

SERVICE

NUMBER

Penn

McKinley David

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Dead
Paid at this Treasury under the
Act of the 6th April 1838 from
the Sept 1839 to 8 Aug 1840. Apts
Notified 20 Dec 1841.

3375
Ohio Pittsburgh Agency
David Mc Kinley
of Columbus in the State of Ohio
who was a Private in the Company
of Captain Ross - of the 1st Regt
by Col. Tenhedy in the Pen a
line for 2 1/2 months from 1776

Inscribed on the Roll of Pittsburgh Agency
at the rate of 70 Dollars - Bonds for annu
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 20th day of Dec 32
and sent to Hon Sol^r
Thompson, House of Reps

Arrears to 1st of Sept 1832 105⁰⁰
Pensioner allowance ending 1st Dec 33 30⁰⁰

\$140⁰⁰

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

Recorded by Nathan Rice - Cler
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Second Comptroller's Office,

Dec. 6th. 1841.

For:

Under the date of the 6th of April, 1838, entitled "An
act directing the transfer of money remaining unclaimed by certain
Pensioners, and authorizing the payment of the same at the Treasury
of the United States," The Exec^{on} of David Mc Kinley, dec^d,
a Pensioner on the Roll of the Pittsburgh, Pa. Agency, at
the rate of Seventy Dollars and Bonds
per annum, under the law of the 7 June 1832, has
been paid at this Department, from the 1st of Sept. 1839,
to the 8th August 1840

Respectfully, yours,

Albion B. Parrie

Comptroller.

To the Commissioner of Pensions,

Present.

4507.

Dani McHenry
Ohio

Ab.
from 1776 present
21 months.
\$70.

4. 5.
Ab.
Lt. Col. in Thompson
H.R.
Dec 15, 1862

J. W.

BRIEF in the case of *Dani McHenry*
of *Columbiana*, in the State of *Ohio*
(Act 7th June, 1832.)

1. Was the declaration made before a Court or a Judge? *County*
2. If before a Judge, does it appear that the applicant is disabled by bodily infirmity?
3. How old is he? *73 years*
4. State his service, as directed in the form annexed.

Period.	Duration of Service.			Rank.	Names of General and Field Officers under whom he served.
	Years.	Months.	Days.		
<i>In the year of the Battle of Gettysburg served on his term 1 mo.</i>				<i>pr.</i>	<i>Gen. Wm. McCreary</i>
<i>Next Spring left</i>		<i>2</i>			<i>Adj.</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Laird</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Reed</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Hollister</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Haynes</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Robe</i>
		<i>2</i>			<i>" Hancock</i>

5. In what battles was he engaged? *at 31 mo.*
6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? *York County Penn.*
7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditional evidence, by incidental evidence, or by the rolls? *Traditional*
8. Are the papers defective as to form or authentication? and if so, in what respect? *County*

X Certify that the foregoing statement and the answers agree with the evidence in the case above mentioned.

Examining Clerk.

State of Ohio }
Columbiana county } August 12 1832 came
personally into open Court before the Court of Com-
mon Pleas in and for said Columbiana county Ohio
now sitting David McKimly a resident of Ven-
dism in said county aged seventy seven after
the nineteenth day of May last who being first
sworn according to Law, doth in his oath make the
following declaration in order to obtain the benefit
of the act of Congress passed June 7 1832

That he entered the ~~continental~~ service of the United
States under the following named officers
and served as herein stated: He entered the
army of the United States as a volunteer in the
summer of 1781 thinks in June the year he does not
recollect but says it was the year in which
the battle of Long Blaind occurred, he volunteered
in York county Pennsylvania, Chancesford town-
ship, the Captain name was William Black, Lt
Lieutenant named Kirklow second Lieutenant
William Goreng, Ensign John Smith, in a regim-
ent commanded by Coln M. Colcaster Lieute-
nant Coln Kennedy, Major Black, that he resid-
ed in the said Chancesford township at the time
of his entering the service - that he was marched
thence to Philadelphia Penna thence ~~thence~~
they went in a vessel up the Delaware river
to Burlington, from thence on foot to Trenton,
from there through different small towns, counted
from thence to Hackensack river in New Jersey,
from thence to Bergen town opposite New York
from thence to Paulsboro where we lay a long
time, the fort was taken by the British while
we were there, there were no small arms fired
that he can recollect - thinks it was taken
entirely by Cannon. From thence we went to a
town he thinks called An. Coy near a small river
there were some British on the other side, we crossed
over after dark and had a skirmish with them

