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*Ball, James
Margaret*

W. 8336

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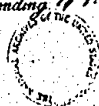
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DISTRICT OF Kentucky, ss.

On this 1st day of May 1818, before me the subscriber, one of the Judges of the

~~and~~ *James Ball* personally appeared *James Ball* aged 69 years, resident in *Fayette Co.* in the said district, who being by me first duly

sworn, according to law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provision made by the late act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war." That he;

the said *James Ball* enlisted in 1776 in the state of

Virginia in the company commanded by Captain *William*

Wood of the 1st *Virginia* Regt

commanded by *Col James Wood*

; that he continued to

serve in the said corps, or in the service of the United States until the 1779

New Year, when he was discharged from service in *Fredrick Town*

state of *Maryland*, that he was in the battles of *Brandywine*

Summerson and *Stoney Point*

and that he is in reduced circumstances, and stands in need of the assistance of his country for

support; and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services. *but Christopher*

Sworn to, and declared before me, the day and year aforesaid.

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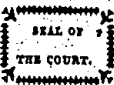
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State of Kentucky

Quinn County Jct.

Be it remembered that on the 14th day of May 1821 James Ball made affidavit in open Court and produced a schedule of his property amounting to Fifty six dollars agreeable to an act of Congress of the first of May 1820 concerning pensioners. Which is ordered to be entered of record in these words To wit: District of Kentucky Quinn County. On the 14th day of May 1821. personally appeared in open Court being a Court of Record for the said District and County of Quinn County James Ball aged 70 years resident in Quinn County in said District who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows, that he enlisted in Captain William Voss company in the 17th Virginia Regiment commanded by Colonel James Wood, that he enlisted in Hampshire County State of Virginia in 1776 for three years that he served in said Regiment until he was transferred to the 8th Virginia Regiment commanded by Colonel Abraham Bowman and his Captain was Robert Gamble, that he served near four years on the Continental line and was discharged by Colonel Webb at Frederick Town and Frederick County State of Maryland that he drew a pension and the number of his pension certificate 2525. And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident holder of the

United States On the 18th day of March 1818 and
that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in
any manner disposed of my property or any part
thereof with intent thereby to to diminish it
or to bring myself within the provisions of an
act of Congress entitled an act to provide for
certain persons engaged in the land and naval
service of the United States in the Revolutionary
War" passed On the 18th day of March 1818
and that I have not nor has any person in
trust for me any property or liabilities contracts
or debts due to me nor have I any incurred
other than what is contained in the schedule
hereto annexed and by me subscribed and
also made \$10. Six head of hogs \$16 Two cows
\$20. Two year old cows \$10. \$50. James ^{his} Bald
Mark
That he is by pursuit a common laborer has
a wife and three children which constitutes
his family that he is very poor and needy.
James ^{his} Bald
Mark

Sworn and declared On the 17th day of May
1821 before me John Trimble Justice of the
State of Kentucky

John Lett Bacon Clerk of the Court for the
County of Jefferson do hereby certify that the foregoing
affidavit and schedule hereto annexed
are truly transcribed from the record of the same
in my office and I do further certify that it

State of Kentucky
Allen County 3rd Jeth

On this 2nd day of
September 1836 personally appeared before
me Jacob H. Smith a Justice of the peace
in and for the county of Allen County State
of Kentucky and one of the Judges of the Allen
County Court Margaret Ball (formerly Mar-
garet Bray) a resident of Allen County State
of Kentucky aged Eighty three years
~~of~~ who being first duly sworn according
to law doth on her oath make the following
declarations in order to obtain the benefit of
the provision made by the act of Congress
passed July 4th 1836 That she is the widow
of James Ball who was a private soldier
in the army of the revolution that her
husband the said James Ball enlisted
as a soldier in the service of the United
States in Virginia and served until the
close of the war she will not undertake
to state the service of the said James Ball
her late husband as he was a revolutionary
pensioner of the United States that he drew
a pension under the act of Congress passed
in the year 1818 that the s^d Jas Ball

original Certificate is now in her possession
as herewith filed with the papers as
evidenced in her case, she further declares
that she was married to the said James
Ball in the month of May in the year Seven
= Teen hundred and Seventy one or Seventy
two in the county of Hampshire State of
Virginia where they lived at the time the
husband the said James Ball entered the
service she will further state that they
were married before the commencement
of the revolutionary war she will further
state that she still has the original
record of the birth of her children and
the said James Ball she is confident that
the age of the children are all correctly
there set down and she will state that
her memory may have failed her on many
points but as to the marriage of her
and the said James Ball she is certain
and knows that they were married before
he enlisted that they had a son born
in 1775 that he is now living that he
lives in Jefferson county Kentucky unless
he has lately died she will further state
that her husband the s.^r James Ball

departed this life on the 27th day of
March 1890 in Owen County Kentucky
and she will further state that she has
remained a widow ever since the death
of her husband the o.^d James Ball
as will more fully appear by the proof
hereunto annexed, she will further state
that from her old age she is entire-
ly disabled from attending in open
court to make her declaration

her
Margaret R. Ball 
made

State of Kentucky
Owen County 3rd Oct

I Jacob W. Smith a
Justice of the peace in and for the county of
Owen State of Kentucky do hereby certify that
this day came in person before me Margaret
Ball, who subscribed and was sworn to the fore-
going declaration and who I certify appears
to be eighty three years of age and who I further
certify from her old age and great infirmity
of body is entirely disabled from attending
in open court in said county to make
her declaration and who I further certify

