

**Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters**

**Pension Application of Barchlay [Bartlett] Holmes S34926**  
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Service	Name	Number
Va.	Holmes, Barchlay or Bartlett	S. 34926

17 700  
Maryland

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Barchlay or Bartlett Holmes of Washington Co [County] in the state of Maryland who was a private in the regiment command by Colonel Russell- of the Virginia line, for the term of the war from 1776.

Inscribed on the Roll of Maryland at the rate of eight dollars per month, to commence of the 1<sup>st</sup> of August, 1820.

Certificate of Pension issued the 5<sup>th</sup> Sept: 1820 of sent to Thos. Kennedy Esqr. Hagerstown Md.

Arrears to 4 <sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1820-	9.06
Semi-anl. All' ce. ending 4 March 1820-	48.00
1mo. 4/20	\$:57:06

{revolutionary claim act 18<sup>th</sup> march 1818}  
1 May 1820

Barkley Holmes-

Col. Innis & Russell's Virg. Reg.  
1776- for 3 rd, & for the war-.  
1 Aug. 1820-  
See roll "Bartlett"  
See roll again  
"Bartlett" Holmes  
Bartlett Holmes  
Adm<sup>d</sup>

State of Maryland, Washington County, SS

On this first----- day of August---1820, personally appeared in open court,

being a court of record for the said county, Barchlay Holmes----aged about sixty four years, resident in said county who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, ~~declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows:-~~make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the Acts of Congress of 18 March 1818 and 1 May 1828. That he enlisted for the term of three years, in or about the month of December in the year seventeen hundred and seventy-six in the state of Virginia in a company commanded by Capt. James Grey [also spelled James Gray]- In the regiment commanded by Col. Ennis [Lt. Col. James Innis] in the line of the state of Virginia on the continental establishment that before the expiration before his term he reenlisted at Middlebrook to the North, for during the war. Before the resignation of Capt. Gray he was commanded by Lieut. Saml Jones [Samuel Jones] he was afterwards marched to the south under the command by Capt. Mosely [Moseley] of the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment of Virginia regulars commanded by Col. Russell. That he continued to serve until after the siege of York when he was discharged from the service at Winchester in the State of Virginia. That he was in the battles of Germantown, Monmouth, Stoney Point, Charles Town [Charleston], Little York & Powles Hook [Paulus Hook]- he was taken prisoner at Charleston Town; afterwards deserted from the Enemy and joined the Army just before the siege of York- and that he hath no other Evidence now in his power of his said services-----

In pursuance of this act of 1 May 1820

~~And~~ I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner whatever disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision of an act of Congress entitled “an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war” passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818, and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property, or securities, contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed

Schedule of Property

No Property except his Wearing Apparel -----

His former occupation was that of Laborer but he is not now able to pursue is occupation having suffered severely by an attack of paralysis for near three years. He has no family except one son who does not reside with him.

Barchlay X Holmes his mark

Witness

Thos Kennedy

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Revy INVALID.

File No. 34,926

Barchlay Holmes

Or Bartlett

Pri Rev War

Act: 18<sup>th</sup> March 18<sup>th</sup>

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[arrangement of 1870.]

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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)] added by Will Graves 4/14/14

I do Certify that Bartlett Holmes enlisted with me the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1776 to serve as a Soldier for three years in the Continental Army

July 21<sup>st</sup>, 1783  
A True Copy  
J Pendleton, Jr.

S/ Giles Raines  
Lieutenant in the 15<sup>th</sup> Regiment

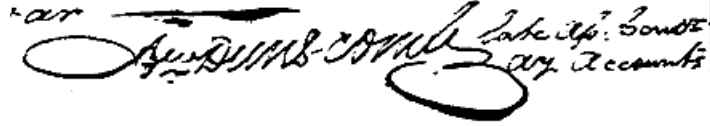
Certify that Bartlett Holmes reenlisted with me the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1778 to serve as a Soldier in the Continental Army for during the War.

A True Copy  
J Pendleton, Jr.

Samuel Jones, late  
a Captain in the 11<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment  
April 29, 1783

I do Certify that from a final Settlement Certificate No. 94849 received from the Commissioner of Army Accounts and delivered to Mr. William Reynolds, it appears Bartlett Holmes was a Soldier in the Army until the end of the War.

S/ Aw Dunscomb late Asst. Comr. Ay [Army] Accounts

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Aw Dunscomb', with a vertical line to its right. The signature is written in black ink on a white background.

Richmond  
May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1788