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 Schmuck, John

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John Schack-

of Col. Co. in the State of Pennsylvania
who was a Private in the Company commanded
by Captain Smith of the 13th Regiment
by Col. Surges in the Pennsylvania
Militia

\$ 20.00

Inserted on the Roll of Pennsylvania
at the rate of 20 - Dollars - ~~per~~ for annum
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 28th day of March
1835 - H. S. Wording Agent

Arrears to the 1st of March 1833 40 -
Semi-ann. allowance ending 4 Sept 1833 10

\$ 50. -

Revolutionary Claim,
Act June 7, 1832.

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Date of death
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John Schneck
His New War

Act: June 7th 1827

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

504 W. King St;
York, Pa.

Veterans Administration,
Washington, D. C.
Dear Sirs:-

I would like to have the record of John Schneck of
York, County, 1833. Pensioned for services in the Revolution.
Also the record please of Philip Peter Schmerer of York,
County, 1819, pensioned for services in the Revolution.

Very truly yours,

Sarah E. Smyser



State of Pennsylvania
County of York

On this 4th day of January 1833 Personally

Before me one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas and
for the said County of York in the State of Pennsylvania John
Schmuck aged seventy seven years who being by me duly sworn
according to Law doth on his oath make the following declaration
in order to obtain the benefit of an Act of Congress passed July 1832
That on the 1st of July 1776 He volunteered to serve in Captain
Drill's Company of Militia in Col Swopes Battalion for
three months and attached through Lancaster and Chester
Counties to Philadelphia from thence to Trenton and Princeton
in the State of New Jersey from thence to Brunswick and
Elizabethtown and from thence to Bergen and duly served
and the term for which he had engaged to serve and one month
more and was Hon^l discharged at Bergen in the State of New
Jersey by Captain Drill and that he served four months that June
and that he in the year 1781 he was drafted in York County
Pa to serve in Capt Fords Company under a Captain Bailey
to guard watch and keep secure some British Prisoners who were
sent to a place called Camp Security in the County of York and
that he served for two months the term for which he was drafted and
was Hon^l discharged about the first of January 1777 and
that he served under Captain Drill four months and Captain Fords
Company after he served two months at Camp Security
and that he served at least altogether six months in the Army
of the Revolution and that he is now a resident in the County of York
I further declare that I have no documentary evidence in my
possession nor do I know of any person having when
testimony at can get to prove my service (to wit)

Question by Judge 1 Where and in what year were you born

Answer I was born in Lancaster County in the year 1755

Question by the Judge 2 Have you any Record of your age or to that effect
Answer I have no full Record of my Age

Question by Judge 3 Where were you living when called into the service
Where have you lived since the Revolutionary war
and where do you now live

Answer I lived in York County Pa when called into
service and have lived in said County ever since
the Revolutionary war & now live in York County

Question by Judge 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 volunteered to serve in Captain Drill's Company and
did serve four months in that Company
and was drafted in Captain Fords Company to serve
for two months and served altogether at least
six months in the Army of the Revolution

Question by Judge 5 State the names of some of the Regular
Officers who served with the troops where you
served, such Continental and Militia Regiments
or you can Recollect and the Gen^l Circumstances of
your Service

Answer I do not Recollect the names of any of the
Regular Officers who was in service at that time
I was acquainted with Col Boone and it is probable
he was Captain in Col Swopes Battalion in the
Capt Mc Donald Captain Long and several others

Question by Judge 6 Did you ever receive a discharge if so by whom and
at what year and what has become of it

Answer I received two discharges one signed by Capt Drill
and the other by Capt Ford which I have lost

Question by Judge 7 State the names of persons to whom you are known in your
present Neighborhood and who can testify to your Character in private and the belief
of your Neighbors as a Soldier of the Revolution

In witness whereof I subscribed my hand at the City of Philadelphia
the 4th day of January 1833
Geo. Barnitz

John Schmucl
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of Jan^y 1833
Geo. Barnitz
York County Pennsylvania

