

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Frederick Hübner (Huebner, Hubert)¹ W3088 Catharine f38PA
Transcribed by Will Graves 2/26/14

[Methodology: Spelling, punctuation and/or grammar have been corrected in some instances for ease of reading and to facilitate searches of the database. Where the meaning is not compromised by adhering to the spelling, punctuation or grammar, no change has been made. Corrections or additional notes have been inserted within brackets or footnotes. Blanks appearing in the transcripts reflect blanks in the original. A bracketed question mark indicates that the word or words preceding it represent(s) a guess by me. The word 'illegible' or 'indcipherable' appearing in brackets indicates that at the time I made the transcription, I was unable to decipher the word or phrase in question. Only materials pertinent to the military service of the veteran and to contemporary events have been transcribed. Affidavits that provide additional information on these events are included and genealogical information is abstracted, while standard, 'boilerplate' affidavits and attestations related solely to the application, and later nineteenth and twentieth century research requests for information have been omitted. I use speech recognition software to make all my transcriptions. Such software misinterprets my southern accent with unfortunate regularity and my poor proofreading skills fail to catch all misinterpretations. Also, dates or numbers which the software treats as numerals rather than words are not corrected: for example, the software transcribes "the eighth of June one thousand eighty six" as "the 8th of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention.]

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State of Pennsylvania York County SS

Personally appeared before me one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in & for said County Frederick Hübner and on his solemn oath taken according to the law saith that he is a Citizen of the United States & is from his reduced circumstances in life in need of assistance from his Country for support; that he served nearly three years in the Service of the Colonies, now United States & was honorably discharged therefrom as appears from the discharge here with transmitted & hereunto annexed. That he served all that time in the Corps of Armand: that he is now nearly sixty-six years of age & further saith not this Deponent.

Sworn & subscribed this 26 May 1818

S/ Geo. Barnitz

S/ Fredk Hübner



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This is to certify that Frederick Hubner armorer in the Chasseur [?] in the First Partisan Legion under my Command, has served faithfully & honestly to this Day, is hereby discharged from the service of the United States, in Pursuance of Orders received from the Commander in Chief, bearing Date the third instant.

I further certify that Frederick Hubner armorer in the Chasseur having been enlisted in the State of Pennsylvania is intitled [entitled] by the Resolution of Congress, of the 13th February, 1779, to the Benefits that have been, or hereafter shall be, granted by the said State to the Noncommissioned Officers and Soldiers of the said Line.

Given under my Hand and Seal at York Town, this 15th day of November, 1783

Armond Marquis de la Rouerie

Brigadier General

[Charles Armand Tuffin, Marquis de la Rouerie]

Entered in the Books of the Legion

Attest

S/ Godfried Swartz

Adjutant of the Legion

¹ BLWt1319-100

THIS is to certify that *Frederick Hubner* ~~armor~~ *armor* in the *Chapier* in the *First Partisan Legion*, under my Command, has served *faithfully & honestly* to this Day, is hereby discharged from the Service of the *United States*, in Pursuance of Orders received from the Commander in Chief, bearing Date the third instant.

I farther certify that *Frederick Hubner* ~~armor~~ *armor* having been *enlisted* in the *State* of *Virginia* is intituled by the Resolution of Congress, of the 13th *February*, 1779, to the Benefits that have been, or hereafter shall be, granted by the said State to the Noncommissioned Officers and Soldiers of the said Line.

Given under my Hand and Seal at *York Town*, this *fifteenth* Day of *November*, 1783.

Armand de la Rouerie Brigadier General.

Entered in the Books of the Legion.

Attest,
Cosmo J. Warh
 Adjutant of the Legion.

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State of Pennsylvania York County SS

On this twelfth day of February 1819 before me one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in & for the County of York aforesaid personally appeared Frederick Hübner aged about sixty-six years resident in the said County who being by me duly sworn according to law doth on his solemn oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the late act of Congress entitled an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & sea service of the United States in the Revolutionary War; That he the said Frederick Hubner enlisted for during the war in the month of May 1781 – That his original engagement was with the Marquis de la Rouerie [Charles Armand] in France. That he is the person named in the pass hereto attached under another name the is Frederick Hubert: that he continued to serve with & under said Marquis from that time till the period of his discharge, it being more than nine months continued service, viz., is from the month of May 1781 to November 1783 in the Legion, called Armand's Corps, or "first-Parson Legion" from the first organizing of said Legion to its discharge; that he was an armorer in said Service, that he was in the battle of York Town in Virginia at the taking of Cornwallis [top October 19, 1781], and that he is in reduced circumstances in life and stands in need of assistance from his country for support.

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year aforesaid

S/ Geo. Barnitz

S/ Frederick Hübner

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Pennsylvania York County SS

On this 31st day of July 1820, personally appeared in open court, Frederick Hubner aged sixty-eight years resident in said County who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his solemn oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows: viz.. In General Armand's Legion in the Company commanded by Captain Barron² for the term of three years or nearly as more fully will appear by his discharge, and certificate of enlistment now lying in the War Office – (by not having said certificate and discharge he is unable to mention the precise

² In the pension file of Jacob Hartline S39640, the Interior Dept. identified this officer as Baron de Uechtritz citing "See Pa. Archives, Fifth Series, Vol. III, page 879."

date of his enlistment. The date of his original application is May 26, 1818 and the number of his pension Certificate is 8,242.

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th 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 18th 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. Viz. Real property None, personal none, mixed none, my trade is that of a Locksmith I have been in very ill health for 7 years past so as to be much deprived of sleep and my natural rest. I have 6 daughters now living with me two of whom are in their minority and none of them able to afford me any assistance and two sons one only 10 years of age and the other about 25 who is the only assistance I have to maintain a family of 10 persons –

Sworn to, and declared, on the 31st day of July, 1820 before
S/ Walter Franklin S/ Frederick Hübner

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Paris 15^e May 1781 —
Je certifie que les nommés Frederic Hubert
et John Henry Simble. Tous deux attachés à
mon service vont à West pour se joindre.
ils y seront rendus le 1^{er} Juin 1781 —
Armand M. de la Rouerie

[Transcribers Note: I could not translate the above document but since it contained what appeared to be the actual signature of Colonel Armand I included it. Also, I believe it is probably the "pass" referred to by the veteran in one of his applications.]

[p 5: On May 19, 1828 in York County Pennsylvania, the veteran filed for his bounty land entitlement from the federal government as a revolutionary war soldier. This application was supported by the following affidavit:

I Leonard Baumgardner³ aged seventy-four years do upon oath declare that I have been long acquainted with Frederick Hubner, who has subscribed the above declaration in my presence and well know that he is the identical person he therein represents himself to be and further I do

³ [Leonard Baumgartner \(Baumgartel\) BLWt1305-100](#)

know that he did perform the military service therein stated.

S/ Leonard Baumgardner, X his mark]

[p 21: On September 29, 1839 in York County Pennsylvania, Catharine Huebner, aged about 76 years, made application for a widow's pension under the 1838 act stating that she is the widow of Frederick Huebner, a revolutionary war pensioner; that she married him March 28 in either 1783 or 1784, she is not certain which; the marriage ceremony was performed by the late Jacob Goering, pastor of the German Lutheran Church in York Pennsylvania. She signed her application with her mark.]

[p 6: On January 2, 1839 in York County Pennsylvania, Maria Elizabeth Miller identified herself as one of the daughters of Frederick and Catharine Huebner [sic]; that her mother Catharine is now an applicant for a pension under the 1838 act; that she, the affiant, still resides with her mother in York Borough; that her mother has been for several years almost entirely blind; that she, the affiant, has been in charge of all of the family papers including the family Record of the births of all the children of her parents which is in the handwriting of Frederick Huebner. She signed her affidavit with her mark.]

[p 22: Susanna Albrecht, about 63 years of age, gave testimony on September 29, 1838 in York County Pennsylvania that she was present in her father's house when Catharine Huebner married Frederick Huebner. She signed her affidavit with her mark.]

[p 12: Family record translation;

Christian Hübner born February 2, 1785, at 1 AM, died March 9, 1787 at 3 AM

Johnaes Hübner, born February 16, 1787, at 6 AM

Georg Hübner, born October 5, 1788, at 3 AM, died February 19, 1791

Anna Maria born October 2, 1790, at 3 AM

Maria Elizabeth born November 17, 1792, at 6 AM

Sarah Hübnerin born September 2, 1795 at 5 AM

Frederick Hübner born October 12, 1797 at 5 PM

Catharina Hübnerin born July 5, 1800 at 6 AM

Carl born February 26, 1803 at 7 PM, died April 28, 1812 at 7 PM

Rebeca Hübner, born May 9, 1805 at 4 AM

August Hübner born December 30, 1808, at 9 PM

[See below]

12 August 1796 2 years since Sept 1790

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- h Christian Hübnere geboren den 2^{ten} Febr 1785 in d. Allougau im 1 Ufr
gestorben den 9 März 1787 Allougau im 3 Ufr
- o Johannes Hübner geboren den 18 Febr 1787. Allougau im 6 Ufr
- h Georg Hübner geboren den 5 Octobr 1788 inougau im 3 Ufr
gestorben den 14 Januari 1791.
- h Anna Maria geboren den 2 Oct 1790 inougau im 3 Ufr
- h Maria Elisabeth geboren den ^{17 Nov 1792} ~~1790~~ inougau im 6 Ufr
- h Sara Hübnerin geboren den 2 Sept 1795 inougau im 5 Ufr
- h Friedrich Hübner geboren den 12 Oct 1797 inougau im 5 Ufr
- o Catharina Hübnerin geboren den 25 July 1800 inougau im 6 Ufr
- h Carl August geboren den 26 Febr 1803 inougau im 7 Ufr
gestorben den 28 April 1812 Abm's im 7 Ufr
- Rebecca Hübner geboren den 9 May 1805 Allougau im 4 Ufr
- August Hübner geboren den 30 Decembar ¹⁸⁰⁵ Abm's im 7 Ufr

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing May 26, 1818, for service as a private for 3 years in the Virginia Continental line. His widow was pensioned at the rate of \$80 per annum.]