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*Murphy, John
Barbara*

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Pennsylvania

Barndora, Ellumphy.

widow of John Ellumphy.

who died on the 10th October 1807.

of North Co. in the State of Penn.

who was a Soldier in the Campaign commanded

by Captain Swart of the 6th Co. commanded

by General in the 7th Penn. Line

line for 6 months.

Inscribed on the Roll of Pennsylvania

at the rate of 250 Dollars --- Cents per annum

to commence on the 15th day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 15th day of June 1860.

And sent to George H. Hager

Attest the 15th day of June 1860.

Arrears to the 15th of June 1860 180.00

Pen. annual allowance ending Sept. 30 10.00

\$ 190.00

{ Revolutionary Claim }

{ Act July 5, 1836 }

{ Section the 3rd }

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Murphy, John
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To all whom it may
concern be it known

That John Murphy and Barbara Drott
were lawfully joined in holy matrimony
= money before me as witness my
hand

Jacob Gering
Lutherburg

York County
June 7th 1778



V 4377

Barbara Murphy
of John
Pennsylvania

State of Pennsylvania }
York County }
for

On this twenty first Day of February Eighteen hundred and thirty nine personally appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County, Barbara Murphy, a Resident of Chancery Township, in the said County of York; aged Eighty three 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 4th 1838, entitled an act granting half pay to widows or Orphans whose then husbands and Fathers have died of wounds received in the military service of the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes — That she is the widow of John Murphy, who was a private in Captain McKeays Company of Volunteers during the Revolutionary War; that he marched with said Company from Chancery Township aforesaid before her marriage took place, in the year seventeen hundred and seventy six, in the Month of July, to the best of her recollection, but does not recollect the exact Date, from thence to Lancaster Philadelphia, and New York, where he served a tour, as she believes of three months, but she is not certain; but she is certain that it was full two months, and was then discharged — That after their Marriage took place, in the Year seventeen hundred and seven by Eight, he was drafted, and marched in Captain John Linds Company of Militia, as a private from said Township, up the Susquehanna River to near Huntington (then called Stanans Store) against the Indians where he served a tour of atleast two months and was discharged; that she does not remember the month, or Day that he entered the service, but is certain that it was sometime after harvest of the said year 1778 — That in the year seventeen hundred and eighty one, he was again drafted and marched from the aforesaid Township, to Camp security in the County and State aforesaid, as a private in the Militia, to guard prisoners, where he served a tour of two months and was then discharged, and shortly after he was discharged at Camp security, he again entered the service, at the same place as a substitute for Isaac Williams, in the Militia, and to the best of her recollection, served a tour of two months, and was again discharged — That she does not remember the month or Days on which he entered the

service the two last mentioned tours of his service, nor does she remember the name of any of the Officers, under whom he served, by reason of old age and the consequent loss of memory — and that she has no Documentary evidence in support of her claim — Neither has she any record of her Marriage, or the birth of her children, as a Family record; and in the Church where the Charge of the Reverend Mr Jacob Goring, by whom the Marriage Ceremony were performed, there was no record kept for a number of years, including the time she was Married — But that she ever since her Marriage had in her care jointly with her husband, a certificate of the time of her Marriage, in the hand writing of the said Jacob Goring which was given to her & her husband at the time of their marriage, and will be hereto attached transmitted —

She further declares that she was married to the said John Murphy, on the seventh Day of June in the year seventeen hundred and seventy eight; that her husband the aforesaid John Murphy died on the sixteenth Day of October in the Year Eighteen hundred and nine, that she never was married to any other person since the death of her said husband, and that she was not married to him prior to his entering the service, but the Marriage took place previous to his leaving the Service, viz at the time above stated —

Sworn to and Subscribed, on the Day and

Year above written before

Geo Barnitz

Barbara Murphy
her
mark

I do hereby certify that Barbara Murphy the above named applicant is unable to appear in Court, on account of bodily infirmities —

