

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Andrew Ice S32336

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State of Indiana Henry County: SS

On this the 10th day of November 1832 Personally Appeared in open court Before the Honorable Jesse H Haly Probate Judge of the County of Henry and State of Indiana now sitting Andrew Ice aged 74 years of the County of Henry and State of Indiana who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. That he entered the service of the United States sometime in the year 1778 or '9 he cannot distinctly recollect in the County of Monongahala [Monongalia, now West Virginia] State of Virginia, and lived when he entered the service in the County of Monongahala in the State of Virginia aforesaid and born in Hampshire County in the State of Virginia aforesaid and was principally raised in the County of Monongahala in the State of Virginia aforesaid and served as a volunteer six months under Captain Owen Davy Lieutenant Morgan Morgan the other officers that tower [tour] he does not recollect and that we marched from Prickett's Fort [Pickett's Fort] to the head of Buffalo Creek in Monongahala County in the State of Virginia aforesaid and there we erected a Block house and remained six months except what time we were out a scouting we then received a discharge from Captain Owen Davy as before stated, and in the year 1779 or '80 he cannot distinctly recollect the time he entered the service of the United States under Captain Jacob Prickett that Harrison's Fort in my behavior County and State of Virginia aforesaid & served two months under Captain Jacob Prickett and Lieutenant Morgan Morgan in the County of Monongahala he of an State aforesaid and then received a discharge by Captain Jacob Prickett and in the fall the same year he entered the service again at Prickett's Fort in Monongahala County in the State of Virginia aforesaid and then marched from there to Holt's mill in the County and State last aforesaid and there remained 2 months and then returned to Prickett's Fort aforesaid and there received a discharge from service by Captain Jacob Prickett and in the year 1782 as near as he can recollect he volunteered under Captain James Brinton, Lieutenant Lewis Rogers, Ensign Philip Waters, at Rogers Fort in the County of Monongahala and State of Virginia aforesaid and from there marched to Catfish Fort, Washington County Pennsylvania and remained there a few days and then marched to montures bottom [probably Montour Bottom in Allegheny County Pennsylvania] in the State of Virginia at the Ohio River and there remained about one week and then we marched to the big beaver on the Ohio River at Fort Machintosh [Fort McIntosh] there Joined the Regiment under Colonel John Evans which Regiment was composed of the following named officers Zadix Springer, Major – under the command of General Machintosh [Lachlan McIntosh] the other officers he does not recollect – We there remained about two months and

then marched to the Tuscarawa [Tuscarawas?] in the State of Ohio and there remained two months or upwards, then re-we returned to Fort McIntosh and there at the expiration of six months we received a discharge by Colonel John Evans and he knows of no person whose testimony he can procure to testify to his service. He hereby relinquishes every claim to a pension [or] annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the roll of the agency of any State –

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid

S/ Andrew Ice, X his mark

Witness S / John Elliott

Whereupon the court put the following interrogatories to the applicant

Question 1. Where and in what year were you born

Ans. I was born in Hampshire County Virginia in the year 1758

Question 2. Have you any record of your age & if so where is it

Ans. I have a record of my age at home in my Bible

Question 3. Where were you living when called into [service] where have you lived since the revolutionary war and where do you now live

Ans. I was living in Monongahela County Virginia when called into service and lived there until sometime in April 1832 I then moved to the County of Henry in the State of Indiana and have there lived ever since.

Question 4. How were you called into Service were you drafted, did you volunteer or were you a Substitute

Ans. 4 I served each tower as a volunteer

Question 5. State the names of some of the regular officers who were with the troops where you served such Continental and militia Regiments as you can recollect and the general circumstances of your service.

Ans. One officer the first tower was Captain Owen Davy Lieutenant Morgan Morgan as before stated in my declaration the other officers he does not recollect, that officers in our second tower were Captain Jacob Prickett, Morgan Morgan Lieutenant the officers in our 3rd tower were Captain James Brinton Lieutenant Lewis Rogers Ensign Philip the Officers of the Regiment we joined were Colonel John Evans, Major Zadix Springer commanded by General McIntosh.

Question 6. Did you ever receive a discharge from the service, and if so by whom was it given and what has become of it

Ans. I received a discharge each tower the first was given by Captain Owen Davy , the 2nd by Captain Jacob Prickett and the 3rd by Colonel John Evans those who they are all lost and mislaid thinking I should never one of them

Question 7, State the name of persons to whom you are known in your present neighborhood and who can testify to your character for veracity and their belief of your services as a Soldier of the revolution

Ans. 7. There are Jesse Mellett and Joshua Hickman and I believe the whole neighborhood. [Joshua Hickman and Jesse Mellett, both clergymen, gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

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Virginia Monongalia [sic] County to wit

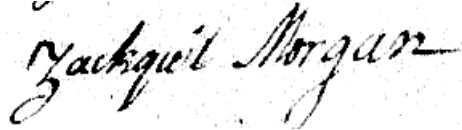
Personally appeared Zackquill Morgan, and old inhabitant of this County, before me David Morgan a justice of the peace who after being duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith that he was a noncommissioned officer in General McIntosh's Army and served during his

tour against the Indians North West of the Ohio River in the year 1778. And that he belonged to Colonel John Evans' Regiment & Captain James Brinton's Company of Militia from said County. That Andrew Ice of said County was a private in said company, of said Regiment during the said campaign, and was a messmate of said Morgan. That the said Z. Morgan has been a resident of the said County of Monongalia since the year 1775, – and that said Andrew Ice was a resident in said County at the time he came into the County, that the said Ice remained a resident in said County until his recent removal to the State of Indiana as a good Citizen.

Sworn to and subscribed before made the 30th day of May 1833.

S/ David Morgan, JP

S/ Zackquil Morgan¹



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State of Indiana Delaware County: SS

Personally came before me William VanMatre Clerk of the Delaware Circuit Court William Daugherty² who being duly sworn on his oath says that he can perfectly well recollect and can swear positively that Andrew Ice served six months as a volunteer soldier as follows, to wit, they rendezvoused at the place where Washington Pennsylvania now stands, then called Cat Fishes Fort, we both served under Colonel Evans, Ice served under Captain Brenton [sic] and that he himself served under Captain Daugherty that they went from thence to the Ohio River at a little below Fort Pitt from thence we descended the Ohio River to the mouth of the Big Beaver where we built Fort McIntosh from thence we went to the Tuscarawas branch of the Muskingum River from thence we returned to Fort McIntosh and were there dismissed. We entered on this tour about the first of September 1778 and were dismissed about the first of March 1779.

(Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th August 1833)

S/ William Daugherty, X his mark

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Personally appeared before me the undersigned Justice of the peace within and for the County of Henry and State of Indiana Andrew Ice who claims a pension under the late acts of Congress for services rendered in the Revolutionary war being first duly sworn deposed and saith that by reason of old age and the consequent loss of memory he cannot swear positively as to the precise length of his service; but according to the best of his recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned below, and in the following grades – as a volunteer under Captain Owen Davy six months – in the year A.D. 1777, six months as a volunteer under General McIntosh in the year A.D. 1778 Also two months under Captain Prickett at Scott's Mill and two months under Captain Warman at Harrison's Fort.

S/ Andrew Ice³

Sworn and subscribed to before me June 17th A.D. 1833

S/ John Mellett, JP

¹ [Zackquil Morgan W1912](#)

² FPA W4182 [Pennsylvania]

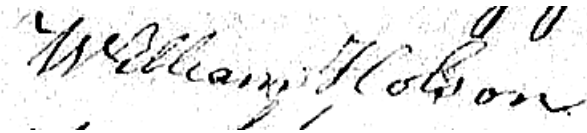
³ I think the justice of the peace signed the applicant's name – I base this on the handwriting of the body of the document itself being identical to the signature

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The State of Ohio Richland County: SS

Personally appeared before me John Murray a Justice of the peace within and for said County William Holson⁴ who being first duly sworn according [to] law deposeth and saith that he served in the Army of the Revolution with Andrew Ice and to his certain knowledge and that the said Andrew Ice did with the said William Holson served together in the Revolution and they were stationed together at Captain Owen Davey's [sic] station near to Buffalo Creek in Monongalia County in the State of Virginia in the year 1776 Colonel Zachus Morgan was commander of our Regiment, Captain Owen Davey [sic] was the Captain that we served under and according to the best of his recollection Morgan Morgan was our Lieutenant and John Davison [John Davidson] was our Ensign. And further saith not.

S/ William Holson

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William Holson". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored background. There are some faint, illegible markings above the signature, possibly initials or a date.

[Facts in file: Veteran died March 13, 1848; the arrearages at the time of his death were paid to Jesse Ice, administrator (relationship not stated); there is no family data in this file.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$20 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for service as a private for 6 months in the Virginia service.]

⁴ FPA S9587