Mary Ball Daughter of James
Ball & Margaret his wife
Was born August 28 1792

Margret Ball Daughter of
James Ball & Margaret his
wife Was Born December 1792

Isaaciah Ball
Daughter of James Ball
& Margaret his wife
Was Born December 15 1793

Milly Ball
Daughter of James Ball
& Margaret wife was
born October 28 1800

James Balls Childrens Age

Henry Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born December the 6 Day 1775)

James Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born October the 30 Day 1777)

John Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born October the 19 Day 1779)

Abraham Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born October the 19 Day 1781)

Isaac Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born October the 28 Day 1783)

Catherine Ball Daughter of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born September the 7 Day 1785)

Jacob Ball Son of James Ball & Margret his Wife
Was Born August the 22 Day 1787)

State of Kentucky
Owen County

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The affidavit of Jacob
Ball taken in Owen County Kentucky on the
2 day of September 1836.

This affiant who being
first duly sworn according to the law doth on
his oath make the following statements

That he is
the son of James Ball & Margaret Ball
that he is has always understood and believed
he was born in the year 1787 and that
his father and mother had three other
children & that one older than himself
that his eldest brother now lives in Jefferson
County Kentucky and James Ball in Nelson
County Kentucky and that his father was
a revolutionary pensioner of the United
States and that he died in on the 27 day of
March 1830 this affiant will further
state that he has always from his earliest
recollection known his father and mother
only they were married before he entered
in the service of the United States

this affiant will further state that his mother is still living that she has remained a widow ever since the death of his Father the said James Ball

Jacob Ball

State of Kentucky }
Quinn County } JCB

The affidavits of
Richard Gancy Sen Taken in Quinn
County Kentucky on the 2nd day of ~~August~~
Sept^r 1836 This affiant who being first duly
sworn according to law doth on his oath
make the following statements That he is
60 years of age that he was well acquainted
with James Ball who was a revolutionary
prisoner of the united states this affiant
will state that the s^d James Ball died
about the month of March 1830 and left
as his widow Margaret Ball an aged
lady and who has remained a widow ever
since the death of her husband and who
this affiant will state is a lady of veracity

October 1, 1938

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Mrs. Joseph Beard
673 Elmore Park
Lexington, Kentucky

JAMES BALL
W. 8336
BA-J/MLB

Dear Madam:

The data which follow in regard to James Ball were obtained from the claims for pension on file under W. 8336, based upon his service in the Revolutionary War.

The date and place of birth of James Ball and names of his parents were not given.

James Ball enlisted in Hampshire County, Virginia, in 1776, served as a private in Captain William Voss' company, Colonel James Wood's 12th Virginia Regiment, and in Captain Robert Gamble's company, 8th Virginia Regiment, was in the battle of Brandywine in which he received two wounds, details of which were not given, in the battles of Germantown and Stony Point, and served until the close of the war, nearly four years in all.

The soldier was allowed pension on his application executed May 1, 1818, at which time he was aged sixty-nine years and a resident of Fayette County, Kentucky. In 1821, he had moved to Owen County, that state, and died in Owen County, Kentucky, March 27, 1830.

James Ball married in May, 1771 or 1772, in Hampshire County, Virginia, Margaret Bray; the date and place of her birth and names of parents are not shown. At the time of their marriage they were both living in Hampshire County, Virginia.

Margaret Ball was allowed pension on account of the service of her husband, James Ball, on her application executed September 2, 1836, at which time she was aged eighty-three years and living in Owen County, Kentucky. She died August 29, 1842, leaving a large family of children, some of whom were living in Owen County, some in Nelson County, and others scattered in other states not designated.

The following names of children of James Ball and his wife, Margaret, are shown in the claims:

Henry	Ball,	born	December	24,	1775;	in 1836 living in Nicholasville, Jessamine Co., Ky., where he had lived twenty-four years.
James	"	"	October	30,	1777;	in 1836 living in Nelson Co., Ky.
John	"	"	October	19,	1779	
Abraham	"	"	October	19,	1781	
Isaac	"	"	October	21,	1783	
Catrine	"	"	September	7,	1785	
Jacob	"	"	August	22,	1787;	in 1843 residing in Owenton, Owen County, Kentucky.
Mary	"	"	August	23,	1792	
Margret	"	"	December	1,	1795	
Susannah	"	"	December	15,	1797	
Milley	"	"	October	28,	1800	

In 1836, Margaret Ball's sister, Jane Dewitt, widow of Peter Dewitt to whom she was married in July, 1774, in Hampshire County, Virginia, was then living in Clark County, Kentucky, aged eighty-one years.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator