

SERVICE

NUMBER

Va.

Leach, George  
Ann

W. 27584

B.L.H. 3764-160-55

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Virginia

George Leach  
Wood Co in the State of Virginia  
he was a bombardier in the Company commanded  
by Captain Edmunds of the 1st Regt. commanded  
by Marshall in the Virginia  
line for three years from 1777

Had new certificates for  
\$100 per ann. & paid to  
H. N. K. Bend H. N.

Enrolled on the Roll of Virginia  
the rate of 10 8 Dollars & Cents per  
annum on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 19 day of September  
1832 and sent to G. L.  
Prentiss, Petersburg, Va.

Arrears to 1st of September 1832 & 1833  
Semi-ann. allowance ending 1st March 1833 54.

\$ 216.

{ Revolutionary Claim }  
{ Act June 7, 1832 }

Recorded by Amos Allison Clerk.

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ad. as Major Genl. Sur.  
" H. L. Prentiss July 9, 1831  
" 1st Regt. 1st Regt. 18, 1836  
" Col. H. N. K. Bend. 1st Regt. 1837  
" 1st Regt. 1st Regt. 1837

Ohio  
July 48. No 482

act 2/63  
Warrant cancelled  
Spec. duplicate to  
be sent to Comm  
Genl Land Office  
Sh.

Oct 3/63 Lett. to Com H. D. Office enclosing duplicate warrant  
Also original warrants cancelled  
Sh.

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28. 487 act 3 Nov 2/55

March 31/55

Ann Leach, widow of  
George Leach, dec'd.  
"Private"

Revolutionary Pensioner  
act of 1838 & 1848

Private in Bond Capt. Edmund Smith  
in Col. Mays' Regiment  
Artillery, Regt of the  
Virginia State Line

Beynton

act 160 act's Aug 11/55

Dodge

Duplicate of spec. Act  
of 1838 sent to  
Comm of Genl Land Office

3764 ip Aug 16/55

T. R. Stanley

T. R. Stanley  
M Arthur  
Dintons Co Ohio



1802  
Cincinnati

Joseph [unclear]

acted in the Revolutionary

War, as a [unclear]

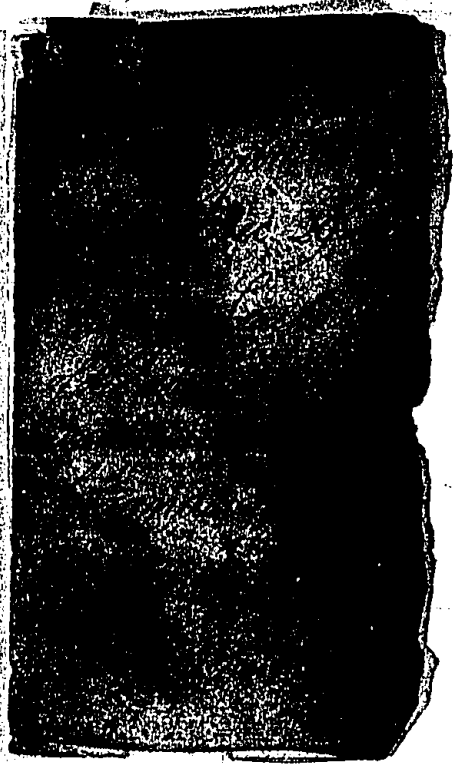
scribed on the Roll at the rate of  
100 Dollars

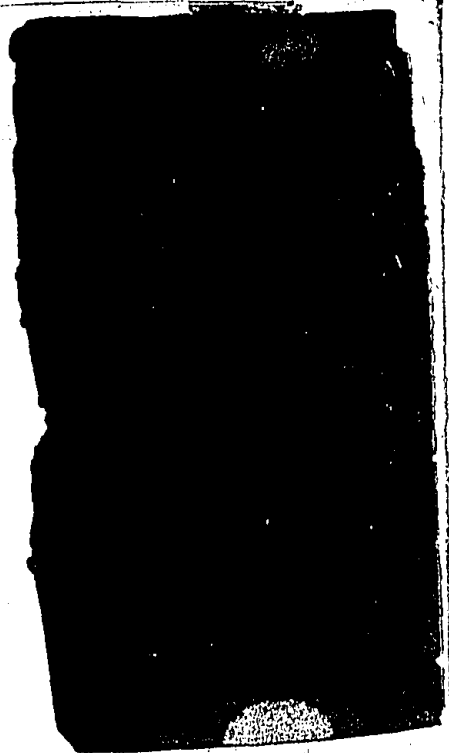
Cents per annum, to commence on  
the 4th day of March, 1848.

