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Pension Application of Philip Jenkins W9486

Sarah Jenkins

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Mr. Wilson's U.S. Military Class

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Sarah Jenkins

Of Baltimore in the state of Maryland

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By Captain \_\_\_ of the \_\_\_ commanded

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Widow of Philip Jen-

kins Decd. Who was a private

In the Revolution

Inscribed on the Roll of Maryland

At the rate of 80 Dollars 00 Cents per annum

To commence on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1834

Certificate of Pension issued the 24 day of Octo.

1836 and sent Maj<sup>r</sup>.

J. H. Hook Present

Arrears to the 4<sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1836 \$440.00

Semi-ant allowance ending 4 Mar '37 40.00

\$480.00

{Revolutionary Claim, Act June 7, 1832}

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State of Maryland

City of Baltimore

On the twenty second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty six, personally appeared before Stevenson Archer Chief Judge of the Sixth Judicial District of Maryland and of Baltimore County Court the same being a Court of Record, Sarah Jenkins of the City of Baltimore in the County of Baltimore in the State of Maryland, aged seventy five years, who being first

duly sworn according to the Law doth on her oath make, the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed July 4<sup>th</sup>, 1836. That she is the widow of Philip Jenkins who was enlisted as a private in the First Maryland Regiment on the tenth day of December in the year seventeen hundred and seventy nine; that he was taken prisoner on the sixteenth day on December in the year Seventeen hundred and Seventy six; that he was taken prisoner on the sixteenth day of September, Seventeen hundred and Seventy Eight and was discharged on the twenty seventh day of December Seventeen hundred and Seventy nine; that, afterwards, when two Battalions were raised to serve nine months or until the tenth of December Seventeen hundred and Eighty one, he again entered the service of his Country and served until the twenty ninth day of November, Seventeen hundred and Eighty one, when he was discharged and received nine pounds; - the facts of which service appear by the following copy of a certificate of George G. Brewer the Original whereof is herewith filed and hereto attached marked A.

“Land Office, Annapolis, October 11<sup>th</sup>. 1836”

I hereby certify, it appears by the Muster rolls of the Revolution, remaining in this office, that Philip Jenkins, enlisted as private, in the 1<sup>st</sup> Maryland Regiment, on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1776, was made prisoner of the 16<sup>th</sup> of September 1778, and on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of December 1779, was discharged, - And I further certify, that it also appears by in “Alphabetical List of discharged soldiers of the battalions of Militia raised to serve 9 months, or until the 10<sup>th</sup> day December 1781.” - That the name of Philip Jenkins, appears upon said list, to have been discharged on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1781, and to have received £9.0<sup>s</sup>.0<sup>d</sup>

George G. Brewer  
Regr Law Office W. S. Md

that the Philip Jenkins mentioned in the foregoing certificate was her husband and that she has no other Documentary Evidence of his services; that she does not know in what part of the country he served or the battles in which he was engaged and has no knowledge of the names of any of the officers under whom he served, further than that she has frequently heard her late husband Jenkins the name of Price as that of his Captain.

She further disclares that she was married to said Philip Jenkins in the year Seventeen hundred and Eighty; but in what month or on what day of the same she cannot remember, though she feels confident that it was the month of June of that year; that she was joined in wedlock to the said Philip Jenkins by Priest Carroll, afterwards Arch-Bishop; that she has no record to prove the time and legality of her marriage and knows of no one who was present at it that is now living, but that Mrs. Hardey whose affiant is herewith filed, marked B, who was the cousin of her husband knew her before her marriage and has known her service: that her maiden was name was Sarah Knott before her marriage to said Jenkins and that she was never married to any other person since his death, which took place on the twelfth day of September Eighteen hundred and three; that she had by her said husband seven children, Thomas, Francis, Eleanor, James, Jason, Josiah, and Anne-the oldest of whom was Thomas, born 19<sup>th</sup> April of 1781 and died in January 1829.

Sarah + Jenkins

Sworn & subscribed to before the subscriber on the day and year first above written.

Stevenson Archer

State of Maryland  
Baltimore County SCT

I hereby certify that Stevenson Archer gentleman before whom a forgoing declaration and deposition of Sarah Jenkins were made and who hath subscribed his name was at the time of so doing Chief Judge of the Sixth Judicial District of the State of Maryland and of Baltimore County Court the same being a court of record and the signature purporting to be his is genuine.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand

And affixed the seal of Baltimore County Court  
This 22d day of October 1836  
Thomas Kell Clk

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State of Maryland  
City of Baltimore

Before me a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for the City of Baltimore this twenty first day of October Eighteen hundred and thirty six. Personally appeared James Jenkins whom I know to be a respectable citizen of this city and worthy of belief and made oath at the holy Evangel of Almighty God, that he is the son of Sarah Jenkins the claimant in the foregoing declaration and of Philip Jenkins there in mentioned; that his father and mother lived together at the time of the death of his said father and as he believes had lived together from the time of their marriage with the exception of such time as his father was in the Army of the Revolution; that his father the said Philip Jenkins died in September Eighteen hundred and three, in the County of Anne Arundel and that his mother the said Sarah had remained a widow from that time to the present; that he was forty five years old on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January [1836?] and that he always understood from his mother and other members of the family that his brother Thomas was the oldest of her children and about ten years older than himself.

James Jenkins

Sworn and Assembled  
before me on the day and year  
first above written.

J. [Walsh?]

State of Maryland Baltimore County SCT I hereby certify that Jacob Malsh gentleman before whom the foregoing deposition was made and who has subscribed his name was at the time so doing a Justice of the Peace of the Land of Maryland in and for the city of Baltimore; daily commissioned and sworn.

In Testimony whereof thereto set my hand and  
affix the seal of Baltimore County Court this  
twenty second day of October Eighteen hundred and thirty six.

Thos. Kell. Clk. Balto. City Court

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Supplemented by Will Graves 8/28/14

I, Priscilla Hardey, (my maiden name Jenkins) state that I knew Sarah Knott when she was about seventeen years of age, and, although I was not present at her marriage, understood at the time and believed that she was married sometime in the year 1782 Philip Jenkins who was my cousin: that I never knew any of the family of the Jenkins' named Philip except the aforementioned: that to my knowledge the said Sarah and Philip live together from 1780 to 1803 when the said Philip died, except the time when the said Philip was gone to the Army; that I was with the said family and the said Philip in his last moments; that I have heard my father who was a relation of the said Philip Jenkins speak of him as a Revolutionary Soldier; that I understood that Priest Carroll, afterwards Arch-bishop, married my Cousin Philip to Sarah Knott, and that I have no doubt he did; that I have known the said Sarah Jenkins from the day of the death of her Husband and knows she has remained a widow to this day. Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1836

S/Priscilla Hardey

