

19361
Kentucky

Oliver Bailey
of said Co in the State of Kentucky
who was a private in the said Co, commanded
by Captain Leake of the reg^t, commanded
by Col. Campbell the "Va
line for 5 months

Inscribed on the Roll of Kentucky
at the rate of 26 Dollars 6 Cents per annum,
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 23 day of Sept
1843 and W. Miller
Columbia

Arrears to the 1st of Sept^r 1866
Semi-ann. allowance ending March 1843

\$9999

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

Recorded by Dan Payne Clerk,
Book C Vol. 7 Page 4

Kentucky 5334.

Ref.?

Mannah Bailey
widow of Elisha Bailey
who was a Private
in the Revolution

Date of widow's death not on AB

Inscribed on the Roll at the rate of
26 Dollars 66
Cents per annum, to commence on
the 4th day of March, 1843.

Certificate of Pension issued the
17. day of April 1844
and sent to C. H. Traluc
Frankfort, Ken.

[Act of March 3, 1843.]

Recorded in Book A,
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WAR DEPARTMENT,

Pension Office.

Sir,

The evidence in support of your claim, under the act of June 7, 1832, has been examined, and the papers are herewith returned. The following is a statement of your case in a tabular form. On comparing these papers with the following rules, and the subjoined notes, you will readily perceive that objections exist, which must be removed, before a pension can be allowed. The notes and the regulations will show what is necessary to be done. These points to which your attention is more particularly directed, you will find marked in the margin with a brace, (thus: }). You will, when you return your papers to this Department, send this printed letter with them, and you will, by complying with this request, greatly facilitate the investigation of your claim.

A Statement, showing the Service of Elisha Bailey

Period when the service was rendered.	Duration of the claimant's service.			Rank of the claimant.	Names and rank of the Field Officers under whom he served.	Age at present, and place of abode when he entered the service.	Proof by which the declaration is supported.
	Years.	Months.	Days.				
May 1781	3			P.	Capt Leake	69	Traditions
"	2			"	C. Barnett	70	
"	3			"	Col. Campbell		
					Capt Leake		

I am, respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

J. I. EDWARDS,

Commissioner of Pensions.

State of Kentucky }
Adair County } 18

On this the 15th day of May 1843
Personally Appeared before me Daniel Suddarth an acting Justice
of the Peace in and for the said County and State M^{rs} Hannah Bailey a
resident of the said County aged twenty nine years and who after being
first duly sworn according to Law doth on her oath make the following Decla-
rations in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of
Congress passed 7 July 1838, entitled "an act Granting half pay and pen-
sions to certain widows" to wit that she is the widow of Elisha Bailey
who was a Soldier in the Revolutionary war and she thinks he belongs to
the Virginia Militia and on account of his service as said Soldier in said
war he was @ Pension under the act of the 7 June 1832, and continu-
ed to receive his Pension until his death which took place on the 30th day
of November 1841, and to the evidence composing the matter of the applica-
tion of her said husband for said Pension she refers for such particulars
as are necessary in the investigation of her claim. She further declares that
her said husband resided in the said County of Adair for forty years previous
to his death which took place in said County. She further declares that
she was married to the said Elisha Bailey on the 19th day of December
Eighteen hundred and eighty two, that her said husband died on the 30th
day of November 1841, that she was not married to him prior to his
leaving the service but the marriage took place previous to the first
day of January 1794 (viz) at the time aforesaid & that she has
not intermarried since the death of her said husband. Her
sworn to and subscribed before me and day & year as follows }
Daniel Suddarth Justice of the Peace } Hannah Bailey
11/15/43

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

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Elisha Bailey son of John
Bailey and Mary Bailey
his wife was born Nov^r
the 20th 1763

Hannah Gay Daughter
of Thomas Gay and Peggy
Gay his wife was born
March 11th 1764

Thomas T. Bailey son of
Elisha Bailey and Hannah
Bailey his was born April
the 3rd 1784

Polly L. Bailey was born
April 1st 1786

John Bailey was born
July July 22nd 1788

Petsy Bailey was born
December 31 1790

Continued
Samuel B. Bailey was
born 19th of Jan^y 1796

Hiram Bailey was
born August 18 - 1798

Terry Bailey was
born Dec^r 27th 1800

Bland Bailey was
born Jan^y 19th 1803

Benjamin P
Bailey was born
August 25th 1809

Walter Bailey
born 1811

FAMILY RECORD

MARRIAGES

Elisha Bailey and
Hannah Gay was join
in Marriage the 19th of
December 1783

MARRIAGES

Thomas T. Bailey son of
Elisha Bailey and Hannah
Bailey his was join
in Marriage to Polly
Atkinson the 4th of
July 1809

State of Kentucky } ss
Adair County }

On this 1st day of July 1833 personally appeared in open Court, before the County Court for the County afo^{re} now sitting Elisha Bailey a resident of Adair County and state afo^{re} 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 and served as herein stated -

