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See letter 16 Dec. 33th
Hon. Chas. Allen, do.
29 March 1834

24th Winchester, 19407

Samuel Boon
of Saywell Co in the State of Mass.
who was a ^{1st} in the ^{Co} commanded
by Captain Cook of the ^{regt} commanded
by 1000 Goodwin in the ^{Lib.}
line for 1 Year & N.C.

Samuel Boon. Records correct

Enrolled on the Roll of ^{Mass} ^{of} ^{Masses}
at the rate of 1/1 Dollars ^{per annum}
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1834.

Certificate of Pension issued ²⁴ day of Sept
1834, and ^{Mass} ^{of}
Samuel Boon Winchester

Arrears to the 1st of March 30 -
Pension allowance ending 1/ Sept 20 -

\$100 -

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

Recorded by Dan Boyd Clerk,

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Sent to Hon. C. Allen
Winchester

State of, Kentucky, Clarke Circuit, Clarke County, etc.
On this twenty ninth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, personally appeared in open Court before the Clarke Circuit Court, held in and for the County aforesaid, now sitting Samuel Boon a resident of Clarke County aforesaid, aged seventy four years on the twenty first day of March last who being first ~~sworn~~ duly sworn according to Law doth on his oath ~~make~~ 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 long as stated:-

That he was born on the 21st day of March 1758 on Yadkin River in North Carolina - I have a record of my age, being a transcript of my father's entry in a book which he kept for the purpose of registering the ages of ^{his} children, but I don't know where that book is, even if it be now extant, though I still have the paper on which I transcribed the entry of my age from my father's book aforesaid - I was living in South Carolina, in Camden District on Congaree River when I ~~first~~ ^{entered the service} as a militia man for a term and served three months and upwards that I served said term under John Ruffell as Captain, and Malachi Wiston ^{as Lieut. Col.} in the Regiment of Col. Robert Goodwin - I have forgotten the name of the Major who commanded either Battalion or said Regiment, but I remember that when the Company started on said term Col. John Ruffell commanded said Regiment, when said Goodwin succeeded as Colonel at the place of Vandegraves - I was drafted about the latter part of September on first part of the year 1775 - I was not drafted for this term but my father Samuel Boon (who has long since died) had been drafted and I went on the term as his substitute.

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stitute. We were marched to the upper part of the State to a place called Ninety six in pursuit of the Tories, and in that vicinity we had a battle with the Tories. We rendezvoused at the New Store on the said Congaree River -

On or about the first day of July 1776 I was drafted as a militia man for the company of ~~some~~ ~~land~~ and one William McGowan commanded the Company - we were marched to Charleston and served out the three months tour, ~~but~~ we were ~~not~~ ^{marched to} Bearfort Island, when the tour had half expired but we ~~had~~ ^{were} not engaged in any battle - We were commanded by Col Robert Goodwin, under ~~officer~~ Joseph Kershaw, after we arrived at Bearfort Island, but while at Charleston our commanding General was named Richard Richardson, who commanded ~~was~~ on my first tour when I went out as my father's substitute.

I next entered the service as a substitute for my father who had been again drafted for a tour, which was ~~lastly~~ in the Fall of the year 1778. ~~He~~ ^{He} ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~commanded~~ ^{commanded} said Company during said tour under said Goodwin as Colonel and General Lincoln, a regular officer commanded the whole of us - We rendezvoused at Friday's Ferry on the Congaree River - were marched to the Quarter House, ~~from~~ ^{from} six miles from Charleston, where we lay some time and the British forces about that time landed in Savannah and we were then ordered and accordingly marched to Savannah, but did not reach there, but reached Purisberg on the Savannah River and there stayed until we were discharged and on this tour we were ~~not~~ ^{were} engaged in a battle.

Very early in the year 1779 I again entered the service as a militia man, being drafted for a tour

~~after~~ of three months in the company of
Capt John McChord, in the regiment of Col.
Robert Goodman and under General William
Sen. - We rendezvoused at the ^{place called} "The New Stone". The
Army marched from there to ~~the~~ Augusta
but I was left as a part of a detachment to
guard said place "The New Stone" - where
some public stores and property had been depos-
ited and I have served as a militia man since 1782, at least.

That at the time I entered the service of the
United States as above I resided in Camden
District - South Carolina on the Congaree River -
and for the last time I received a regular dis-
charge from my Captain ^{the above named discharge} and shortly afterwards
in the month of March 1779 I left South Carol-
ina to move ~~from~~ to Kentucky where I arrived
in the fall of the year 1779 ^{having stopped awhile in North Carolina} - I lost my written
discharge for the last time but did not receive
a written discharge from any ^{other} town and
I have lived in Fayette County in the State of
Kentucky since the fall of the year 1779 until
the month of March 1782 when I moved
to Clarke County in this State ^{where} I have
ever since lived except that I lived in Madison
County in this State two years and then settled in
Fayette County as above set forth.

