

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

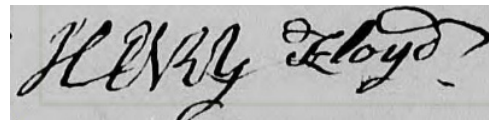
Pension Application of Henry H. Floyd S31030 VA
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. 13 Feb 2014.

State of Kentucky }
County of Union } Ss

On this 21st day of October 1833 personally appeared before Charles B Ross George Johnson & Lewis Greenwell Henry Floyd a resident of the county of Union & State of Kentucky aged seventy two years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. He states that he entered the service of the united states in the spring of the year 1781 as well as he recollects as a substitute for one Augustine Banester a drafted Militia man from the county of Fauquier & State of Virginia under the command of Captain John OBannon Lieutenant Joseph Nelson & Ensign Thomas Nelson, that the Company to which he belonged rendezvoused at Fauquire Courthouse & marched from thence through part of Stafford County & thence to Fredericksburgh [sic: Fredericksburg] & from thence to what was called the Mobbin Hills [sic: Malvern Hill 15 mi SE of Richmond], where we were joined the main army commanded by General Stephens [sic: Edward Stevens], and this affiant was attached to the regiment Commanded by Col [Armistead] Churchill & was then marched down to Williamsburg and become stationed there for some time at the Barracks & the British landed there & drove the american army from their intrenchment and took possession of the american position, and burnt the barrack [20 Apr 1781] the american army retreated & crossed the Pamunky river [sic: Pamunkey River] & marched up to Richmond and this affiant turn of service having expired he was discharged & returned home, he served three months in this campaign

He states that in the fall of the year 1781 he again entered the service of the United States as a substitute for one Henry Asbury a drafted militia man from Fauquire County & state of virginia We rendezvoused at Fauqure Courthouse under the Command of Captain William Grigsby and was attached to the rigment commanded by Col. Edmunds [sic: William Edmonds] General Stephens was the general commander & was marched down & stationed between Williamsburgh & little York at that time General Washington was Commander in cheaf & had Cornwallace enclosed in little York [sic: Cornwallis at siege of Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct 1781], the term of service of this affiant having expired he was discharged & returned home a short time before the surrender of Cornwallace, he was in actual service three months on this campaign he states he does not know of any person by whom he can prove his services except Thomas Kincheloe [pension application W1620], he states he has long since lost or mislaid his discharge he states he has no record of his age, but has seen the record thereof made by his father, he is seventy two years old the 21st day of September last, he was bourn in the year 1761 in Prince William County & State of virginia and lived in Fauquir County in said state & has resided in the State of Kentucky ever since the revolutionary war part of the time in the County of Nelson & part in the county of Union where he now resides

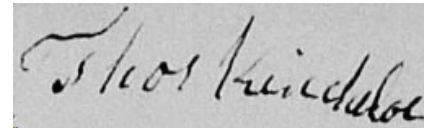
He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present & he declairs that his name is not on the pension rolls of any agency in any state Sworn to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid



State of Kentucky } Ss
Breckenridge County }

On this 29th day of March 1834 personally appeared before me the undersigned a Justice of the Peace in & for the County of Breckenridge & state afs'd. Thomas Kincheloe aged 72 years – who being

first duly sworn deposed & saith that he was out in the revolutionary war in the fall of the year 1781 under the Command of Captain William Grigsby and was attached to the regiment of Colonel Edmunds in the Virginia Militia, that when he was out on this tour he became acquainted with Henry H. Floyd now living in Union County Kentucky – that he saw him frequently during said expedition. and knows that he served his Country as a militia man He believes that he served the same length of this affiant which was about four months. This affiant was also out in the spring of the year 1781 but does not positively recollect of seeing the said Floyd at that time but he remembers on the fall tour to have heard Floyd say that he had served in the spring as a substitute for some person. and he also heard it spoken of by others during the same tour, and this affiant fully believes he did serve a tour in the spring of that year.

A rectangular image showing a handwritten signature in cursive script. The signature appears to read "Thomas Kinchloe".

NOTE: In the file is a typed genealogical record dated 23 Sep 1921 referring to Henry Helm Floyd.

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Floyd Henry H
Transcription by FA Weyler

VA

S31030
16Aug 2013

[p2] Kentucky certificate 25.940
Henry Floyd of Union County
Private in Virginia militia under
Captain O'Bannon and Col Churchill
Issued 21Jul1834 @ \$20/annum

[p6] State of Kentucky
Union County

On this 21st day of October 1838 personally appeared before Charles B Ross, George Johnson & Lewis Greenwell, Henry Floyd, a resident of the county of Union & State of Kentucky aged seventy two years. Who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. He states that he entered the service of the United States in the spring of the year 1781 as well as he can recollect as a substitute foe one Augustine Demaster a draftee militia man from the county of Fauquier & state of Virginia under the command of Captain John O'Bannon, Lieutenant Joseph Nelson & Ensign Thomas Nelson. That the company to which he belonged rendezvoused at Fauquier Courthouse & marched from thence through part of Stafford County & thence to Fredericksburg & from thence to what was called the Mobbin Hills where we were joined the main army commanded by General Stephens. And this affiant was attached to the regiment commanded by Col Churchill & was then marched down to Williamsburg and became stationed there for some time at the barracks & the British landed there & drove the American army from their entrenchment and took possession of the American position and burnt the barrack. The American army retreated & crossed the Pamunkey River & marched up to Richmond and this affiant term of service having expired he was discharged * returned home. He served three months in this campaign.

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He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present & he declares that his name is not on the pension roll of any agency in any state. Sworn to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid.

A black and white photograph of a handwritten signature in cursive script. The signature reads "HENRY H. Floyd" with a large, decorative flourish at the end of the name.

[routine county supporting statements & certification

Henry Black, clergy

Hiram McElroy, neighbor

C.B. Ross JP

Geo Johnson JP

Lewis Greenwell JP

James R Hughes, clerk]

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State of Kentucky

Breckinridge County

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[p18] tour. And this affiant fully believes he did serve a tour in the spring of that year.

Sworn to & subscribed the day & year afd before me.

Thos Kincheloe

Vivion Daniel, JPBC

Buckner Board, clerk BCC