Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Elisha Hogg W19808 Patty fn21NC
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State of North Carolina Johnston County

On this 14th day of September 1843 personally appeared before the subscriber one of the Justices of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for said County Patty Hogg resident of Johnston County aged 88 years who being first duly sworn according to law doth upon her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the 3rd Section of the Act of Congress passed the 4th day of July 1836. That she is the widow of Elisha Hogg who was a soldier of the Revolutionary War that her husband the said Elisha Hogg deceased, enlisted in the year 1778 for three years and served in Captain Benjamin Coleman's Company in the Continental Army for that Period of time that she well recollects the time when her husband left home to join the Army in the spring of the year, in the commencement of the planting season and he did not return home until the termination of his tour of enlistment. She recollects the time of his return from another circumstance which was about the time Lord Cornwallis passed through the Country not very far from where they lived that her husband the said Elisha Hogg stated to her he served under Captain Benjamin Coleman and that he performed the Service he stated, she is well convinced as are all her neighbors who were acquainted with him. She further declares she was legally married to her husband the said Elisha Hogg in the month of August 1776 by the Reverend James Heflin a Minister of the gospel in the County of Johnston. That her maiden name was Pattey Taylor and she resided in the County where she was married that she has no Record of her marriage nor the ages of her children; the oldest of home, Lary Hogg was born in the year 1777 and is now 66 years old to the best of her knowledge having been born about 12 months after we were married, and some time before her husband left home to join the Army; that her husband the said Elisha Hogg died in the month of January in the year 1829 aged 86 years and that she has remained a widow ever since as will more fully appear by reference to the proofs hereunto annexed.

Pattey Hogg, X her mark

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year above written

State of North Carolina Johnston County

On this 4th day of December 1843 personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County James Odom¹ a pensioner of the Revolutionary War aged 90 years who being first duly sworn according to law doth upon his oath make the following affidavit.

This affiant Testifies and says that he was well acquainted with Elisha Hogg (deceased) and with Mrs. Patsey Hogg his widow who is now applying for a pension – that the said Elisha Hogg served with me in the Revolutionary War – that I found him in the Service when I entered it and left him in the Service when I left it as he was a Regular Soldier.

This affiant has a perfect recollection of the aforesaid Elisha Hogg and of his services at different places.

S/ James Odom, X his mark

State of North Carolina Johnston County: On this 2nd day of January 1844 personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County William Batten a Soldier of the revolutionary War and Resident of said County aged 93 years who being duly sworn according to law doth upon his oath make the following declaration. This affiant testifies and says that he was well acquainted with Elisha Hogg deceased late of Johnston County who was a soldier during the revolutionary War that he served with him [indecipherable word or words, could be "five months"] I found him in the Service and left him in the Service he was a regular and I was a militia man. I know he was legally married to Patsey Taylor in the month of August 1776 by the Reverend James Heflen.

This affiant has a perfect recollection of Elisha Hogg and knows he served during the War & knows they had children Larry Hogg is about 70 years old and Richard about 67 years old. I knew Elijah Hogg died in January 1829.

S/ William Batten

William Batter

State of North Carolina Johnston County

On this 14th day of February 1844 personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County Richard Pilkenton² a pensioner as a Soldier of the Revolutionary War who being duly sworn according to law doth upon his oath make the following affidavit. This affiant testifies and says – That he was personally acquainted with Elisha Hogg deceased late of Johnston County who was a Soldier in the Revolutionary [war] for 3 years that I served with him 6 months and knows he was absent from home and I know he was in the Service for 3 years or longer. This affiant has a perfect Recollection of the aforesaid Elisha Hogg and his serving in the War of the Revolution he enlisted in Johnston County where he resided at that time and where he always lived and died. I am also acquainted with Mrs. Patty Hogg his widow who is now applying for a pension and knows she is the widow of Elisha Hogg deceased.

S/ Richard Pilkenton, X his mark

James Odom S7278 Richard Pilkenton S3701

[fn p. 12: marriage bond issued in Johnston County North Carolina to Elisha Hogg and Martin Hall August one, 1776, the condition of the bond being the marriage of Elisha Hogg to Patsey Taylor.]

State of North Carolina Office of Secretary of State

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify, that it appears from a book of settlements of the accounts of the Officers and Soldiers of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary War, deposited in this Office, that Elisha Hogg a Soldier in said line, was allowed by a Board of Commissioners at Warrenton in 1786, the sum of 186 pounds, 12 shillings and 8 pence (£186.12.8) for his services as a Soldier aforesaid in said line.

Given under my hand this first day of March 1844 S/ William Hill Secretary of State

[Veteran's widow was pensioned at the rate of \$80 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for her husband service of 2 years as a private in the North Carolina Continental line.]