After crossing the river we marched several
miles to the place where we had the skirmish,
the skirmish was in the morning we took some
British and Hessian prisoners and marched back
to where we crossed the river, from thence we mar-
shed to Fort Lee opposite to Fort Mifflin,
where we built cabins to stay all winter, twenty
men out of our company, was ordered to Fort Mifflin
under Lieutenant Goring I was one of the
twenty, Fort Mifflin was taken, I had been sent
the evening before by Goring the evening
before to Fort Lee and was the only one of the nineteen
that escaped being taken, the British crossed the
river above Fort Lee and we left the fort and
retreated we marched through Trenton, on the
retreat the time of the company expired, Genl
Washington was with us and we volunteered
for one month more and served out the time
which expired a short time before the battle
of Trenton when I had returned home, he ~~had~~ then
drafted for two months the next spring (the year
he does not recollect) and marched to Philadel-
phia under Captain Ross, Coln Smith Lieut
Coln Gibson, Major Finley, we were chief part
of the time employed in constructing a work
in the Delaware with the river to prevent the British
shipping coming up, he served out the two mon-
ths and returned home, he was again drafted
in the same year, and marched under Capt. ^{for two months} Leard
he thinks the name of Lieut was Moore, the name
of the other officers he cannot recollect, he was mar-
shed he thinks towards Philadelphia but does not
remember any particular service performed, he
served out his time and returned home, he was draft-
ed again for two months more at the time the
British landed at the Head of Elk and marched
under Captain Reed, Lieut Collins, we were ^{part} with
Genl Potter's Brigade, Genl Armstrong was with
us often and I understand him to be Genl of Division,
he marched from York county where he was drafted

to near Schoolhill where he was put into Genl Put
ter's Brigade when we spent our time principally
in marching and counter marching until the
two months expired when he went to Reading
and from thence to the upper end of Lancaster county
Penna where shortly after he got there he was drafted
again for two months he was in a company com-
manded by Capt Follenbain, Coln Eldar, Genl
Linn, he was marched to a place called Train
hill church some miles from Philadelphia, he here
served out his time and returned to Lancaster
Penna. He was here drafted again and accompanied
Capt John Haymaker, Lt Lieutenant Holbert
Coln John Boyd, marched to a place near Ches-
nut hill, he was in skirmish on Chesnut hill
where Genl Linn was taken prisoner - and
Lieutenant Holbert was killed, his time expir-
ed while at or in the neighborhood of Chesnut hill
he then went home to York county, staid a few
days and then crossed the mountains to Pittsburg
and went from thence to the Forks of Applegheeny
and was drafted for two months more, and served
under Capt Andrew Robt. Coln name Tom
marched to Bois fort and served out the time
there and at Wallace fort four miles distant
from Bois fort, this was the year that Genl
McIntosh crossed the mountains to build fort
McIntosh and a fort on the Tuscarawas when
he got home from his service at Bois and Walla-
ce forts he found a notice that he was drafted for
two months more, he served under Capt Kenna
who marched to Pittsburg, thence up the Allegh-
eny to the mouth of Puckety to a station he think
called fort Cranford, he returned to Pittsburg as
a guard to a company of pack horse that carried
provisions to the station, marched from thence
to Beaver on I helped build a fort called fort
McIntosh, marched from thence to Tuscarawas
river - and spent in building a fort there until

his two months expired, having served in all
21 twenty ^{one} months, that he cannot recollect that
he ever received any discharge and that he has
no documentary evidence and that he knows of no
person whom he is serving, he can procure no cer-
tificate to his service, He has by no means
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 and subscribed the day and year afore-
said
David M. Shirley

Mr Clement Vallandigham, a citizen residing
in New Lisbon in Adams county, Ohio and Dr
Fisher A. Blockson residing in
New Lisbon generally certify that we are
well acquainted with David M. Shirley who has
subscribed and sworn to the above declaration, that
we believe him to be recently from your gage on
the 16th day 1832, that he is a native and born
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 and year afore-
said
Charles Coffin
Clement Vallandigham
John Thomas
Fisher A. Blockson

Answers given by respondent of court and
the answers given by said applicant

1. Where were you born and in what year?
Answer In York county Penna in the year 1755
May 16th

2. Have you any records of your age & if so when
is it?

Answer It was set down in a bible by my father
from which I transcribed into a bible of my own
from which I transcribed into a bible which I
have now

3. Where were you living when you went into
service, where have you lived since the
revolutionary war and where do you now live?