Personally appeared before me the subscriber one of the
Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County,
John Rector aged 77 years a credible Witness who being by
me duly sworn according to Law saith that on the 1st of July
A.D. 1776 John Schmucl did volunteer in Captain Dutton
Company for three months and marched to the State of New
Jersey and did serve for months and was then discharged
at Bergen as to the State of New Jersey as by Captain Dutton
deponent served with him in the same Company and speaks
from his knowledge

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
4th day of January A.D. 1833
Geo. Barnitz
John Rector
mark

York County Pennsylvania

Personally appeared before me the subscriber one of
the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said
County John Stabb aged 74 a credible Witness who being
by me duly sworn according to Law saith that he was well
acquainted with John Schmucl an Applicant for a pension
that he knew him to serve in Captain Todd's Comp^y at Camp
Secord in the County of York Pa in for five months in
the Revolutionary war in the year 1781 to guard water
keep secure some British prisoners
deponent served at the same place and
speaks from his knowledge

John Stabb
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me January 4th 1833
Geo. Barnitz

He Henry Ginal a Clergyman residing in the Neighborhood
of John Schmucl and in York County Pa and John Stabb
in the same do hereby testify that we are well acquainted
with John Schmucl who has subscribed and sworn to the
foregoing declaration that we believe him to be 47 years of
age that he is reputed and believed in the Neighborhood where
he resides to have been a Soldier of the Revolution and was Consul
in Great Opencor

Sworn and subscribed to this 4th day
of January at Danvers 1833
Geo. Barnitz
Henry Ginal
John Stabb
mark

And the said Judge do hereby declare my opinion after the
investigation of the matter and after putting the interrogatories
prescribed by the war department that the above named
Applicant was a Revolutionary Soldier and was as he claims
and I do further testify that Henry Ginal who has signed
the preceding Certificate is a Clergyman resident in
the Neighborhood of John Schmucl in the County of
York and that
Stabb has signed the same
is a resident in said County and is a credible person and that the
Statement is full and true Credit is to be given whereof I have
set my hand the day and year above said and I further
testify that John Schmucl the above Applicant for a pension
is not able to attend the Court to make his declaration
in consequence of bodily infirmities

Witness my hand
Geo. Barnitz

Pennsylvania,
York County, ss. I Richard Foster prothonary of
the Court of Common Pleas of said County,
do testify that George Barnitz, Esquire, before
whom the within declaration was made & the within
depositions were taken, is one of the Judges
of the Court of Common Pleas of said County and
such is duly commissioned & qualified & believe
the signature to the same to be in his proper hand writing
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & official
Seal of said Court at York County Pa this 4th day of Jan^y 1833
Geo. Barnitz
Richard Foster
M. Elgenbach

January 17, 1936

Mr-J/EKL
John Schumak-S.23496

Sarah E. Sawyer
504 W. King Street
York, Pennsylvania

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the records of John Schumak, York County, Pennsylvania, received pension in 1833; and Philip Peter Scherer, also of York County, pensioned in 1819, soldiers of the Revolutionary War.

Because of the great demand for Revolutionary War data and the limited trained clerical force available for furnishing such information, it is not possible to comply in full with each request for Revolutionary War data.

The record of John Schumak is furnished herein, the data for which were obtained from the papers on file in Revolutionary War pension claim S.23496, based upon the military service in that war of that soldier.

John Schumak was born in 1765, in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. The names of his parents are not shown.

John Schumak volunteered July 1, 1776, served in Captain Dritt's Company, Colonel Swope's Pennsylvania Regiment; length of service, four months; he enlisted in the fall of 1781, served two months in Captain Ford's Company, under Major Bailley in the Pennsylvania Troops and guarded prisoners at a place called Camp Security, in York County, Pennsylvania.

He was a resident of York County, Pennsylvania, when he entered the service and was still a resident of that county and state when he applied for pension on January 4, 1833. His claim was allowed.

There are no data as to soldier's family.

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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, John Schumak (S.23496), you should address The Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and cite the following data:

John Schumak, Certificate No. 11144, issued March 28, 1833, rate \$30 per annum, commenced March 4, 1831, Act of June 7, 1832, Pennsylvania Agency.

Very truly yours

A. D. MILLER
Executive Assistant to the Administrator.