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*Harris, Hugh
Elizabeth*

K. 25743

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Jonesboro R
East Tennessee

Hugh Harris

of Washington in the state of E. Tennessee
who was a Corporal in the Company commanded
by Captain Moon of the regiment commanded
by Colonel Shephard in the Mountain
line, for the term of three years, from 1776.

Inscribed on the Roll of East Tennessee
at the rate of 8 Dollars per month, to commence on
the 17. of October 1823

Certificate of Pension issued the 10 of April 1824
and sent to Hon. Jno Blair,
C. Rep.

Arrears to 4th of March 1824 36.90
Semi-ann. all'ce ending 4. Sep 1824 48
4.90
84.90

Revolutionary claim,
Acts March 18, 1818,
and May 1, 1820.
March 1. 1820

Duplicate certificate issued
to Jno Blair Esq Jonesboro
Tennessee

To Jonesboro from 4. March
1848. on (M. A.) 1848. Notifi-
-cation to Jno Blair
Jonesboro Tenn

Abstract 2073

JAMES S. COOPER

Elizabeth Morris
widow of Nath Morris

who served in the Revolutionary
war, as a Corporal

Inscribed on the Roll at the rate
of 40 dollars 00
cents per annum, to commence on
the 3d February 1858
4th March 1861

Certificate of Pension issued
28th day of March 1861
and sent to Claimant

Post office Box 92
Jonesboro
Care of
Washington Co.
Tenn

Recorded on Roll of Pensioners under act
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A. J. Smith Clerk

1784-1785 Oct-Mar 31
June 18/55

Elizabeth Harris
Mason
Hugh Harris
Pensioner

W.M.G.
Corporal,
M. Fort, Va.

but from 1776
six May 1779

Revolution war

at 160 a.m. May 10/50

June July 5/50

Elizabeth Harris
Jonesborough
Tenn

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State of Tennessee Be it remembered that on the 17th
Washington County 17th of October 1823 personally appeared
in open court the subscriber the said Harris aged twenty eight
years. Via his and signed for County so being necessary
of attesting the provisions made for the indentment
of the continental line of troops in the Revolutionary
war and made with according to law in said County
being a part of record for so County - that he caused
Knight ¹⁷ Harris, entered in Orange County State of North
Carolina into the Continental service of the United States
in the Revolutionary war into the ^{126th} Regiment of
North Carolina continental troops for two years and
one half which indentment was under Capt^{ns} Roger Moore
of the 1st Regiment which was commanded by General Francis
Stuart. Which indentment was in the month of May 1776
as well as now recollated at the state period of time - under
which indentment so made for two years & one half he
served faithfully and was in the battles of Guilford, Monmouth
and several other engagements - at the expiration of which time
of indentment he is deponent again indentment for six months
in Halifax North Carolina under William Goodman
and was at the expiration of his indentment ~~returned~~ dis-
charged by Colonel Clark of Paramory East Jersey which
discharge he kept for a considerable length of time until
apprehending it would be of no further use to him he
became careless of the same and finally lost said
discharge - he states further that he has never

been bound on any previous act of the United States, and that he stands in mind of the affection of his country for his friends. And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States of America on the 18th day of March 1823. That I have not since that time sold, conveyed, transferred or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof, so as to bring himself within the provisions of acts of Congress, and that he does not possess any property or interest therein, other than what is contained in the schedule hereinafter provided by me subscribed.

to wit:
 one man's head \$30
 one cow & calf 10
 some iron 10
 some furniture 70

amounting in the whole to the sum of \$120 that he has, and the woman and as well as himself.

Subscribed before me this 16th Oct 1823

Sworn to in open court
 Wm Stephenson Clerk

Wm Stephenson
 Clerk

State of Tennessee
Washington County

To any regular minister of the Gospel, or Justice of the Peace in and for said County - Meeting -

I hereby authorize and empower you or any of you to solemnize and perform the Rites of Marriage between Hugh Morris and Elizabeth Jackson and join them together as husband and wife in the holy estate of matrimony. Given under my hand, at Office, in Jonesbor, the 5th day of Nov: 1834

Ed: Lewis J. G. C.
By Saml Greer D.C.

I did solemnize the rights of matrimony between the within named persons on this day -

September 5th 1834 - Wm J. Brown
Justice of the Peace -

State of Tennessee I J Henry Hoop Clerk of the
Washington County 3 County Court of said County
do hereby Certify that the above is a true copy
of the marriage license and the Justice of the
Peace who solemnizes the same as appear of
Record in my office -

Given under my hand &
official seal within this 8th
day of March 1835

Henry Hoop
Clerk

State of Tennessee
Washington County, ³ Be it remembered that on
this fifth day of March 1855 Elizabeth Harris
widow of Hugh Harris a Revolutionary Pensioner
on the roll of the pensioning agency & made
swore to & subscribed the following declaration under
to obtain a half pay pension under the provisions
of the act of congress of the 3rd February 1855 & amendments
of that act that she was married to the said
Hugh Harris and on the fifth day of March
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred & thirty four in the County of State
of Tennessee as well appears from the accompanying
witness that she lived with said Hugh to the
day of his death in lawful wedlock ^{until the}
^{which death was 13th of February 1855} ^{or she asks to be up to 16 her the}
provisions of the act of congress aforesaid in
her behalf she knew nothing personally of the
services of her said husband but the full proof
was made to the Pension office in order to obtain
his pension & to which she refers that she
now resides in Washington County where her husband
died on the thirtieth day of February eight hundred & thirty
four she testified before
the Court on open court
this 5th March 1855

Elizabeth Harris
made

Henry Hoop (Clerk)

State of Tennessee } May 29th 1855.
Washington County }

On this day & date first above written personally
appeared before me John M. G. Graham acting
justice of the peace within for the County & State
of Tennessee Elizabeth Harris aged 75 years
and resident citizen of Washington County
State of Tennessee who being duly sworn
according to law declares that she is the
widow of Hugh Harris sen^r. who was a
private of the North Carolina line in the
war of the Revolution but the company and
Regiment she does not know, but has often
heard her husband state that he served three years
in said war. that her said husband, as she is
informed enlisted in the North Carolina line in
May 1776. & served until May 1779. when he
was discharged being three years. she further
states that she was married to the said Hugh
Harris in the County of ~~Washington~~ Tennessee
on the 5th day of Sept^r 1834 A.D. by one William
Brown Esq^r a magistrate authorized to perform
that rite and that her name before her said
marriage was Elizabeth Jackson that her said husband
died at his residence in Washington County
Tennessee on the thirteenth day of February
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
& fifty five; that she is still widow of said Hugh
& in order to obtain the pension granted to
widows of Revolutionary soldiers under the
act of February the 3^d 1853 entitled
to the compensation of pensions. Satisfactory
proof of the death & time of death of her
said husband, & of her marriage & the time

of her marriage together with a copy of
the marriage license, all which is now
on file in the office of the commissioner
of pensions & on which she obtained a
pension certificate & to which she refers
being in the same office to which these
declarations will go. She files this declaration
subjoins the proof of loss of her husband,
refers to the evidence in the office
of the commissioner of pensions as to her
husband's death & the marriage for the
purpose of obtaining the bounty land of
one hundred & forty acres to which she may
be entitled under the act approved May
the 3^d 1855.

Sworn & subscribed before me Elizabeth ^{his} Harris
this 29th day of May 1855. mark
J. S. Eaton Justice of the Peace

Wm Jacob G. Wright Charles Foster residents of
the County of Washington State of Tennessee upon
our oaths declare that the foregoing declaration
was signed & acknowledged by Elizabeth Harris
in our presence & that we believe from the
appearance & statements of the applicant she is
the identical person she represents herself
to be. We furthermore state that the said
Elizabeth Harris is widow of Hugh Harris
and remains unmarried since his death which
we know occurred on the thirteenth day of
February in the year one thousand eight hundred &
fifty five. Sworn to & subscribed before me
this 29th day of May 1855.
J. S. Eaton Justice of the Peace Jacob G. Wright
Charles Foster

Rev. & 1812 Wars Section.

November 19, 1924.

Mrs. John T. Helms,
402 E. 2nd South St.,
Morristown, TENN.

Madam:

I have to advise you that from the papers in Revolutionary War pension claim, W.25743, it appears that Hugh Harris enlisted in Orange County, North Carolina, May 20, 1776, and ~~privately~~ served under Captain ~~Edger~~ Moore and William Goodman in the North Carolina Troops, was in the battles of Germantown and Monmouth and several engagements not named, became a Corporal November 10, 1778, and was discharged May 20, 1779, by Colonel Clark.

He was allowed pension on his application executed October 17, 1823, while a resident of Washington County, Tennessee, aged 68 years. He died there February 13, 1855.

Soldier married September 6, 1834, in Washington County, Tennessee, Elizabeth Jackson. She was allowed pension on her application executed March 5, 1856, while a resident of Washington County, Tennessee, aged about 76 years.

It is not stated whether soldier had any children.

*Her death not on R.B.
As sol says he enlisted
in 4th Regt + report says
10th Regt + these Captains
are in 4th Regt. The number
of the Regt has been omitted in*

Respectfully,

Commissioner.