

1929
Kentucky

Thomas White

William Co in the State of Kent
who was a pr in the 20 commands
by Captain Cottell of the 25th commands
by William Smith in the 17th
and for 6 mo and 10 day

Inscribed on the Roll of Honor
at the rate of 21 Dollars 12 Cents per annum
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 21 day of Augt
1833 and Nipton
Muller Columbia

Arrears to the 1st of March 41.24
Semi-ann. allowance ending 1833 10.56
\$52.80

{ Revolutionary Clerks }
{ Act June 7, 1832 }

Recorded by *Sam M...* Clerk.
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State of Kentucky }
Adair County } SS

On the 6th day of November 1832 personally appeared in open Court, before the justices of the Adair County Court Thomas White aged 69 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 act of Congress passed June 7th 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers & served as herein stated.

That he entered the service in the year 1780 under Capt John Cottrell and performed service at New London in guarding the Cores New London was in Bedford County State of Virginia where this applicant then lived. He continued guarding said Cores ^{between 10 or 20 days} until they were carried away to Richmond in Irons he then received his discharge from Capt. Cottrell & went home, which discharge had been long since lost so that it is & has been impossible for him to find it. He states that in Jan'y 1781 he was drafted in the Militia under Capt. Baly for a three months tour. he march from Bedford County down through Petersburg Virginia, thence on to Cabin Point ^{then joined head quarters} thence to Fort Mifflin on the Crooked this animal swamp on the Long Bridge near a British fort. The Regiment in which this applicant was, was commanded by Col. Mulenburg & frequently Col. Matthews was with us. Col. Thomas Menevether & Maj. DeLoman. At the time he joined head quarters at Cabin Point he was taken from under Capt. Baly who commanded

a rifle company, owing to the circumstances
of his having no rifle & put under Capt.
Cummings, who was Commander of a musket
Company. After he passed Portsmouth he was
stationed on an Island at a place called Edmund
Hill & there remained till sometime in March
following then marched to a place called Gregoug
Camps in the State of North Carolina remained
there a few days then marched and crossed
the dismal Swamp where it was said to
be five miles wide on logs after we crossed
said Swamp he received his discharge ^{from Capt. Cummings} in
writing which discharge is also lost ^{so} that he
& has been unable to find it the foregoing
tour was three months. That a few days after
his return from the foregoing tour he was
drafted in the Militia, under Capt. Jacob Yerby
and marched from New London down into
Buckingham County & was there taken sick
and was permitted by the Captain to remain
until I could recover my health. after I recovered
I started on to York where the Company I was
in had marched to and I met them on their
road home. they had all been discharged from
the tour of three months for which they had been
drafted and Capt. Yerby gave me a discharge
the first time I saw him which discharge is also
lost so that he is & has been unable to find it.

He states that he was born in Bedford County
State of Virginia on the 15th day of March
1763. That he has a record of his age at his
residence in this County. That he lived in
the State of Virginia 5 or 6 years after he had
performed the service as stated then removed to
Kentucky & settled in the County of Fayette lived
there about 7 years, then removed to Adair
County the place where he now lives. That
he was drafted each and every time he entered
the service. He states that he has no documentary
evidence and no person living in Kentucky who
can testify to his service except James Bramlett
who resides about 70 miles from here and that

he has been down to ~~start~~ ^{started} down to see
said Bramlett and ^{was turned back by high water in short}
^{time Bramlett} ~~and~~ ^{boat with the name on the road}
coming up for this applicant to go down &
testify ^{to his service} ~~for~~ he then procured the certificate of
said Bramlett which was sworn to before a
Justice of the Peace of this County which he was
compelled to do owing to the circumstances of Court
not being in session at the time he Bramlett was
here - and which certificate is herewith filed -

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to
a pension except the present, and declares that his
name is not on the pension roll of the Agency of
any State -

Sworn to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid
Chas. G. White

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS.

Washington, D. C., _____, 19__

over
17. 30787

In reply to your request of _____ received
for a statement of the military history of Thomas White
a soldier of the REVOLUTIONARY WAR, you will find below the desired
information as contained in his (or his widow's) application for pen-
sion on file in this Bureau.

| DATES OF ENLISTMENT OR APPOINTMENT. | LENGTH OF SERVICE. | RANK. | OFFICERS UNDER WHOM SERVICE WAS RENDERED. | | STATE. |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|---|----------------|--------|
| | | | CAPTAIN. | COLONEL. | |
| 1782 | 6 months | Priv. | John Cottrell | | Va. |
| 1781 | 6 months | | Quay | Thomas Merritt | |
| | 6 months | | Quay | | |



Battles engaged in, _____
Residence of soldier at enlistment, New London Bedford Co. Va.
Date of application for pension, Nov. 6. 1832. His wife was al.
Residence at date of application, Adair Co. Kentucky.
Age at date of application, born in Bedford Co. Va. March 15-1763
Remarks: There is no data on file as to his family.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.