Answer I was living in York county Penna when
I entered the service after my services were over
when I settled in Westmoreland county Penna
where I lived about fifteen years, then moved
to Mercer county Penna and lived there until
the year 1814 and removed from there to Coler
bran a county Ohio where now lives and has lived
ever since

4. How were you called into service? were you
drafted, did you volunteer or were you a substitute
and if a substitute for whom?

Answer I first volunteered for six months and
was afterwards drafted seven times for two months
each time

5. State the names of some of the regular officers who
went with the troops when you were, such as captains
and militia regiments as you can recollect, and the
general circumstances of your service

Answer Genl Washington, Genl Putnam, Genl Mifflin
Genl Lee, Genl Greer, Genl Cornie, Genl Gotten, Genl
of McIntosh, Colns Hadden, Smith, Cleland
Boyd, Brookhead, Capt. Landon, Rad, McCarty &

6. Did you ever receive a ^{discharge} ~~commission~~ from any of Co
by whom was it signed, and what had it signified?
Answer ~~I do not know that I did if I did it is lost~~
I do not know that I did if I did it is lost

7. State the names of persons in your present neigh-
borhood, and who can testify as to your character
for veracity and their belief of your service as
a soldier of the Revolution.

Answer Genl John Thompson member of Congress
William D Ewing Esq, William D Ewing, Will-
iam Holliman, William McCarty Esq, George Graham
and Fisher A. Blackson

And the said Court do hereby declare their
opinion after the investigation of the matter
and after perusing the interrogatories proposed by
the respondent, that the above applicant
was a revolutionary soldier and soldier of the state,
and the Court further certifies that it appears
to them that the D. H. Tallandier, his son in law, A. M. Mifflin
who have signed the preceding certificate are
residents of the county of Columbiana and are
credible persons, and that their statements is entitled
to credit

I, Charles D. Coffin, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings of the said Court in the matter of the application of David McHenry for a pension.



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this nineteenth day of August at D 1832

Charles D. Coffin (M)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS.

Washington, D. C., _____, 19__

In reply to your request of _____, received _____ for a statement of the military history of David McHenry a soldier of the REVOLUTIONARY WAR, you will find below the desired information as contained in his (or his widow's) application for pension on file in this Bureau.

DATES OF ENLISTMENT OR APPOINTMENT.	LENGTH OF SERVICE.	RANK.	OFFICERS UNDER WHOM SERVICE WAS RENDERED.		STATE.
			CAPTAIN.	COLONEL.	
June 1776	1 mos	Priv.	William M. Cook	McClister	Penn
Next Spring	2 mos		Ross	Smith	
Same year	2 mos		Laird		
	2 mos		Reed	Elder	
	2 mos		John Robertson	John Boyd	
	2 mos		David Robb	Boyd	
	2 mos		Hannah		

Battles engaged in, Chesnut Hill
 Residence of soldier at enlistment, Hempford, York Co. Penn.
 Date of application for pension, Aug. 16, 1832. His date was el.
 Residence at date of application, West Lisbon, Columbiana Co. Ohio
 Age at date of application, born May 16, 1755 in York Co. Penn.
 Remarks: no data as to family

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

re 23- Hist. to
C. W. W. W.
Columbus

Mr. Wm. H. ...
Mr. J. ...
Mr. ...
1925 - July 23 - ...
1926 - ...

Per Max

2812
INVALID.

File No. 2812
David M. Kinley
Print Rev Max
Act: June 7, 1892
Index: Vol. A, Page 244

[Arrangement of 1870.]

1893, Jan
W. L.

1895
Columbus

Washington Dec 18~~th~~ 1892

Mr. Edmunds

Dear Sir

As a close examination
of the papers of David Atterbury I find he has
set forth most clearly the details of his conduct
showing particularly what he was engaged
in during the term of each draft.

This statement will I hope remain the first
objection; and the next and last I am
satisfied is entirely done away when he
states particularly at the last that he served
in all twenty one months.

As I am personally acquainted with this
old man and have been for many years,
and know him to be a man of strict truth,
and as all those who know him well believe
he served as he states - I have no doubt
he is entitled to Pension for the time he
sets forth viz. 21 months.

Yours &
John H. ...

XI. Has the applicant obtained the evidence of a clergyman and another respectable citizen as to their belief respecting his age and the general belief in his neighborhood relative to his revolutionary service? *Y*

XII. If the clergyman's affidavit has not been produced, is there any reason assigned for not obtaining it?

XIII. If the applicant has no documentary evidence, and has not obtained the testimony of at least one living witness, has he stated in his declaration that such proof cannot be had? *Y*

Traditional name

XIV. If the applicant has produced a witness or witnesses as to his service, has the magistrate who administered the oath certified that he, she, or they are persons of credibility? *Y*

Has the official character and signature of the magistrate been certified by the proper officer under his seal of office? *Y*

XV. Does it appear from any of the papers that the witness was in such a situation, or of such an age, as to have a personal knowledge of the applicant's service?

XVI. Are the papers authenticated as the regulations direct? *Y*

XVII. Are the seven interrogatories prescribed by the War Department answered satisfactorily? And, if not, which of them is not so answered?

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

* QUERE V. In a case where the applicant cannot, by reason of the loss of memory, state precisely how long he served, he should amend his declaration by making an affidavit in the following words:

"Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace, &c. A. B. who, being duly sworn, deposed and saith, that, by reason of old age, and the consequent loss of memory, he cannot swear positively as to the precise length of his service, but according to the best of his recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned below, and in the following grades: For _____ year _____ months and _____ days, I served as a _____; For _____ months and _____ days, I served as a _____; and for such service I claim a pension."

It is important in all cases to determine with precision the period for which the applicant served, and the particular rank he held, as the law directs the pension to be paid according to the grade of the pensioner and the length of his service. The use of the phrase *about three or four months* is too indefinite, and all such qualifying expressions are objectionable.

QUERE XIV. Proof of Service.

In a case where the name of the applicant is not found on the records of the Department, he must prove his service by two credible witnesses, who are required to set forth in their affidavits the time of the claimants entering the service, and the time and manner of his leaving the same, as well as the regiment, company, and line to which he belonged. The magistrate who may administer the oaths must certify to the credibility of the witnesses, and the official character and signature of the magistrate must be certified by the proper officer, under his seal of office.

QUERE XVI. Mode of authenticating papers.

In every instance where the certificate of the certifying officer who authenticated the papers is not written on the same sheet of paper which contains the affidavit, or other paper authenticated, the certificate must be attached thereto by a piece of tape or narrow ribbon, the end of which must pass under the seal of office of the certifying officer, so as to prevent any paper from being improperly attached to the certificate.

The Applicant must

David Mc Keeley, Jr.

Post Office Department
OFFICIAL BUSINESS
REGISTERED ARTICLE
INSURED PARCEL

No. 1011
No. _____

LEARN WHILE YOU LEARN
JOHN S. ARMY

POSTMAN OF DELIVERY OFFICE

DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to Board of Review
(NAME OF BENDER)
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Stamp: S 1011 1011 AM WASHINGTON D.C. MAY 2 1920

RETURN RECEIPT.

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

James McKeen Rose
(Signature of name of addressee)

Donald Walker - G. Muller
(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, May 24, 1920

Form 3811

Stamp: REC'D SEC. RD. OF POSTS MAY 25 1920

Another See of Mr. Rose, Rogers

Roundup, Mont.
Sept. 9 1926.

Adjutant General,
Wash. D.C.

Dear Sir:

I wish to know the service
record of David M. Kinley
born in 1763. Whose home
was around York Penn.

My great grand mother ^{called for} was
the daughter of David M. Kinley.

She had a brother James M. ~~1763~~
who married Mary Rose. Their
son Wm M. Kinley was the father
of the late Pres. Wm M. Kinley.

Yours truly

Mrs. Mary Norton ~~1763~~

805 1st west

Roundup

Montana



JOHN L. WILKIE
WILLIAM B. GOODWIN
GEORGE J. THOMSON
EUGENE D. ALEXANDER
HARON H. BIGELOW
R. L. VON BERNUTH

GOULD & WILKIE
COUNSELLORS AT LAW
NO 2 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

CHARLES G. KEUTGEN
FREDERICK H. ROSCHWITZ
DOUGLAS H. BLACK
JAMES MCK ROSE
CABLE ADDRESS
GOLDKEY

Commissioner of Pensions
Washington D.C.

May 14 1920

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find check for \$1.00 ✓
for which please send me the record of
services in the Revolutionary war of
DAVID MCKINLEY born May 16 1755
died Aug 8 1840 He is the great
grandfather of Pres. William McKinley.
He applied for a pension Aug 15 1832

Very truly yours.

James McKinley Rose

May 21, 1920.

James McKinley Rose,
2 Wall St.
New York City, N. Y.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 19th instant, herewith is
furnished the record of the Revolutionary War pensioner, David
McKinley, Survivor File # 2618, for which no fee is charged.

Please find enclosed your check for one dollar on the
Equitable Trust Company of New York.

Very respectfully,

J. M. [Signature]

Commissioner.

Sept. 22^d, 1914-

Bureau of Pensions

Dear Sir;

It is respectfully requested that information regarding the service in the War of the Revolution, if such be available in your office be furnished in the following cases

David Mc Shinley b-1755-d.1840; m 1780- Sarah Gray David Mc Shinley b. Chancery Pa. removed Ohio- 1814- when he died- Private Westmoreland County Militia-

Andrew Roe - New Jersey - after the Revolutionary War, removed 1786, Grove City - Allen Co. Pa

From 1812- Clement Pearson (wid Elizabeth Pearson), private Capt. J. Robinson War 1812-; lived in Pa.

Respectfully Mrs Perry L. Hobbs. 6508 Euclid Ave Cleveland, O.

delivered to you

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BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Finance Division

MAY 20 1920

Chief of Pension War Section

Sir:

I have this day received from

James M. Shirley Pass Book No. 254 for \$ 1.00

requesting post office addresses as per letter herewith

Finance Div. may get return of check.

Very respectfully,

Wm. Campbell Chief of Division.

W.C.

U. S. Pension Bureau
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Please furnish at earliest moment possible pension certificate for my ancestor, David Mc Kuley born York Co. Pa. and died Crawford Co. Pa. Aug 8-1840, service in Revolution 1776 and other years.

Thanking you for prompt attention, as I am awaiting this information for the D. A. R. So., I am,

Sincerely

Mrs. Leona G. Salisbury
1333 - #30 W. La Salle St.
Chicago.

Room 1333 - #30 W. La Salle
St.
Chicago, Ill. June 16-1914



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STATE OF OHIO.

Adjutant General's Department.

Columbus, Mar 23 1895

Commissioner of Pensions
Washington
D. C.

Dear Sir:

Gov. Wm. McKinley of Ohio desires to get the military record of his Great Grandfather who was a Soldier of the Revolutionary War. His name was David M^c Kinley and he enlisted from the State of Penn and is supposed to have drawn a Pension.

Will you please furnish this department with a certificate of his service at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly
W. L. Levery
Asst. Adj. Genl.

STATE OF OHIO.
OFFICE OF THE
ADJUTANT GENERAL.

COLUMBUS, March 19 1895.

Officer in Charge of Record & Pension Division,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please furnish this Department with a record of the service of David Mc Kinley, who served during the War of the Revolution from Pennsylvania and was a prisoner? The number of his regiment is not known.

I write for this record by request of Governor William McKinley of Ohio, as David Mc Kinley was his great grandfather.

Respectfully,
Asst. Adjutant General.
W. L. Levery

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RECORD & PENSION OFFICE

HAR 21 411186 1895
WAR DEPARTMENT

Columbus, Ohio.
March 19, 1895.

PENSION
U. I. APR 2 1895

David McKinley
Pennal.
(War of the Revolution)

Asst Adjt Genl of Ohio
requests record of service.

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With 366056

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Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D. C."

Record and Pension Office,
WAR DEPARTMENT.

Washington, March 21, 1895.

Respectfully returned to

Mr. W. L. Curry,
Assistant Adjutant General,
Columbus, Ohio.

The records of the Revolutionary War have but recently been transferred to this Department, and it will be several months before they can be indexed and arranged so that satisfactory reports can be made from them.

If Governor McKinley will renew his request at a later date such information as the records may afford in the case will be cheerfully and promptly furnished to him.

