

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of John Hogg W7763 Susannah Hogg VA
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State of Tennessee } On this 3d day of March 1849 personally appeared before the undersigned a
Henry County } Justice of the peace in and for said County Mrs Susannah Hogg a resident of said
county aged eighty eight years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the
following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by the 3th Section of the act of
Congress past on the 4th day of July 1836 7th day of July 1838 (3)th day of March 1843 and 17th June
1844 and 2^d day of February 1848 granting half pay and pensions to certain widows that she is the
widow of John Hogg dc'd who was a Regular Soldier in the State line of Virginia in the revolutionary
war that her husband the said John Hogg entered the services of the Untied States from Amherst County
Virginia some time in the last of the year seventeen hundred and seventy nine or the first of the year
seventeen hundred and eighty (1780) for a tower of two years or during the war but declarant will not say
for certain which it was but that he remained in said service and as well as she recolects in Colornel
McKees Regiment [see endnote] untill the expiration of his tower or untill peace was made and he was
regularly discharged and returned home which was some time in the year 1782 but the particular date she
cannot now recolect nor can she recolect the name of his captain or any other of his officers nor can she
now give the particular country through which he past but as well as she now recolects he was a part of
his time out in the frontier of Virginia against the Indians there after her husband the said John Hogg
was discharged and returned home he mooved up in to the frontier of Virginia on the Canaway [sic:
Kanawha] river where we was stationed for some time in the fort. where declarant herself frequently
stood with a gun and guarded a [two words look like "forest hate"] declarant further states that she was
marrid to the said John Hogg in Amherst County Virginia on the 14th day of April seventeen hundred and
seventy nine (1779) by a prodistan minister by the name of Crawford that her husband the said John
Hogg died in Garrett [sic: Garrard] County Kentucky on the 12th day of June 1802 that since his death
she has not again married but still remains his widow that she has no documentary or record proof in
support of her claim except the old original family record of her self and her husband which gives the
true dates of the births of there children that the first child of her self and her husband the said John
Hogg was born on the 31 day of March 1780 as appears on said family record which she attaches hereto.
She further states that she distinctly recolects her husbands discharge which he got when he left the
service and which she kept for several years after the death of her husband but which she cannot now
produce for the reason that some twenty six years ago while living in Logan county Kentucky she give
the said discharge of her husband up to one lawyer John Breshett who then lived in Russelville Kentucky
in order that he might recover the bounty land to which declarant was entitled to in rite of her husband
and in consequence of his services as afforsaid which discharge she has never seen or heard of sense
affiant would further state that some five or six years ago she made out her papers applying for a pension
which she understood was to be presented to the department by a Mr Jno Dunlap since which time she
has not heard from her claim and therefore she makes this declaration in order to renew her application
declarant further states that she now knows of no one living by whom she can make any further proof of
the services of her husband or of her marriage that one of her husbands old mess mates in the service
was by the name of Goulsby Childress [probably Goolsberry (Goldsby) Childers, pension application
S30924] whom she supposes is dead long since Sworn to and subscribed before me the date above
written
Susanah herXmark Hogg

NOTES:

This John Hogg is probably the one mentioned in the pension application of Zedekiah Shumaker (S7480) as having served at Point Pleasant under Capt. William McKee.

The file includes pages from a family register written on the back of the title page of a New

Testament dated 1791, transcribed below.

On 4 June 1849 it was stated that Susannah Hogg was “but little short of 100 years of age and has not walked a step in 8 or 10 years.”

Cele Hogg was born March the 31 1780

Luke Hogg was born December the 4 1781

Lucy Hogg was born in August the 15 1783

Lucetia Hogg was born April the 12 1785

Sally Hogg was born the 12 of April 1787

Lucus Hogg was born January the 30 1796