Certificate of Pension issued on  
21 day of May 1848  
and sent to

Martin [unclear]  
Jackson [unclear]  
Ohio

Recorded on Roll of Pensioners under  
February 2, 1848, Page 357 Vol. 4





Henry French was  
born January 27th  
George French was  
February 11th 1800

Handwritten text on a rectangular label, possibly a book cover or endpaper, featuring the words "Book" and "Dyer" in cursive script.

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The State of Ohio }  
Jackson County } ss.

On this 26. day of September A.D. 1838,  
personally appeared before the judges of the Court of  
Common Pleas in and for the County aforesaid, Ann Leach  
a resident of Jackson County - Leach Township aged 73  
years who being first duly sworn according to law doth  
on her oath make the following declaration in order  
to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of  
Congress passed July 7. 1838, entitled an act granting  
half pay and pensions to certain widows that she is the  
Widow of George Leach who was a regular in the  
revolutionary war, reference being had to his papers on  
file in the Pension Office, and inscribed on pension list  
of the Ohio Army at Cincinnati - She further declares  
that she was married to the said George Leach on the  
twenty ninth day of December in the year Seventeen  
hundred and eighty five. (29 Decr 1785) and that  
her husband the aforesaid George Leach died on the  
20. day of February A.D. 1838, 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 seventeen  
hundred and ninety four viz at the time above stated  
Test  
Ann <sup>her</sup> Leach  
mark

J. Hughes -

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year above  
written before the Court of Common Pleas in open Court

Jacob Westfall. } Clerk of Jackson  
} Common Pleas

The State of Ohio Jackson County etc.

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March Eighteen hundred and fifty five, personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid Ann Leach, a resident of Jackson County aforesaid aged Ninety three years, who being duly sworn according to law declares, that she is the widow of George Leach deceased who was a Private of Artillery in the Revolutionary war.

That she was married to the said George Leach in Fauquier County Virginia about the year 1785, and that her name before said marriage was Ann Bigbee - That her said husband died in Jackson County Ohio on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1838. That she has not since married but now remains his widow. She is unable to state the Company or regiment in which her said husband served, but for proof of his service refers to his declaration which he made to obtain pension, and for proof of her marriage and his death and of other facts necessary to establish this claim she refers to her declaration to obtain Pension under the Act of 1838 and subsequent Acts, as also to her certificate of Pension now in her possession, dated the 21<sup>st</sup>

day of May Eighteen hundred and forty nine  
and numbered 4826, signed by T. Ewing  
Secretary of the Interior and granting her a  
Pension under the act of February 3. 1848 at  
the rate of one hundred dollars a year from  
the 4th day of March 1848, and continuing  
for life. She makes this declaration  
for the purpose of obtaining the Bounty Land  
granted by the act passed March 3. 1855, and  
she hereby declares that she has not applied  
for a reward, and is not entitled to Bounty  
Land except as herein stated as she believes,  
and she hereby appoints T. R. Stanley  
of McArthur Ohio her Attorney to prosecute  
her claim and receive her warrant when  
issued.

Ann <sup>her</sup> Leach  
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day  
and year above written, And I certify that  
I have no interest in the above claim and  
am not concerned in its prosecution.

Wm. A. Bell J. P.

The State of Ohio Jackson County, Oct.

Before me, personally came Samuel P.  
Anthony and Philip Timberman  
persons whom I certify to be respectable and  
entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn  
say, that they were present and saw Ann

I George Leach of Wood County, Virginia do certify and declare that during the war of the revolution that in the year 1777 I enlisted in the service of my country under Capt Elias Edmonds Corp Artillery in a Regiment commanded by Col Thomas Marshall 2 Regt of Virginia troops my enlistment was for three years and I served the three years and was legally discharged at Richmond Virginia in the year 1780. at the time of my discharge my former Capt Edmonds was the commandant of the Regiment and I think I was discharged by a William Speller who was Lieut Commandant of the <sup>company</sup> at the time of discharge that I was at the time of my enlistment a resident of Page County Va. that I removed from that City to Wood County where I have resided for the last twenty five years that I am now about seventy five years of age and have never received any pay from the State or General Government since my discharge. when I received my wages in paper money which was worth little or nothing but supposed to be ten dollars per month. which sum we were to receive with clothing and rations. If this statement in connection with the accompanying documents enable me to relief under the Act of Congress pass 1832 my country will receive the thanks of an old and grateful Soldier

George Leach

Witness  
 Robt G Smith }  
 Jas. Lewis }

Commonwealth of Virginia  
 Wood County to wit, George Leach Personage

appeared before me the subscriber & Justice of the Peace for said County and made oath that the above statement to which he has subscribed his name contains the truth and that he has a distinct recollection of all the facts set out herein under any hand this 7th July 1832

Wm B. Mentz

State of Ohio Jackson County &c  
On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of ~~March~~<sup>April</sup> 1870 Personally appeared  
before me John J. Ewins Probate Judge of Jackson  
County Ohio Thomas W. Leach who being duly  
Sworn according to Law ~~deposes and says~~ makes  
the following declaration in order to secure Restoration  
to the Rights of Pensioners that the Person on whose  
disability Pension was granted was Ann Leach  
Widow <sup>death</sup> of George Leach who was Soldier of  
Artillery Corps of the Revolution  
that the Pension Certificate Numbered  
and Bearing date:

is herewith Returned that the said Ann Leach  
died in Jackson County Ohio on or about the  
2<sup>nd</sup> July 1856 at the house of this deponent who  
is her Son and that she was last paid her Pension  
March 4<sup>th</sup> 1856 and that this deponent Generally  
drew her money for her at Cincinnati Ohio the cause  
of delay was owing to not knowing what way to  
proceed to obtain the same and that he has  
now been appointed Administrator of the  
Estate of said Ann Leach.

that his Residence is Jackson County Ohio  
Post office address is Richmondale P.O. Co. Ohio  
Thos W Leach

Also Personally appeared James Vance and Henry P. Leach  
Residents of the Jackson County Ohio Persons whom I certify to  
be Respectable and entitled to testify and who being by me duly sworn  
say they were present and saw Thomas W. Leach sign  
his name to the foregoing declaration and  
that they have every Reason to believe

from the appearance of said claimant and their  
acquaintance with Thomas H. Leach that he is the  
identical person by ~~whom~~ <sup>whom</sup> he swears to himself to be  
and that they have no interest in the prosecution of  
this claim

Henry P. Leach

James H. Varrel

Sworn to and subscribed at Jackson this  
Seventh day of April A D 1870 before me  
In witness my hand and the  
Seal of said Court on said  
7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1870

John J. Egan  
Probate Judge

August 16, 1939.

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Mrs. Lillian Harris Hasselquist  
1658 Preston Avenue,  
Akron, Ohio.

BA-J/CC  
George Leach  
W.27584

Dear Madam:

The data which follow were obtained from papers in bounty land and pension claims on file under W.27584, based upon service of George Leach in the Revolutionary War.

The date and place of birth of George Leach and name/s of his parents are not shown.

George Leach, while residing in Fauquier County, Virginia, enlisted in 1777, and served as bombardier in Captain Elias Edmunds' company, Colonel Thomas Marshall's Virginia regiment, and was discharged in 1780, at which time his Captain Elias Edmunds was Colonel of the regiment. He afterwards served in the militia and was wounded at Williamsburg, officers not stated. His brother, Thomas Leach, served a tour of three months as his substitute.

George Leach was allowed pension on his application executed July 7, 1832, then aged seventy-five years and living in Wood County, Virginia, where he had lived for about twenty-five years.

He died February 20, 1838, in Jackson County, Ohio, where he had moved in 1837.

George Leach married December 29, 1785, in Fauquier County, Virginia, Ann Bigbee.

The soldier's widow, Ann, was allowed pension on her application executed September 26, 1838, then aged seventy-three years and a resident of Lick Township, Jackson County, Ohio. In 1843, she was residing in Washington Township, Jackson County, Ohio, and still residing there in 1848.

March 12, 1855, Ann Leach, still a resident of Jackson County, Ohio, applied for bounty land which was due on account of the service of her husband, George Leach, in the Revolutionary War. She was granted one hundred sixty acres of bounty land on Warrant No. 3764, under the Act of March 3, 1855.

She died July 22, 1855, in Jackson County, Ohio, at the home of her son, Thomas W. Leach.

The children of George and Ann Leach are shown as follow:

Fanny	born	December	8,	1786
Susanah Higbee	"	November	16,	1788
Willis	"	December	16,	1790
Luis	"	May	1,	1793
Thomas Whiting	"	February	17,	1797
Amelia	"	July	14,	1799
Mary	"	February	4,	1804
George	"	February	14,	180- (illegible)

It is stated that "the most" of their children were living in 1837, in the State of Ohio.

In 1843, one Thomas W. Leach was Justice of the Peace in (Washington Township), Jackson County, Ohio, and in 1870, one Henry P. Leach was a resident of Jackson County, Ohio. Their relationship to the family not stated, unless this Thomas W. were the son named above.

For information in regard to the location of the land cited above, you should address the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Interior Department, this city, and furnish the warrant number, the acreage, and the act under which said warrant was issued.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER,  
Executive Assistant  
to the Administrator.