

SERVICE

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PennForeman, JacobS 32,254

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Indians

25143

Jacob Woreman

Baumba in the State of Indiana
he was a private in the command
of Captain Reamer of the regt commanded
by _____ in the ~~Delaware~~ Penn.
line for 6 months

Corrected Nov.
13, 1935 -
MTM

Date of death
not Jan 23

Inscribed on the Roll of Indians at
at the rate of 20 Dollars — Cents per annum,
to commence on the 4th day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 29 day of Nov
1833 and James
H. Ray Indiana a polis

Arrears to the 4th of Sept 50.00
Pension allowance ending 4 March 10.00

\$60.00

{ Revolutionary Claim,
Act June 7, 1832. }

Recorded by Dan Boyd Clerk,
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The State of Indiana
Boon County

On this 22^o day of October 1833 personally
appeared in the Boon Circuit Court now
in session before the honorable Bethesda F.
Morris President & William Worthy & Jacob
Johns Esquires his associates, Jacob Foreman
a resident of the said County of Boon in the
State of Indiana aged 75 or 76 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 in summer
of the second year of the revolutionary war, he
then being a resident of Reems town Curriko
township Lancaster County Pennsylvania,
volunteered into a company commanded by
Captain Reem, other officers names not now
recalled, to rendezvous at Lancaster in the
county aforesaid for the purpose of guarding the
powder house or magazine belonging to the
continental Congress, and that he was so employed
as such guard for the space of two months, when
he received a written discharge from his Captain
He returned home just before harvest.

2 That the year succeeding the last mentioned tour

still being a resident of the town. Deaunty last mentioned, he was drafted in the summer after harvest to go to Lancaster to guard several hundred British prisoners, that in pursuance of such draft he entered the Company commanded by Michael Overly which was made up & formed in Chocolico township or Curriko township in said County, that after the organization of the Company he was marched 12 miles to the town of Lancaster where his company were kept to guard the British prisoners and he believes a number of Hessian prisoners ^{were} among them, but such is his want of recollection he cannot say how many of them were in the stockades. he recollects that while at Lancaster the Virginia troops passed through that place on their way towards Philadelphia, but their destination he does not now recollect. He dwelt several days in passing the place - & during that time he recollects that he was on guard at the Lancaster court house one day where several British prisoners ^{were} confined, who had attempted to cut out of the stockade ^{which} had been erected - He served in the before mentioned Company two months & was discharged by his Captain.

3 In the latter part of the summer or fore part of the fall of the fourth year, he believes, of the revolutionary war he was again drafted while residing at the place he was living at the time he was called to perform his two preceding tours of duty - to go to Lancaster to guard the Hessian prisoners who had recently brought to that place - that in pursuance of such draft he entered into one Captain John Neplinger's Company under whom he was marched into Lancaster & under whom he served to guard said prisoners two months when he was again discharged.

That the summer succeeding the last mentioned tour of duty he was again drafted & entered into Michael Overly Company. He was marched by said Captain

Michael ovary towards Philadelphia from the same
township before mentioned - that the Company was
marched as far as one Peolys Tavern in the direction
of Phil-a & he thinks about a day and half's march
from his residence, when the Company were
ordered back - that from the time he was called into
service in this last mentioned town of duty until he
was discharged, he thinks he served two weeks.
He also recollects of being called out actually after the
battle of Brandywine, but before he marched, was discharged
and returned home -

In answer to the several interrogatories presented by the
war department, he would state -

1. That he was born of german parents in Lancaster County,
Pennsylvania in 1758 or 1759

That he has no record of his age.

That he was living in Lancaster County Penn^a when called
to perform his several tours of duty - that after the revolution
he moved to Dauphin County Penn^a - from that County
he moved to Mifflin County in the same State - from that
County he moved to Cumberland County from that place
he moved to the State of Ohio - from the State of Ohio
he moved to the County of Marion Indiana where he now
resides.

4. He believes he was drafted to perform the several tours
of duty set forth except the first -

5. That he could not speak the English language when
called into service & being no scholar he was not very
conversant with anything relating to the great events
that were transpiring during the revolution, except his
immediate duty - that from old age & consequent loss of
memory he can not recollect the names of any officers
in the several companies in which he served except
the following - But he recollects a brigadier inspector by the
name of Dabiler the name of no other officer at this time

that he received discharges from the several Captains under whom he served for the several terms of service above set forth
that he has long since lost his discharges - that he knows of no one living by whom he can prove his services before set out
That he knows of no Clergyman in his neighborhood who
has had any acquaintance with him but he is well acquainted with William Kenworthy one of the associate judges of the Boone Circuit Court and John Stocum Justice

of his present neighborhood & who can testify as to his character for veracity & their belief of his services as a soldier of the revolution

We hereby relinquish our claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declare that his name is not on the pension Roll of the agency of any state or the union or territory thereof -