If a pension was ever granted on account of the service of David McKinley it is probable that a statement of his service can be obtained without delay by applying to the Commissioner of Pensions, who is the custodian of the pension records of all wa

By authority of the
Secretary of War:

J
W. L. Curry
Colonel, U. S. Army,
Chief of Office

PENSION
U. I. APR 2 1895
OFFICE

STATE OF OHIO.
OFFICE OF THE
ADJUTANT GENERAL.

J. 2 812

COLUMBUS, March 27-1895.

Hon. Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

David Mc Kinley, great grand-father of William Mc Kinley, Governor
of Ohio, served during the Revolutionary War in a Pennsylvania regiment
and was a pensioner.

Will you please send me a record of his service ?

Yours respectfully,

W. H. Bourne
Asst. Adjutant General.

J.

Supplies Revolutionary War Pensioners

State of Ohio
Adjutant General's Office
Columbus

REC'D MAY 23 1895 By _____

STATE OF OHIO

B. Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D.C."
Subject: Revolutionary War service. 366,056.

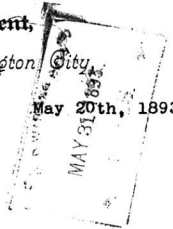
Record and Pension Office,



War Department,

Washington City,

May 20th, 1893.



The Adjutant General,
State of Ohio,
Columbus, Ohio.

Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant, in which you state that Governor McKinley desires to be furnished with a certificate of service of his grandfather, David McKinley, a soldier of the Revolutionary War, I am directed by the Secretary of War to inform you that the records of that war are not on file in this office, but that those of volunteers - enlisted men - of said war, are filed in the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, Washington, D.C., with whom correspondence concerning the service of the subject of inquiry should be conducted.

Very respectfully,

Colonel, U. S. Army,
Chief, Record and Pension Office.

O. W. & N. Division.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

F. S.

Bureau of Pensions,

M.R.C.

Washington, D. C., April 6, 1895.

Sir:-

In reply to your request for a statement of the military history of --- David McKinley --- a soldier of the REVOLUTIONARY WAR, you will find below the desired information as contained in his (or his widow's) application for pension on file in this Bureau.

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			CAPTAIN.	COLONEL.	
June 1776	7 mos.	Pvt.	William McCasky	McCollister	Pa.
1777	2 mos.	Pvt.	Ross	Smith	Pa.
1777	2 mos.	Pvt.	Laird	Not stated.	Pa.
1777	2 mos.	Pvt.	Reed	Gen. Potter	Pa.
1778	2 mos.	Pvt.	Hol derbaum	Elder	Pa.
1778	2 mos.	Pvt.	Sloymaker	Royd	Pa.
1778	2 mos.	Pvt.	Robe	Farr	Pa.
1778	2 mos.	Pvt.	Harnahan	Not stated.	Pa.

Amboy and Chestnut Hill.
Battles engaged in, Defence of Fort at Paulia Pook, & skirmishes at

Residence of soldier at enlistment, Chancetford, Pa.

Date of application for pension, August 15, 1832.

Residence at date of application, New Lisbon, Pa.

Age at date of application, Born May 16, 1755, in York Co., Pa.

Remarks: After the war lived in Westmoreland Co., Pa., fifteen years, then removed to Mercer Co., and in 1814 settled in Columbian Co., Ohio.

Very respectfully,

Gov. William McKinley,

Columbus, Ohio.

Commissioner.

Rev. and 1812
War Section.

July 33, 1935

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Madam:

I have to advise you from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S. 2812, it appears that David McKinley was born May 16, 1755 in York County, Pennsylvania.

While residing at Chanceford, York County, Pennsylvania, he enlisted and served as a private in the Pennsylvania Troops as follows-

From in June 1776, seven months in Captain William McCasky's Company, Colonel McAllister's Regiment.

From in the spring of 1777, he served seven ^{two months each} tours of ~~service~~ under Captains Ross, Laird, Reed, Holderbaum, John Slaymaker, Andrew Robs and Harnahan, and Colonels Smith, Elder, John Boyd and

Bar, and was in the battle of Chestnut Hills.

He was allowed pension on his application executed August 16, 1832, while a resident of New Lisbon, Columbiana County, Ohio.

It is not stated whether soldier was married.

Respectfully,

WINFIELD SCOTT
Commissioner.

*I did not give date of death as it
was not G. B. - any*