I know of no person who can prove my service
in the army of the United States except my two sis-
ters Elizabeth White & Rebecca Lane whose affi-
davits are herewith transmitted - I have two
other sisters Sarah & Antoinette and many brothers
and sisters living in the State of Ohio and
the latter living in Mississippi who could prove
my service also if I could procure ~~from~~ them
testimony.

I am known in my present neighborhood
to William Houston, Capt John Houston, Dennis Brad-
ley, William Penhley, John Hampton and Leafe Bush-
lock and Hubbard Taylor sen who can testify to
my character for veracity and their belief of my

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services as a soldier of the revolution

And I hereby relinquish every claim what-
ever to a pension or annuity, except the
present, and declare that my name is
not on the pension roll of the agency of
any State -

Signed

Sworn to and subscribed
the day and year above
said

Samuel Boon

We William Monton, a Clergyman residing
in the Town of Winchester, Clarke County and
State of Kentucky and William Bradley residing
in the same County and State do certify, that
we are well acquainted with Samuel Boon, who
has subscribed and sworn to the above declaration,
that we believe him to be seventy four years of
age; that he is reputed and believed in the neigh-
borhood where he resides, to have been a soldier
of the revolution and that we concur in that opin-
ion.

Signed -

W. Monton

Sworn and subscribed the
day and year above said

W. Bradley

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 above mentioned applicant
was a revolutionary soldier and served as he
states - And this Court further certifies that it appears

to them that William Monton who has signed the pre-
ceding certificate, is a Clergyman resident, in
Winchester, Clarke County Kentucky and that William

Bradley who has also signed the same is a
resident in the same County and State above said and is
a credible person and that their statement is entitled
to credit and that Mrs. Rebecca Jones & Elizabeth White are credible
persons of Samuel M. Taylor Clerk of the Clarke Dis-
trict Court above said do hereby certify that the fore-
going contains the original proceedings of the said

all the horses. He aided in erecting nearly all the buildings erected there. He remained there in garrison until October 1780 when orders were received from Col. Boone to forward a detachment to reinforce Boone station, when he mounted as one of them and remained in garrison, until 1781, in the spring, when he was sent with others, under the command of Capt. Hayes, to aid in building canoes for General Clark's army, to convey corn to him, then at the falls of Ohio. After that service which only lasted 2 weeks, he returned to the fort of Boone station, where he remained in garrison defending it until April 1782, in which month Col. Boone sent a detachment to Strodes station, which was then commanded by Capt. John Constant. There at the request of said Constant he in company with Andrew Rube volunteered as a spy, and served thirty days. After that he returned to Boone station where he remained until the middle of June, when he served a term of thirty days as a spy under the command of Capt. James Stevenson, ranging the country from Pickens river to Big Bone lick; after which he returned to the station. He remained in garrison until the 2^d of August, when he was again detached under the command of Major John Holder in pursuit of a party of Indians, who had taken two boys, named Sore, boy son of Major Roy and John Calloway, sons of Col. Rich and Calloway. They overtook the Indians at the upper Blue Lick, and in the battle which ensued they were defeated, and returned to Boone station. There he remained, and in a few days several of the wounded who were in the battle of the Lower Blue Lick, were brought in, and he aided in

State of Kentucky }
Fayette County } Set.

On this 17th day of March 1834, personally appeared in open Court, before the Hon. Thomas M. Hickey now sitting, Samuel Boone now a resident of said county, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration to obtain an increase of his pension under the act of 7 June 1832.

He states that when he made his original application for a pension under said act he was not aware that he would receive credit for any services rendered against the Indians in the western country, and therefore he did not detail those expeditions and services which he served in and rendered after he removed from South Carolina, which he now gives. When he was discharged in South Carolina, hearing that his uncle, Genl. Boone was raising a company in North Carolina to march to Kentucky, he went to Rowan county where Col Boone was raising it, and entered it as a volunteer. They marched on the 15th September 1779, and arrived at Boone's borough in October of same year. The very next day after his arrival, he was ordered to Prognants, near Lexington, with a detachment to protect the families there settled, where they were placed under the command of Capt. Wm. Hays. They immediately commenced a station, which was afterwards called Prognants station, which they did not complete until the spring 1780. In that spring the Indians killed one of the company, and stole nearly

all the horses. He aided in erecting nearly all the buildings erected there. He remained there in garrison until October 1780 when orders were received from Col. Boone to forward a detachment to reinforce Boone station, when he marched

as one of them and remained in garrison, until 1781, in the spring, when he was sent with others, under the command of Capt. Hayes, to aid in building carriages for General Clark's army, to convey corn to him, then at the falls of Ohio. After that service which only lasted 2 weeks, he returned to the fort of Boone station, where he remained in garrison defending it until April 1782, in which month Col. Boone sent a detachment to Strodes station, which was then commanded by Capt John Constant. There at the request of said station he in company with Andrew Rile, volunteered as a spy, and served thirty days. After that he returned to Boone station where he remained until the middle of June, when he served a tour of thirty days as a spy under the command of Capt James Stevenson, ranging the country from Licking river to Big Bone Lick; after which he returned to the station. He remained in garrison until the 2^d of August, when he was again detached under the command of Major John Holder in pursuit of a party of Indians, who had taken two boys, named Lome, boy son of Major Hox and John Calloway, sons of Col. Rich and Calloway. They overtook the Indians at the upper Blue Licks, and in the battle which ensued they were defeated, and returned to Boone station. There he remained, and in a few days several of the wounded who were in the battle of the lower Blue Licks were brought in, and he aided in

taking care of them. He remained in garrison
doing duty until the close of the revolutionary
war in April 1783. He states, without hesitation
that he served even in Kentucky, more than
three years. Subscribed & sworn the day & year
above written.

Samuel Boone

And the said applicant produces the depo-
sitions of Aswala Townsend & Rebecca Jones
who also appeared in open court at the same
time and place and subscribed & made oath
to the truth of their statements, which are
annexed hereto.

And the said Court doth hereby de-
clare his opinion, that the above applicant
served as stated, and that the said wit-
nesses are credible persons, and that their
statements are entitled to full credit

Thomas M. Hicken

I Harry I. Pooley, clerk of said Court do
hereby certify that the foregoing contains the
original proceedings of said Court in the matter
of the application of Samuel Boone for an
increase of pension.

In testimony whereof I have here-
set my hand & seal of office this
17 day of March 1834.

Harry I. Pooley / C. C.

October 30, 1939

Mrs. Clyde T. Bennett
Box 676
Silver City, New Mexico

BA-J/ANF
Samuel Boone
S. 1168

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request The Revolutionary War record of Samuel Boone, born about 1728, in Pennsylvania, died about 1808, in Fayette County, Kentucky, ^{who} he was the brother of Daniel Boone.

The data furnished herein were obtained from papers on file in claim for pension, S. 1168, based upon service of Samuel Boone, in the War of the Revolution. This is the record of the only Samuel Boone (Boon) found on file in the Revolutionary War pension records of this office.

Samuel Boone was born March 31, 1758 "on Yadkin River," in North Carolina. He was the son of Samuel Boone, name of his mother not given.

While residing in Camden District, South Carolina, on Congaree River, Samuel Boone served in 1775, as substitute for his father, as private in Captain John Cook's company, Colonel Robert Goodwin's South Carolina regiment, was in an engagement at Ninety-Six and captured about three hundred Tories, length of service three months. He enlisted July 1, 1776, served three months in Captain William McGowan's company, Colonel Robert Goodwin's regiment. He served in the fall of 1778, three months as substitute for his father, in Captain Cook's company, Colonel Robert Goodwin's regiment. He enlisted early

in the year 1779, served three months in Captain John McChord's company, Colonel Robert Goodwin's regiment.

Shortly after the expiration of this service, Samuel Boone learned that his uncle, Daniel Boone, was raising a volunteer company in North Carolina, to go to Kentucky to suppress the Indians; he went to Rowan County, North Carolina, and joined Daniel Boone's company, marched from there on September 15, 1779, and reached Kentucky late in October, 1779. Samuel Boone served under Captains William Hayes, Charles Hazbrigg, James Stevenson, John Constant, Colonels Daniel Boone and Levi Todd. He assisted in erecting the fort at Bryant's Station, was stationed in Boone's Station and in Strode's Station, and part of the time was a spy; he was in the battle of Upper Blue Licks under Major John Holder, and continued in the service until April 16, 1783.

Samuel Boone was allowed pension on his application executed September 29, 1832, at which time he was a resident of Clark County, Kentucky. He was living in Fayette County, Kentucky, in 1834.

The papers on file in this claim contain no reference to wife or children of Samuel Boone.

The following data in regard to the sisters of the soldier, Samuel Boone, are shown in the claim:

Mrs. Elizabeth White, widow of William White in 1832, then eighty years of age, and living in Madison County, Kentucky;

Mrs. Rebecca Johns, born April, 1768, living in Fayette County, Kentucky, in 1832;

Sarah Montgomery, living in 1832, in the State of Missouri;

Mary Bradley, also living in 1832, in Missouri.

In order to obtain the date of last payment of pension, name and address of person paid, and

possibly the date of death of this pensioner, you should apply to the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and furnish the following data:

Samuel Boone
Certificate #19407
Issued January 18, 1836
Rate \$80.00 per annum (increased from \$40.00 per annum)
Commenced March 4, 1831
Act of June 7, 1833
Kentucky Agency.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator