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Groover Peter

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Peter Groover
Franklin in the State of Geo:
was a pr. Cor: Capt in the commanded
Captain Dunbar of the Regt commanded
Col: Murphy in the M. Ar.
5 full months -

Died July 11, 1841, (A. B.)

credited on the Roll of Georgia
the rate of 79 Dollars - Conts per annum
commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 19th day of March
1833 and sent to J. K.
Stanford Barnesville, Geo

expires to the 1st of March 1833 158 -
Pensional allowance ending 1st Sept - 3950

119750

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

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Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act
of Congress passed June 7. 1832

State of Georgia }
Franklin County } S.

On this twenty third day of July in the year Eighteen Hundred and thirty two personally appeared before the Inferior Court of the County and state aforesaid, now sitting Peter Groover a resident of Capt. Vanphans District of said County & State aged seventy 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 officers & served as herein stated to wit: That he served in the Militia of the state of North Carolina and entered said service in the year just before the defeat of General Gates in the state of South Carolina about fifteen miles South West of Camden S.C., was in said battle & served three months at that time under Capt. Trice and Major Armstrong, and General Gates. That immediately on the expiration of the three months aforesaid he served another four of three months under Capt. Johnson who was under the Command of General Butler & was stationed in Salisbury North Carolina, that immediately after this last mentioned term he served twelve months under Captain Dixon & Major Armstrong & Colonel Murphy and General Green. That he was in the battle at Cuten Spring in South Carolina & was afterwards stationed at the High Hills of Santee in South Carolina, while there the news of Peace was recd & he was discharged on his way home from Santee. That he served irregularly at various other times making in all three or four years & was in several skirmishes, but no the regular battle. He served the first six months aforesaid as a private and the last twelve as a Corporal & afterwards served as a Sergeant in the Light Horse under Captain Cowan.

- 1 He was born about the year Seventeen Hundred and thirty two does not know that there is any record of his age.
- 2 When he entered the service he was living in Orange County North Carolina from thence he removed to the County of Franklin

state of Georgia, where he has resided ever since
There was an order for one man among every sixteen to go
into service and he entered the service as a substitute for
the fifteen the last 12 months, the two first terms of three
months each he was a substitute but does not recollect for
whom

While he served, Capt. Osborn was promoted to a Major
Capt. Bush was an adjutant in his Battalion, Col. Lytle
an officer in the regular army was with them the last
12 months, does not recollect the officers except those here
before enumerated

He received a discharge from Col. Dixon which he
has since lost - He does not recollect dates with
sufficient accuracy to swear to them but presumes the
date of his commencement of service (date of depart) will be
sufficiently certain

He is personally known to Nelson Osborne a preacher
& to Jacob Redwine both of whom can testify to his
residence of the latter to his having seen defendant in
the service

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension
or annuity except the present and declares that
his name is not on the Pension roll of any agency
of any state within his knowledge or belief

Sworn to and subscribed -
in open Court the day
& year aforesaid

Wm King Clerk

of his
Peter Groover
mark

Mr. Nelson Osborne a clergyman, and Jacob Redwine
both residing in the neighborhood of the above mentioned Peter
Groover in the County of state aforesaid hereby testify
that we are well acquainted with Peter Groover who
has subscribed & sworn to the above declaration &
that we believe him to be about seventy years of age
that he is reputed & believed in the neighborhood where he resides
to have been a soldier in the Revolution & that we concur in
that opinion & said Jacob Redwine further saith that he saw
& knew said Peter in the service of the County in the Rev-
olutionary war

Sworn to & subscribed in
open Court the day & year
aforesaid

Wm King Clerk

Nelson Osborne
his
Jacob Redwine
mark

And the said Court do hereby declare their 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 & served as he states. And the Court further certifies that it appears to them that Nelson Osborne who has signed the preceding certificate is a clergyman resident in the County of that Jacob Redwin who has also signed the same is a resident of the County & is a credible person and that their statements is entitled to credit.

Test
 of
 Wm King C/R

J. G. Sandridge J.C.
 Thomas Farmer J.C.
 William Turk J.C.

I Thomas King Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of State first aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings of the said Court in the matter of the application of Peter Broover for a pension.
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & the seal of said Court this twenty third day of July 1832.

State of Georgia }
 Franklin County } S.



On this twenty eighth day of January 1833 personally appeared before the Superior Court for the County and State aforesaid, the above said applicant Peter Broover, who being sworn according to Law on his oath didk that he served the first six months before aforesaid as a private, and the next twelve months as a Corporal, and three months as a sergeant of light horse under Captain Cowan and found his own horse, making his whole service regularly one year and nine months, declared himself

recollect the particulars of his other irregular services, and
therefore makes no claim for it.

Sworn to and subscribed in open
Court the day & year last above
written.

Wm Kingdell

Peter F. Brewer
made

I Thomas Ring Clerk of the Inferior Court for the
County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the
above amendment to the declaration of Peter Brewer was made
and sworn to by said Peter Brewer in open Court.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal of office this
28th day of January 1833.

Peter Brewer
Clerk for Dawson
made Feb 7 1832

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BRIEF in the case of *Peter Groover*
County of *Franklin* in the State of *Georgia*
(Act 7th June, 1832.)

1. Was the declaration made before a Court or a Judge? *Court*

2. If before a Judge, does it appear that the applicant is disabled by bodily infirmity?

3. How old is he? *70*

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>just before the defeat of Gates again</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>private</i>	<i>Gen. Gates</i>
	<i>3</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Gen. Butler</i>
<i>at several other times</i>	<i>for 12</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>private</i>	<i>Gen. Butler</i>
	<i>not stated precisely</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>private</i>	<i>Capt. Donahoe, Capt. Murphy & Dickson</i>

just before the defeat of Gates again
again
at several other times

5. In what battles was he engaged? *Gates, Rebel & Eutaw*

6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? *Orange Co. N. Car.*

7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditionary evidence, by incidental evidence, or by the rolls? *Traditionary & Witnesses*

8. Are the papers defective as to form or authentication? and if so, in what respect? *Correct*

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

*
In all 3 or 4 years

J. Waugh

Examining Clerk.

July 12, 1917

Mr. C. C. Barfield
1228 Beach Avenue
Columbus, Georgia

PETER GROVER
A. 11717
DA/MS

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the records of Revolutionary War soldiers named Jacob Grover, Peter Grover, Philip Grover and of any others with surname Grover, who lived in Georgia.

There is no claim for pension or bounty land on file based upon service in the Revolution of a Jacob Grover, or similar spelling, or of any Philip Grover or Peter Grover. Such claims are the concern of the office furnished by this office in regard to soldiers of the Revolutionary War.

In order to identify the Revolutionary War record of any other soldier with surname Grover, should it be on file, the full name and as much as possible of the following data in regard to him are essential: approximate dates of birth and death, places of residence at birth and after service and given name of wife.

The record has been found of a Peter Grover, of Georgia, which may be that of the soldier in whom you are interested. It is furnished herein as shown in pension claim, A. 11717, based upon his service in the Revolutionary War.

Peter Grover was born about 1782; the place of birth and names of his parents are not shown.

While a resident of Orange County, North Carolina, Peter Grover enlisted just before the battle of Guilford, and served three months as private in Captain Thayer's company, while later transferring in the North Carolina troops and was in the battle of Guilford. Upon the expiration of this term, he served another year of three months as private in Captain Johnson's North Carolina company, stationed at Salisbury, North Carolina. Upon the expiration of that term, he served twelve months as corporal in Captain Ross's company, Colonel Murphy's and Dixon's North Carolina regiments, and three months as sergeant in Captain Coan's

company of light horse, and was in the battle of Ester Springs, being afterwards stationed at the High Hills of Condee in South Carolina. He stated that in addition to his regular service of one year nine months, he performed irregular service at many different times, during which he was in several skirmishes, and that his service in all amounted to three or four years, no further details of which were given.

The soldier moved from Gwynn County, North Carolina, date not stated, to Franklin County, Georgia.

Peter Greover was allowed pension on his application executed July 23, 1832, at which time he was a resident of Franklin County, Georgia. He died July 11, 1841.

No family data appear in the claim.

In order to obtain date of last payment of pension and name and address of the person paid, you should write to the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and cite the following data:

Peter Greover
Certificate #12840
Issued March 15, 1833
Rate, \$70 per annum
Commenced March 4, 1831
Act June 9, 1832
Georgia Agency.

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator