Revolutionary Claims

Treasury Department,
30th June 1828

Isaac Hite of __ in the County of Frederick in the State of Virginia has applied to the Secretary of the Treasury for the benefits of the act, entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution," approved the 15th of May, 1828. He states that was an officer in the Continental line, and served as such to the end of the war, at which period he was a Lieutenant in the __ regiment of the Virginia line; and that he received commutation certificates for the five years full pay granted by the resolve of 22 March, 1783; and, further, that he has received as a pensioner since the 3rd of March 1826, nothing. dollars, paid to him by the agent in the State of __

The Third Auditor is requested to report how far the several statements are corroborated by the records in his Office.

By order of the Secretary
S/ A. Dickins

Treasury Department,
Third Auditor's Office,
June 30, 1828

It appears by the records of this office, that final settlement certificates had been issued for the commutation of five years full pay to Isaac Hite Lieutenant of Infantry in the Virginia line, amounting to sixteen hundred dollars.

It further appears that Isaac Hite Lieutenant is not now on the pension list of any agency, and has not been so since the 3 March 1826 at the rate of ___ per month.

S/ Peter Hagner, Aud.

Revolutionary Claims

For the purpose of obtaining the benefit of an Act, entitled "An Act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Army of the Revolution," approved the 15th of May

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1828, I, Isaac Hite of the County of Frederick in the State of Virginia, do hereby declare that I
was an officer in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution, and served as such to the
end of the War, at which period I was a Lieutenant in the __ Regiment of Infantry of the Virginia
line.

And I also declare, that I [several words written over and illegible] received certificates
(commonly called commutation certificates) for a sum equal to the amount of 5 years full pay
which sum was offered by the resolve of Congress of the 22nd of March 1783, instead of half pay
for life, to which I was entitled under the resolve of the 21st of October 1780.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of June in the year 1828

S/ Isaac Hite

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State of Virginia Frederick County: SS
Be it known that before me Walker M Hite a Justice of the peace for the County and State
aforesaid personally appeared Mrs. Ann T. Hite of the said County, and made oath in due form of
Law that she is the widow of Isaac Hite, the identical person who was a pensioner, and who is
now dead, and to whom a certificate of pension was issued under the Act of Congress of the 15th
May, 1828, for a pension of $320 per annum, as a Lieutenant in the second Regiment Virginia
Line in the Army of the Revolution; – That the deceased pensioner resided in Frederick County
in the State of Virginia for the space of about seventy-eight years, before his death, and that
previous thereto he resided in the County of no State – That the said Isaac Hite died in the
County of Frederick on the 24th of November 1836, leaving the said Ann T. Hite his widow, that
she subsequently thereto applied for and received the balance of pension supposed to be due you
on account of the services of said Isaac Hite as will no doubt appear by the vouchers filed in the
pension Office. – That the said Ann T. Hite further states that she has been informed that said
Isaac Hite was aide-de-camp to General Mughlenberg [Peter Muhlenberg], for at least two years
while he was Lieutenant as aforesaid, and that in the allowance of the pension of $320 under the
Act of Congress of the 15th May 1828, no estimate was made of the services of the said Isaac
Hite as aide de camp. That this affiant is now informed that her deceased husband, the said Isaac
Hite, was entitled to additional compensation for his services as aide-de-camp, under the Act of
Congress of the 7th of June 1832, which should have been taken into consideration if the fact had
been shown to the Department. She refers to the public records, and particularly to the extracts
from those of the State of Virginia, which will accompany this application, now made for the
balance of pension, so do you and unpaid to the said Isaac Hite from the 4th day of March 1831,
to the day of his death the is the 24th of November 1836.

S/ Ann T. Hite

Sworn and subscribed before me a Justice of the Peace for said County this 8th day of September
1843.

S/ W. M. Hite
Veteran was pensioned at the rate of $578 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831 for service as a Lieutenant and aide-de-camp; increased from $320 per annum initially, then increased to $530 per annum: the difference paid to his widow Ann T. Hite in 1845.

[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]
Richmond May 19, 1782[?]

I do hereby Certify that Lieutenant Isaac Hite was appointed aide-de-camp to me on the first of July 1780 and acted in that Station to the first of January 1782.

S/ P. Muhlenberg, BG [Peter Muhlenberg]