I swear & subscribe to the day & year first above written in open court

David Hoover Clerk,

Jacob Foreman
William Kenworthy John Stocum

residing in the County of Boone ~~country~~ hereby certify that we are well acquainted with Jacob Foreman who has subscribed & sworn to the above declaration, that we believe him to be 75 or 76 years of age that he is reputed & believed in the neighborhood where he resides to have been a soldier of the revolution and that we concur in that opinion

William Kenworthy
John Stocum

I swear & subscribe to
in open Court

David Hoover Clerk,

And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion, after the investigation of the matter & after putting the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department that the above named applicant was a revolutionay soldier and served as he states & that the Court further certifies that

William Kenworthy, one of the associate judges of this Court & John Stocum Justice who have signed the preceding certificate, are residents of the County of Boone & are of the immediate neighborhood of the applicant & are credible persons & that their statement are intitled to credit



I David Hoover Clerk of the Court of the County of Boone do certify that the foregoing contains the original Proceedings of the said court in the Matter of the application of Jacob Foreman for a Pension... In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office the 22nd day of Oct 1853

Indiana, Oct 25. I William Shirk, Secretary of State
of the State of Indiana, certify that Alvin Morris,
who made the Certificate to the application of
Jacob Forman for a Pension, hereto annexed
attached, was at the time of making the
same, the Clerk of the Boone Circuit Court,
which is a Court of record; And I further
certify that I believe the Seal attached to said
certificate is the genuine Seal of said Court
and that the signature annexed is the genuine
signature of the said Alvin Morris.

In testimony whereof I have
hereunto subscribed my name,
and affix the Seal of said
State, at Indianapolis, this
25th day of October A.D. 1833.

Wm Shirk
Secy of State

November 13, 1938

RECORDED
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Jacob Foreman-S.32254

Mrs. J. G. Jordan
Colfax
Indiana

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the Revolutionary War records of Jacob Foreman and Norman Wynn, both pensioned in Boone County, Indiana.

Because of the great demand for Revolutionary War data and the limited clerical force available for furnishing such information, it is impossible to comply with each request which requires much time and research. The record of Jacob Foreman is furnished you herein as found in the papers on file in Revolutionary War pension claim, S.32254, based upon the military service in that war of that soldier. He served in the Pennsylvania Troops and has been erroneously listed as having served in the North Carolina Troops.

Jacob Foreman was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1758 or 1759. His parents were German, their names are not shown.

While residing in Lancaster, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, Jacob Foreman enlisted and served as a private with the Pennsylvania Troops as follows: "in the summer of the second year of the Revolution", two months in Captain Zane's Company and guarded the powder magazine at Lancaster; "after harvest" in the summer following, two months in Captain Michael Overly's Company and guarded British prisoners at Lancaster; in the latter part of the summer or early in the fall "of the fourth year of the Revolutionary War", two months in Captain John Uplinger's Company and guarded Hessian prisoners at Lancaster; the following summer, two months in Captain Michael Overly's Company. No dates are given for any of the above services.

After the Revolution, the soldier moved to Dauphin County, Pennsylvania; thence to Mifflin County, same state; thence to Cumberland County, state not given; from there to the state of Ohio; thence to Boone County, Indiana.

could not identify any other except left Ream.
Do soldier of that name in pa archives as of Lancaster Co.

Jacob Foreman was allowed pension on his application executed October 22, 1833, while a resident of Boone County, Indiana.

There are no data as to soldier's family.

In order to obtain the date of last payment of pension, the name and address of person paid and possibly the date of death of the Revolutionary War pensioner, Jacob Foreman (S.32254), you should address The Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and cite the following data:

Jacob Foreman, Certificate No. 26143, issued November 29, 1833, rate \$20 per annum, commenced March 4, 1831, Act of June 7, 1832, Indiana Agency.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant to the Administrator.

Celfay, Indiana.
Oct 19. 1935.

Veterans Administration:-

Please send me complete
Revolutionary War record of

Jacob Foreman,

private, N. C. Militia.
pensioned 1819 at the age
of 78 - Boone, Co. Indiana.

Yours truly,

Mrs. J. C. Jacob



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Regd INVALID.

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H. Jordan - Oh

File No. 82,254

Jacob Touman
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[Arrangement of 1870.]



Nov 24. 61
Capt. Foreman
Jacob Foreman
Anderson.

Boombes
Sett. Private
from 17. Oct. 61
6 months & 10 days
up Regan
at Mar.
Census office
Washington City

James M. Ray
Indianapolis,
Indiana

FREE

C. H. H.



Posta
24.6.
post office
mail room
Bremen

FREE
S. J. Bond
from 17 & Private
6 Court of Appeals
secretly at Mar.
Pension office
Washington City
George H. Read
Postage paid in advance

The declaration of Jacob Toremann
of Boone County Indiana.

Papers or communication on the subject of
affairs of the Indians referred to James M. Clegg
Clerk of the Court - Indian affairs

J. L. Edwards Esq.

C Fletcher

Oct 25 1833