That he entered the service in the Spring of 1781 under Captain Leak in the County of Albemarle and State of Virginia, ^{as a matricular & was a matrician for all his service} where he then lived in the month of April but does not recollect the particular date of the month. The Regiment & number thereof he does not recollect but the Commander was either Gen Nelson or Lawson he was however under the Command of both ~~at~~ ^{at} this tour and the other in a subsequent tour which he will speak about. That he marched from Albemarle County to Richinond Virginia, from thence to Cabin Point lay there sometimes marched to Fredericksburg & was there discharged by Captain Leak in writing but s^{ic} discharge has been long since lost. This tour was three months. That in a short time after he was discharged & returned home he engaged as a substitute for Jackarial Roberts under Capt. Barrett who was under Col. Campbell and marched to York and lay there sometimes and then marched about through the Country to avoid the enemy as we were not at that time strong enough to go into action and then returned to York and there remained

until after Cornwallis was taken at the taking
of whom he was present after which ~~he~~
with others marched to the Maryland line to guard
the prisoners that far he was then discharged by
by whom he does not recollect the discharge is
however true. He would here state that the ~~topography~~
under Capt Barnett when he was a substitute for F.
Roberts was ~~two~~ ^{two} months and he got only a verbal
discharge if any. That when he was at the taking
of Cornwallis he was under Capt Leak. The Col.
under whom he was he does not recollect but
that Lafayette & Gen. Washington were the Commanding
in Chief that this last tour under Capt Leak was
about ~~two~~ ^{three} ~~months~~ ^{months} and ~~that he received~~
a verbal discharge but from whom he does
not recollect. He states that in the first tour
under Capt Leak he served three months. The
second tour he was under Capt Barnett &
Col. Campbell ~~two~~ ^{two} months. The third tour under
Capt Leak ~~two~~ ^{three} ~~months~~ ^{months} ~~making in~~
all eight months and ~~that~~ he served. That
he knows of no persons having any papers or
~~any papers in service that he has no papers~~
- ~~any evidence~~ - ~~He has no papers~~
~~that he has no papers~~ born in the year 1761 the month

not recollect. He has no record of his age. He lived in Albemarle County Virginia after his service several years the exact time he cannot recollect. He then removed to the County of Lincoln in the State of Ky. lived there sometime then removed to the County of Adair where he now resides. That he is known in his neighborhood to Harrison M. Gill, Alex. Walker & Jackson Atkins. That he has no documentary evidence that he knows of no person living by whom he can prove his service. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity 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

Elisha Bailey

We James Wilson a clergyman, residing in the County of Adair and Charles Thayer residing in the same county hereby certify, that we are well acquainted with Elisha Bailey, who has subscribed and sworn to the above declaration; that we believe him to be 69 years of age; that he is reputed and believed, in the neighborhood where he resides, to have been a soldier of the Revolution, and that we concur in that opinion.

Sworn and subscribed the day & year aforesaid

James Wilson

Charles Thayer

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

The following family data are shown in the claim:

Thomas T. Bailey, son of Elisha Bailey and his wife, Hannah,	born April	3, 1784;	married July 12, 1809, Polley Atkinson.
Polley L. Bailey,	" April	1, 1788	
John "	" July	22, 1788	
Betsy "	" December	31, 179-	(record torn).
Samuel B. "	" January	19, 1796	
Hiram "	" August	18, 1798	
Terry (?) "	" December	27, 1800	
Blane "	" January	13, 1803	
Benjamin "	" August	25, 1809	
Hetty "	" January	24, 1792.	

In 1833, one Samuel Wilson, a clergyman, and Charles Seaggs, both residents of Adair County, Kentucky, made joint affidavit that they knew the soldier, Elisha Bailey.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator

August 11, 1938

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Mr. E. E. Macy
Warm Springs
Oregon

ELISHA BAILEY
W. 8344
BA-J/MLB

Dear Sir:

You are furnished herein the record of Elisha Bailey as obtained from the papers on file in pension claim, W. 8344, based upon his service in the Revolutionary War.

Elisha Bailey, son of John Bailey and his wife, Mary, was born November 20, 1763. The place of his birth was not given.

While a resident of Albemarle County, Virginia, Elisha Bailey enlisted in April, 1781, and served three months as private in Captain Leak's Virginia company, after which he returned home. A short time after being discharged, he enlisted, date not given, and served two months as private in Captain Barnett's company, Colonel Campbell's Virginia regiment. He then served a tour of three months as private in Captain Leak's Virginia company and marched to Yorktown where he was present at the surrender of Cornwallis.

The soldier resided in Albemarle County, Virginia, several years after the Revolutionary War then moved to Lincoln County, Kentucky, where he lived for some time then moved to Adair County, in that state.

Elisha Bailey was allowed pension on his application executed July 1, 1833, at which time he was a resident of Adair County, Kentucky. He died in that county November 30, 1841.

Elisha Bailey married December 19, 1782, Hannah Gay, born March 11, 1764, who was the daughter of Thomas Gay and his wife, Peggy. The place of birth of Hannah Gay and of her marriage to the soldier are not shown.

Soldier's widow, Hannah Bailey, was allowed pension on her application executed May 15, 1843, while a resident of Adair County, Kentucky, where she was still living the following year.