Geo Barnitz

Pennsylvania }
York County }
for

On this twenty first Day of February Eighteen hundred and thirty nine, personally appeared before me, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County,

of York, the Reverend Dr. George Schmucker, who long past duly sworn according to Law, who on his solemn oath saith, that he was the pastor of the German Lutheran congregation in the Borough of York, County aforesaid, for a number of years, after the decease of the Reverend Mr. Jacob Goswing, that he knows that during the time, or a great part of the time during which Mr. Goswing was the pastor of said congregation, there was no record kept of the marriages that took place, including the time the within named John Murphy and Barbara Murphy were married; He further saith that, he is acquainted with the hand writing of the said Jacob Goswing, and that the certificate hereto attached, purporting to be the hand writing of said Goswing, is his genuine hand writing, to the best of his knowledge & belief, & further saith not —

Sworn to and subscribed, this Day and

Year above written - before

Geo. Barnitz

J. Geo. Schmucker

I do hereby certify that the above named Rev. Dr. George Schmucker is a person of the first respectability, and that his affidavit is entitled to full credit and belief —

Geo. Barnitz

your servant

Before me the subscribed one of justices of the peace in and for the County of York personally appeared ^{Ed. George Hester} ~~Ed. George Hester~~ ^{Ed. George Hester} who on his solemn oath taken according to Law saith that he knows John Murphy deceased the husband of Barbara Murphy of Chenango Second Dist. York County Va. and that the said John Murphy died in the year seven teen Hundred and seventy six in the month of August month with this Deponent as a Volunteer under the Command of Captain M^r. Henry of Chenango Second Dist. York County and State of Pennsylvania to the High Seas board of the City of New York, at the time the British fleet went up past New York and fired on the vessels of said Company and this Deponent knows that the said John Murphy ~~died~~ ^{was} two months in the service ^{in the Revolution} ~~in the Revolution~~ ^{and} the said Captain at the above time and place and further saith not —

Sworn to and subscribed -
the fifteenth Day of
February A.D. 1839
Before Hugh Love

John Hester

I do hereby certify that the above named George Hester is a respectable person and that his testimony is entitled to full credit and belief

Hugh Love

State of Pennsylvania, }
York County }

On this twentieth Day of February Eighteen hundred and thirty Nine Personally appeared before me the Subscriber, a Justice of the peace in and for said County, William M. Dowell a resident of Chancery Township in said County aged about seventy seven years who being first duly sworn according to Law, doth, on his oath say, that John Murphy, late husband of Barbara Murphy, who is now an applicant for a pension, under the act of Congress of 4th July 1836, entered the United States Service in the said township, in Captain John Laidys Company, of Pennsylvania Militia as a private, from thence he marched with said Company, up the Susquehanna River, against the Indians, to near Huntington (then called Standing Stone) where he served a tour of two months, and got his discharge; That afterwards (he thinks in the Year seventeen hundred and eighty one) he again was ~~enrolled~~ and served a tour of two months at Camp Security in York County Pennsylvania as a private in the Militia; and that he is not certain whether he immediately after he got his discharge, or in a short time after, he he again entered the service at Camp Security as a substitute for Isaac Williams, and served a tour of two months and was then discharged - But that he does not remember the name of any of the Officers under whom he served, at the last mentioned place, as his memory does not serve him an account of the age -

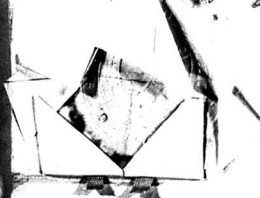
William M. Dowell

Sworn to and subscribed
the 20th Day of February
A. D. 1839
before Hugh Long

I do hereby certify that the above named William M. Dowell is a Respectable person, and that his testimony is entitled to full credit and belief -

Hugh Long

State of Pennsylvania }
York County }



I John W. Hiteck, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of said County, do certify, That George Spang, Esquire, before whom the foregoing acknowledgments were made, is and was, at the time of signing his name thereto, one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County; and that Hugh Long Esquire before whom the foregoing Depositions were taken, is and was, at the time of signing his name thereto an acting

Justice of the peace in and for said County, and as such each of them is duly Commissioned and qualified, and that all acts by them done in their capacity full faith and credit is due, and of right ought to be given; and that the signatures affixed to the hereto attached Declaration and Depositions, purporting to be theirs, are their genuine signatures;

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto ~~set~~
set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at York Borough,
this First Day of March A. D. 1839

John W. Hiteck
Prothonotary

Barbara Murphy,

State of Pennsylvania,
York County } ss.

On this third Day of June Eighteen hundred and thirty nine, Personally appeared before me the subscriber, a Justice of the peace in and for said County, William M. Swell, a Resident of Chanceford Township, in said County, who being first duly sworn according to Law, and on his solemn oath doth say, that sometime ago, his Deposition was taken, to which he was sworn according to Law, and signed his name thereto; in support of the Declaration of Barbara Murphy, Widow of John Murphy, a Revolutionary Soldier, deceased; that the manner in which he became acquainted with the fact of the services rendered as alleged in his former Deposition, was as follows: viz: that he at the time lived only about one mile from said John Murphy, when he was drafted, and remembers well his going to Camp Security, and that he served a tour of two months; that Dependant is a Brother-in-law to Isaac Williams who at the time lived near him (Dependant) that said Williams was drafted to serve a tour of duty at said camp, and hired the said John Murphy as a substitute, who marched to said camp, and served a tour of two months; that about two months after said Murphy entered the service as a substitute, he (Dependant) was drafted to serve a tour of two months at said Camp, and served in Captain McManis's Company; that on his way marching to Camp, he met said John Murphy, whose tour of service was expired and was discharged; that it is impossible for him to say under what Officer, ^{said Murphy} served the said two tours, as he was at that time quite young, and not at Camp Security, during the time of said Murphy's service, and that if he ever knew who the officers were, he does not remember, by reason of the lapse of his memory on account of old age; he also further saith, that he was well acquainted with the said Barbara Murphy, before she was married to said John Murphy deceased, and that she is the identical person she represents herself to be viz: the Widow of said John Murphy deceased.

Subscribed & subscribed, this third Day of June 1839

Wm. M. Swell

Attest
Alexander

State of Pennsylvania
York County

On this Third Day of June Eighteen hundred and thirty nine, Personally appeared before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for said County, Hugh Long Ego, a resident of Chancery township in said County, who being first duly sworn according to Law, and on his solemn oath saith, that he has known the within named, John and Barbara Murphy for about forty seven Years ago, that the said Barbara was the wife of said John Murphy, and has not been married to any other person since his decease, and that she is the identical person she represents herself to be viz. the widow of said John Murphy deceased —

Sworn to and subscribed the 3rd Day of June 1839, Hugh Long Ego
before me —

Alexander J. P.

I do hereby certify, that William M. Sewell and Hugh Long Ego, whose names are subscribed to the foregoing affidavit, are persons of respectability and that their testimony is entitled to full credit and belief —

State of Pennsylvania
York County

Alexander J. P.

I, John W. Heltick, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of said County, do certify that A. Clarkson, Esq, before whom the foregoing depositions were made, is and was at the time of taking said depositions, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County, duly commissioned and qualified, and that full faith and credit are due to his official acts as such Justice of the Peace.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at York, the 21 day of August A.D. 1839

J. W. Heltick
P. S.

State of Pennsylvania
York County

Before me the subscriber a Justice of the peace in and for the County of York aforesaid personally appeared Alexander Thompson a Soldier of the revolution and made oath in due form of Law that he the said deponent in the year 1781 performed a tour of service of two months duration at Camp Securus, York County Pa in Captain Fultons Company under the Command of Major Coxe, that said deponent acted as first sergeant and Clerk of the Company. Said deponent says that he distinctly recollects that a Colonel John Murphy as said deponent believes from Chancery township in said County served a tour in the same Company with this deponent at that time. Said deponent saith that he believes himself to be about eighty one years of age — further said deponent saith not
sworn and subscribed Alexander Thompson
the 21st day of February 1842
before me
Henry Fulton

I do hereby Certify that Alexander Thompson the above deponent is a man of good character for veracity, and one whose word or oath may be relied upon.

Henry Fulton
Justice of the peace

Pennsylvania
Cork County, Pa. I, William Spangfort, Prothonotary
of the Court of Common Pleas of said County, certify,
that Henry Hutton, Esquire, before whom the within Deposition
was taken, is, and at the time of signing the same, was
an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County, and
as such is duly commissioned & qualified, and that the
signature to said Deposition purporting to be his is genuine.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of said
Court at York Borough, this 24th day
of February, Anno Domini 1840.

