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Pension Application of Solomon Hendricks [Hendrix] S4352

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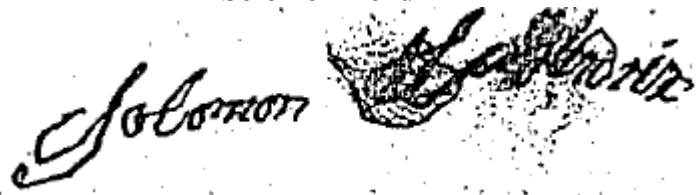
State of Tennessee

Carter County

August / September 1832

On the fourteenth day of August 1832 personally appears in open court before the Justices then sitting as a court of record Solomon Hendrix a registered citizen of said county and state aged seventy seven years who being first duly sworn according to law does on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the act of Congress passed Jun 7<sup>th</sup> 1832 that in the month of February 1776 in the county now called Montgomery in the State of Virginia ten miles west of Englishes [sic, Ingles] ferry on the New River he entered into the service of the state of Virginia in the Revolutionary War under Captn [Captain James] Knox of the 8<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment for the period of two years and was marched to Williamsburg to join his regiment where was Gen Lee, who marched to troops from Williamsburg through Halifax to Charleston South Carolina and then to Savannah and there being necessity for the troops in the North was taken back to Philadelphia and was marched to Middlebrook [New Jersey] to join the main army. I was then with others selected by Col. Morgan (to whom he was personally known) as one of his rifle corps and continued under sd [said] Morgan until discharged by him on the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1776 and was in two battles at the taking of Burgoyne in the still waters of the North Rivers. I was at the capture of [General John] Burgoyne at the lakes of Saratoga at which time Gnl [General Horatio] Gates was commander in chief of that division. All the service he rendered under the enlistment for which he obtained the discharged here to annexed. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a previous or annuity whatever except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state. Sworn to & subscribed in open court the day and year first before written.

Solomon Hendrix

The image shows a handwritten signature in cursive that reads "Solomon Hendrix". To the right of the signature is a circular stamp, which appears to be a seal or official mark, though its details are difficult to discern due to the image quality.

BRIEF in the case of Solomon Hendricks,  
of Carter County in the State of Tennessee  
(Act 7 Jun, 1832)

1. Was the declaration made before a Court or a Judge? In open court.
2. If before a Judge, does it appear that the applicant is disabled by bodily infirmity?
3. How old is he? 77 years
4. State his service as directed in the form annexed.

Period	Duration of Service	Rank	Names of Generals and Field officers under whom he served.
	Years, Months, Days	As a	Gen
In 1776 Feb	2      -----      -----	Private	Capt Knox, the 8 <sup>th</sup> Va Reg Gen Lee Col. Morgan

5. In what battles was he engaged? Was in 2 battles in taking Burgoyne
6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? Montgomery County, Virginia
7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditionary evidence, by incidental evidence, or by the rolls? Documentary proof
8. Are the papers defective as to form or authentication? And if so, in what respect?

I certify that the foregoing statement and the answers agree with the evidence in the case above mentioned.

Examining Clerk.

[not signed]

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1820  
East Tennessee

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Solomon Hendricks of Carter in the State of Tennessee who was a private in the company commanded by Captain Knox of the Regt commanded by Col. Morgan in the Virginia line for 2 years from 1776.

Solomon Hendrix Records OK Apr 2 '04

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Inscribed on the roll of East Tennessee at the rate of 80 dollars ---- cents per annum to commence on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1836.

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Certificate of pension issued the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1832 and sent to Hon: Jn Blair Jonesborough, Ten

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Arrears to 4 <sup>th</sup> of Sept 1832	120 –
Semi=anl allowance ending	<u>40 –</u>
4 <sup>th</sup> March 1833	<u>\$160 –</u>

Revolutionary Claim  
Act June 7, 1832

Recorded by Nathan Price Clerk  
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Solomon Hendricks a Soldier of the 8th Virginia Regiment, having Served his time for which he enlisted is hereby discharged. Given under my hand at Valley Forge 24th February 1778

S/ Chs. Scott, B. G.

23rd March 1778

Solomon Hendricks Served as a Brave and faithful Soldier in Colonel Morgan's Rifle Core

Given under my Hand at the Rifle Regiment

S/ Van Swearingen

Caommt. of Rifle Core