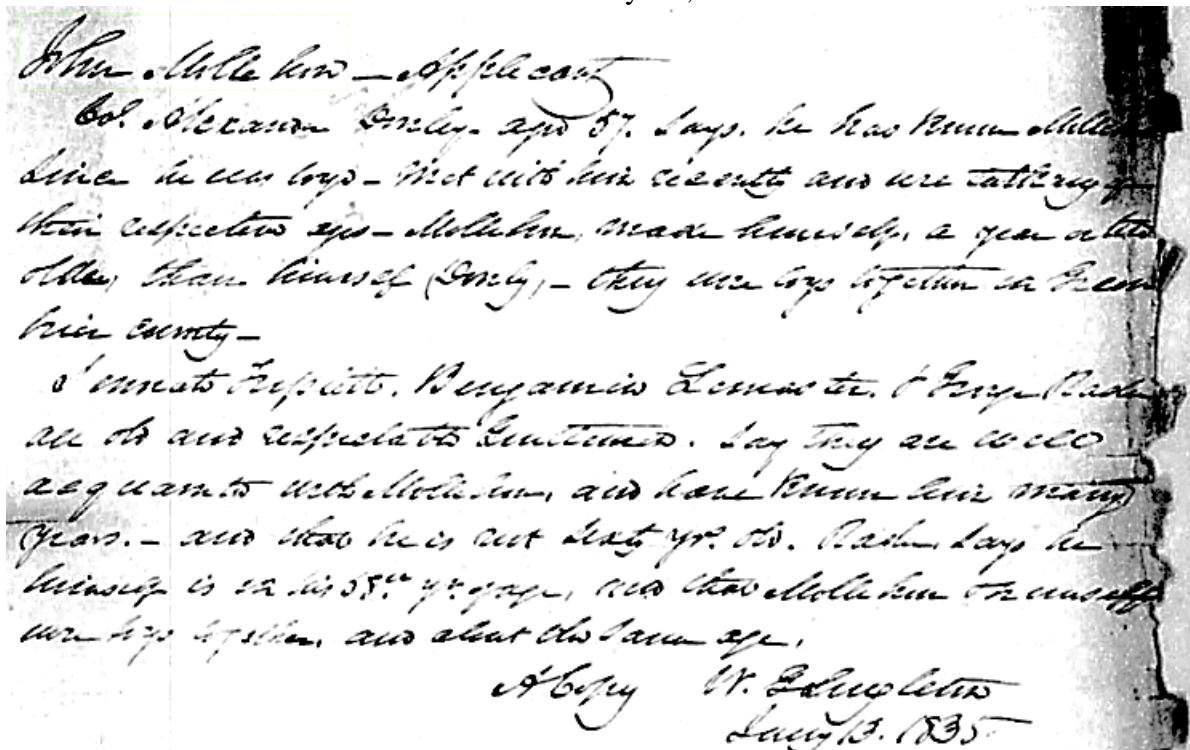
John Mollihon Applicant Nicholas County Not Enlisted Rejected

John Mollehon – Applicant

Col. Alexander Donley aged 57 and says he has known Mellehon [sic] since he was boys—Met with him recently and are talking of their respective ages – Mollehn [sic], made himself a year or two older than himself (Donly [sic]) – they were boys together in Greenbrier County –

Sennats Triplett, Benjamin Lemaster & George Rader [could be Raden] all old and respectable Gentlemen. Say they are well acquainted with Mollehon and have known him many years. – And that he is but 60 years old. Rader says he himself is in his 58th year and that Mollehen [sic] & himself were boys together, and about the same age.

A Copy S/ W. G. Singleton
Jany. 13, 1835



¹ Note on cover sheet: "Va residence in 1835"

The printed list of 1852 of Rej. and Sus. Rev. pension claims, page 242 showed John Mollihon of Greenbrier County Virginia suspended, "By evidence of his age."

[Note: This file contains no pension application. This case is another example of the cases handled by G W Singleton. See the excellent article regarding the fraud investigation handled by Singleton contained in C. Leon Harris' transcription of the pension application of [David W. Sleeth S6111](#). Leon points out that two of the witnesses relied upon by Singleton in this case are the same as Singleton relied upon in the case of [Solomon Baker R438](#) where they were identified as Alexander Donnally and George Rader.]