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1581
Kentucky

John Stricker
Brevet Capt in the State Ky
and in private in the Company commanded
Captain Hanks of the 1st Regiment
in the Mexican War
Milled for 13 mo from
719 ->

Enrolled in the State of Kentucky
the sum of 43 Dollars 33 Cents per annum
commenced on the 11th day of October 1831.

Particulars of Pension paid the 2^d day of March
1833 and from that date
Milled for

Arrears of pay July 1832 64.99
Pension allowance ending 4 March 1832 21.66

\$ 86.65

{ Revolutionary Claim }
{ set June 7, 1832 }

Recorded by Abel S. Smith Clerk,
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J. Am. Stringer

As agent for the office
of the printer for
13 months

C. A. Mitchell

Adm. for 13 mos. at
\$10.33

Capt. H. H. Hays
Gen. G. G. G. G.
Jan 1779.

C. A. Mitchell

This is a receipt for the above named items

State of Kentucky

On this 15th day of October 1832 personally appeared in Open Court before the Justices of Bullitt County now called John Stranges, Resident of the Town of Mount Washington Bullitt County and State of Kentucky aged Seventy Six years last (may who being first duly sworn according to laws doth on his Oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. That he entered the Service of the United States under the following named Officers and Served at the following stated Forts He was drafted in the County of Albemarle and State of Virginia in a Company of Militia Commanded by Capt William Hanes for the said period of one month during which period he was engaged in guarding the Prisoners who had been taken Prisoners. He does not recollect the year when he entered as a private, at the expiration of the month he was discharged by Capt Hanes but did not receive a written discharge. In the year 1780 he was again drafted for a term of six months in the Company of which John Byers or Byers was Captain, Thomas Shelton Lieutenant and Joseph Shelton orderly Sergeant and was marched to the front of the County of Albemarle to the South to join the Army Commanded by General Gates. On the evening before the battle of Camden in South Carolina he joined the Army. He was in said Battle in which the American Troops were defeated. After

Having served out the term for which
he was drafted he was discharged and
returned home. He received no discharge
in writing - In the year 1781 he was
ordered into the Service under the prefix -
Master Richard Anderson (Called Scott's
Black) by being drafted for Twelve Months
He was engaged in Collecting Cattle &
Provisions for the Army Stationed at
York Town in Virginia that other place
his term of duty had nearly expired when
the war closed and he was discharged
but received no written discharge.
He states that he cannot prove his Service
by any person now living as far as he knows
or believes. and there is no Clergyman
residing in his neighborhood to prove
his Character for Veracity and I hereby
relinquish any Claims whatever to a
Pension or Annuity except the present and
declare that my name is not on the Pension
Roll of the Agency of any State. In answer
to the 1st Interrogatory He states that he
was born in Louisa County Virginia in
the month of May 1755. To the 2^d
Interrogatory he states that he has no Regis-
ter of his age. Many years ago his father's
house was burned and the Register was
burned with it. To the 3^d Interrogatory
he answers that he lived in Albemarle
County Virginia when he was called into
Service. about forty four years ago he
moved to Kentucky and lived two years

near Lexington in Fayette County he then moved
to Jefferson County or what is now called Jefferson
and he now resides in Bullitt County
To the 4th Interrogatory he answers that he
was drafted into the Service. To the 5th
Interrogatory he answers that he does not
recollect any of the Regular Officers where
he served except General Gates & Ste-
phens who was both at the Battle of
Camden he was so short a time with the
Regular Troop that he does not recollect
any of the Continental or Militia Regiments
he has before stated his Service. To the 6th
Interrogatory he states that he received no
written discharge for his Service. To the 7th
Interrogatory he answers that Austin Hall
Elijah Wright
and Nathaniel P. Saunders reside in his
neighborhood & can testify as to his
character for veracity & good behavior
he could name many others but he cannot
procure their attendance in Court.
Sworn to and subscribed the day and year
aforeaid.

John T. Strong
mark

We Austin Hall Elijah Wright & Nathaniel P.
residing
in the County of Bullitt and State of Kentucky
truly certify that we are well acquainted
with John Strong who has subscribed and
sworn to the above declaration that we
believe him to be exactly seven years of age
that he is reputed & believed in the neighbor-
hood where he resides to have been a Soldier
of the Revolution and that we concur in that
opinion. Sworn to & subscribed the day & year
aforeaid.

Elijah Wright
Nathaniel P. Saunders

And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion after
the investigation of the matter and after putting the
interrogatories prescribed by the War Department
that the above named applicant was a Revolutionary
Soldier and served in his States. And the Court further
certified that it appears to them that Olyah Wright
Austin Hall and Nathaniel Spaulding who have signed
the foregoing Certificate and Resolutions in the County of
Kent and State of Kentucky are and were the persons of that
their statements are entitled to Credit.

I, John C. Sumner Clerk of the County Court of Shelby County off
do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings
in the matter of the application of John Stungis for a pension
Testimony of the Court. For any have legal office this 10th

day of Oct. 1852

John C. Sumner Clerk

16538
INVALID.

File No. 16538

John D. ...

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Act: ...

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

1730 June 13 Miss A. ...
1931 June 13 Miss A. ...

334 King's Highway East,
Haddonfield, New Jersey.

May 5, 1931.

The Commissioner of Pensions
United States Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir

When it is convenient for your staff, I should
be very grateful if you could send me any further
details from the Revolutionary War Records of the
Bureau of Pensions concerning

John Stringer, age not given, Bullitt County,
Kentucky.

He is thus briefly recorded in J. J. McAllister's book
of 377 pages, pub. 1913, entitled, "Virginia Militia in
the Revolution", under "List of Pensioners living out-
side of Virginia in 1835, for services as Virginia Militiamen".

I am hoping that the place of enlistment and names
of his family may identify his descendants.

Very truly yours,

(Miss) Helen A. Simpson

Member of The Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania
and of Virginia Historical Society

Chattanooga Tenn
April 2nd 1930

Dept of the Interior
Bureau of Pensions
Washington D.C.

Will you please send
me pension record of John Strayer of
Bullitt Co Kentucky. He is listed as
a pensioner of War of American Revolution
from Bullitt Co.

Very Respectfully

Wm. W. Sanger

517 Adams Bldg

Chattanooga Tenn

June 13, 1931

Miss Helen A. Simpson
334 King's Highway East
Haddonfield, New Jersey

Rev. & 1612 Wars Section
AWF:MLB

Dear Madam:

You are advised that it appears from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S. 16538, that John Stringer was born May, 1755, in Louisa County, Virginia.

While residing in Albemarle County, Virginia, he served with the Virginia troops, as follows: one month in Captain William Harris' company, guarding the Hessian prisoners, no dates of service given; in 1780, six months in Captain John Byers' company, and was in the battle of Camden; in 1781, he was drafted by Richard Anderson and served nearly twelve months in collecting cattle and provisions for the army.

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There is no reference to wife or children.

Very truly yours

E. W. MORRIS
Acting Commissioner

June 13, 1950

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517 Lansing Street
Chattanooga, Tennessee

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