W. Spangfort,
Prothonotary.

Feb. 26. 1840

ad. J. J. J.
Barbara Murphy



J. J. Edwards Esq.
Commissioner of Pleas
Washington City, D. C.

PAID

New York Feby. 25th 1840.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed I forward some additional testimony in
the claim of Mrs. Barbara Murphy, widow of John Murphy,
deceased - The same may perhaps give some more information
as to one tour of duty performed by said Murphy. Should it
be sufficient, I beg to grant the best certificate of pension for
such tours as have been proven satisfactory, as it is believed
no other witnesses are living, that know any thing further about
his services -

I am Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.
George Frynsinger

J. L. Edwards Esqr.
Commissioner of Pensions.

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Barbara Murphy
of John
is
unframed

admitted
Pr 6 m - \$20.-
Cap. McHenry's Co.
Va mils

died 16 Oct. 1809.

Act of July 1836

George Frynsinger
York Pa.

Sept 24
J. L. Edwards Esq.
Commissioner of Penitentiaries
Washington City D. C.
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Wash. D. C. Sept 21st 1839.

J. L. Edwards Esq.

Dear Sir

On the 12th of Aug. last, you reported to me on the application of Dorothea Detmer widow of John Detmer Dec. stating that before a final decision could be made, satisfactory proof should be exhibited as to his identity as the widow of said deceased; on or about the 17th or 18th Aug. last, I transmitted the proof required, together with similar proof in support of the Declaration of Catharine Schlotz, believing that it would be also required; and some further testimony to the Declaration of Barbara Murphy; since that time I received the certificate of Catharine Schlotz, but heard nothing from the others, ^{which} made me think that, perhaps the same was not received; all were sent in the same inclosure, and perhaps were believed to be new applications & not opened; some further information on the same will be thankfully acknowledged, by you,

Honorable & obed^t

George Foy Singer

Mar. 5. 1839
A377

4 July 1836

J. L. Edwards Esqr.

Commissioner of Warrents

Pension Office

Washington City D. C.

New York County Pa. March 12th 1839.

J. L. Edwards Esqr.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed I forward the declaration of
Barbara Murphy, with other papers thereto attached; If she
is entitled to a pension, please to direct the certificate to me in
this place, or atleast to my care; as she lives in the County &
might not get it for some time —

I remain Sir,

Very respectfully
Yours obt. St.

George Foyringer

Barbara Murphy
Pennsylvania
Suspended
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has. Prejudged
Dec. 24 Sep. 1837
This matter is in the claim
of the Baltimore and 5000.
then, Ret. 100
Act of July 1836

WIDOW, &c.

File No. Rm 315 2
Barbara Murphy
Widow
John Murphy
Pri. Res. Was

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

Aug 24

~~Dr~~
Add proof

Dr. Detema

~~5677 Cath Schlett for the~~

Barbara Murphy

add: proof of both Schlett
taken out. and filed with
her papers. which have not
been acted on. No. 5677

Aug. 26 - 1839 July 30.

J. Edwards Esq.
Commissioner of Pensions
Washington City D.C.

York Pa. Aug. 21st 1839.

Sir,

Enclosed I transmit the further proof of the
identity of Dorothea Detemer, widow of John Detemer
deceased, who received a pension; I have likewise, thought
proper, to procure and transmit similar testimony, to the ap-
plication of Catharine Schlett, widow of John Adam Schlett
deceased, whose application I handed to you personally, when
last at Washington. thinking that it will save you the trouble
of writing to me for the same - I also enclose some further
testimony concerning the application of Barbara Murphy, widow
of John Murphy, deceased; which case you reported to me on the
1 of May last, as filed with suspended cases - If it cannot be ascer-
tained in any other way, than by living witnesses, in what company,
or Regiment, or under what Officers he served, then I fear she
will be deprived of ever receiving a pension; as all those who served
with him, and those who reside in his neighborhood, are since deceased
excepting those who testified, in his behalf, as far as known -

I remain Sir, very respectfully
Yours obt. Servant
George Springer

J. L. Edwards Esq.

Commr. of Pensions