

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

North Carolina 16.138

Thomas Ives S20899

of Currituck in the State of North Carolina who was a Pri. in the company commanded by **Captain Jarvis** of the Regt. commanded by **Col. Dozier** in the North Car. line for 18 months.

Inscribed on the Roll of North Carolina at the rate of 60 Dollars per annum, to commence on the 4th day of March 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 10th day of July '33 and sent [to] **Hon. W.B. Shepard** - Edenton, N.C.

Arrears to the 4 th of March 1833	\$120.00
Semi-anl. allowance ending 4 Sep.	30.00
	\$150.00

{Revolutionary Claim}
{Act June 7, 1832}

Recorded by **Wm. Miller**, Clerk
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State of North Carolina
Currituck County

On this 29th day of August 1832 personally appeared in open Court before **Caleb Etheridge, John B. Jones, Benjamin T. Simmons, and William Bray**, Justices of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Currituck and state of North Carolina - **Thomas Ives** a resident of said county and State aged seventy nine years who being first sworn according to Law doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed 7th of June 1832. He saith that he entered into the militia service of the State of North Carolina on the 20th of May 1776 under **Captain John Jarvis** and served one year and eight months & was then discharged--that he was then stationed on Currituck Banks to Guard the Coast and Indlet--that he has no documentary evidence but can prove the service by **Hosea Ball** and **Jesse Perry**. He further says that he enlisted in November 1780 in Captain **Thomas Jarvis**' Company and served six months near North Carolina and Virginia Line North West being most of the time at head Quarters. **Peter Dozier** was Colonel and **Isaac Gregory** General at the time. He had no documentary evidence but can prove the service herein last stated by Thomas Jarvis who was their Captain. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to any pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of the Agency of any State.

Sworn & subscribed the day & year aforesaid.

(signed) **Thomas Ives**

[Edward Hardy, a clergyman, and Foster Jarvis gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

Hosea Ball and Jesse Perry made oath that they are well acquainted with Thomas Ives who has subscribed and sworn to the above Declaration and that they know that he performed stated to be in the knowledge of these affiants.

S/ Hosea Ball¹
S/ Jesse Perry²

¹ [Hosea Ball S2365](#)

² [Jesse Perry S8947](#)

Thomas Jarvis³ maketh oath that he is well acquainted with Thomas Ives who has subscribed and sworn to the above Declaration and that he knows he performed the service stated to be in the knowledge of this affiant.

S/ Thomas Ives

Amended Declaration of **Thomas Ives**
State of North Carolina
Currituck County

On the 6th day of May 1833 personally appeared in open Court before **John B. Jones, Benjamin T. Simmons**, and **William Bray**, Esqrs., Justices of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Currituck & state of North Carolina **Thomas Ives** who made the following amended Declaration to a Declaration filed in this office on the 29th day of August 1832 for the purpose of obtaining a Pension under the Act of June the 7th 1832.

Thomas Ives being duly sworn says that he was born in Currituck County in Oct. 1752, has his age recorded at home in a bible, has always lived in Currituck, that he enlisted for two years but served only eighteen months of his time, having been discharged prior to the expiration of his time, but that he has lost or mislaid the evidence of his discharge. This affiant further saith that he has stated the manner of his service in his former Declaration as particularly as he can now do.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.

(signed) **Thomas Ives**

And the said Court do hereby certify that **Hosea Ball** and **Jesse Perry** and **Thomas Jarvis** the witnesses who proved the service of **Thomas Ives** as stated in his former Declaration are credible persons and entitled to full faith and credit.

I Spence Hall Clerk of the County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Currituck and State

aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing contain a copy of the original amended proceedings of said Court in that matter of an application of **Thomas Ives** for a Pension.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal of office this the 6th day of May A.D. 1833.

S. Hall, CCC October 31, 1934

Mrs. E.L. Oberly
1412 Hess Avenue
Lansing, Michigan

Dear Madam,

Reference is made to your letter relative to **Thomas Ives**, a soldier of the Revolutionary War.

The date contained herein are obtained from the papers on file in the Revolutionary War claim for pension, S.20899, based upon his military service in that war.

Thomas Ives was born in October 1752 in Currituck County, North Carolina. No reference is made to his parents.

He enlisted May 20, 1776 and served one year and eight months in Captain **John Jarvis**' Company, Colonel **Samuel Jarvis**' North Carolina Regiment. He enlisted in November 1780 and served six months in Captain **Thomas Jarvis**' Company, Colonel **Peter Dozier**'s North Carolina Regiment.

³ [Thomas Jarvis S2649](#)

He was allowed pension on his application executed August 29, 1832 while a resident of Currituck County, North Carolina where he had always lived.

There is no family data.

Very truly yours

A.D. Hiller

Assistant to Administrator

Supplemented 1/19/11 by Will Graves

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The Amended Declaration of Thomas Ives of Currituck County made in addition to his Declaration made on the 29th of August 1832 & his amended Declaration made on the 26th of May 1833 –

In amendment he says he can only state that at the time he performed his service in the militia as mentioned in his Declaration on the 29th of August 1832, Colonel Samuel Jarvis was Colonel of Currituck County, and General Isaac Gregory of Camden was either Major General or Brigadier General but which of the two this Declarant does not know. This Declarant further says that he was stationed in Currituck on the banks along the sea shore & was placed there with the company to guard the coast, that the company of which he was a member was the only company in that vicinity and that he seldom saw any officer but those belonging to his company. He further says, that he knows not how to make a more particular statement and that he has already proved his services by Hosea Ball and Jesse Perry two credible witnesses. He further says that as to the last service mentioned in his Declaration of the 29th of August 1832 – he cannot be more particular than he has been and that he has proved this service by Thomas Jarvis who was his Captain at the time and that the said Jarvis is a credible & respectable witness

S/ Thomas Ives



[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$60 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for 18 months service as a private in the North Carolina militia.]