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Kentucky

Henry Amstutz
Major Gen in the State of *Kentucky*
 who was a private in the said commanded
 by Captain *Logan* of the regt. commanded
 by *Gen Smith* in the *Virginia*
 line for *9 months*

Inscribed on the Roll of *Kentucky*
 at the rate of *30* Dollars *00* Cents per annum,
 to commence on the *1st* day of *March*, *1831*.

Certificate of Pension issued the *12* day of *Nov*
1833 and *1834*
Calvin M. Caldwell
 appears to the 4th of *Sept* *75*
 Semi-ant. allowance ending *March* *15*
1834

{ Revolutionary Claim, }
 { Act June 7, 1832. }

Recorded by *John H. ...* Clerk,
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Adair County State of Kentucky ss
On this 2nd day of October 1835 personally
appeared before me Mattow Morrison ass
acting Justice of the Peace in and for the
the County of Adair Henry Armstrong a
resident of said County and State of Kentucky
aged 79 years who being first duly sworn
according to Law doth on his oath make
the following declaration, in order to obtain
the benefit of the provision made by the Act
of Congress passed June 7th 1832 that he
entered the service of the United States in the
year 1778 on the 1st day of January under
Captain Cravens and on the 2nd day of January
we rendezvoused at Col. Daniel Smith in
Rockingham County State of Virginia where
this applicant then lived that he marched
from the said County through Green-brier over
the Alleghany mountain to Tigers Valley
and was there kept during the balance
of the Year under Capt Cravens. guarding
the frontiers and rendering any and every
other kind of service that was required until

the expiration of the Tour which was three months
3 from the Commencement at the 1st of Janry afo^o
That he was discharged in writing by Capt Craven
but has lost his discharge and all other papers
since he has the misfortune to be blind is now
in that condition and is a pauper of the afo^o
County now in the poor house under the overseer
thereof and would have applied sooner had
he have been able to have been at Court or
to have procured any person to have
attended to the business for him. that in
the afo^o Tour he was a volunteer and served
on his own account and not as a substitute
that he was engage in no civil pursuit
during the afo^o service. That in the month
of September in the same year he again went
under Capt Craven from Rockingham County
intending at the same place as the first
Tour then march across the Alleghany Mountain
Crossed the Monongahell River above Fort
Pitt marched on to the Ohio River crossed
and built a Fort called McIntosh that he

was under the Command of Col. Crauford
& Maj. Palmer the forgoing service after we
had built the Fort we marched on about
seventy miles crossed another small River
called as he thinks Tuscarora River and built
a small Fort that he remained there some
-time then he received a written discharge from
Capt Craven but owing to misfortunes has
lost it that General McIntosh was ^{head} Commanded
during this tour which was three months he
was a drafted Matchmaker the Tour and
served on his own account and not as
a substitute, that he was engaged in no
Civil pursuit during this service of the aft.
Tour. That about two years after the performance
of the aft. service as well as he recollects he was
again drafted (in Botetourt County where he
had removed to from Rocking ham since
the two Tours aft.) under Capt. John Lewis of
the aft. Tour for three months. Capt Lewis and
his Company was under the Command of
General Melanburg ~~and~~ we marched

from Botetourt to Jamestown on James River
and there remained in the Middleburg until
Washington Come Marched from there to
York where Corn-wallis was taken. that
after the surrender of Corn-wallis he was dis-
-charge by Capt Goodson who had taken
the Command of the Company owing to
Lewis having resigned which discharge
is lost that he was not a substitute but
served on his own account that he was
engaged in an civil Pursuit during the
afo^d Service of three months and which
now ended being in all nine months as
is specified in the foregoing Lists. He states
that he knows of no person living who can
testify to his Service and that if they even
were he is so old & infirm, together with
being blind that he ~~is~~ would not be able
to procure them. that there is no Clergyman
immediately in the neighbourhood nor not one
as he knows of nearer than six or eight

miles and that it is a matter of perfect
impossibility for him to procure one himself
and he is so poor that he is not enabled to
get any person to procure one to Certify
as required by the Regulations of the War
Department. That he was born in the year 1754
the last day of Feby. That he has no record of
his age. That he resided in Virginia until
the 1804 then removed to the State of Ky.
Adair County and since has lived here
ever since that he is known in the neigh-
borhood to Jno. Stotts Robert King & others

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever
to a pension or annuity, except the present
and he declares that his name is not on
the Pension Roll of the agency in any state.



His
Henry Armstrong
(Mark)

We John Stotts and Wm. Miller residing in
the County of Adair hereby certify that we
are well acquainted with Henry Armstrong
who has subscribed and sworn to the above
declarations that we believe him to be