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New Hampshire

John Batchelder

of Merrimack the State of N H
who was a Private in the company commanded
by Captain [unclear] of the Regt. commanded
by Col. [unclear] in the N H
line for 11 [unclear] 22 days

Inscribed on the Roll of N H
at the rate of 39 Dollars 10 Cents per annum
to commence on the 4th day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 1st day of July
1833 and [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Amount to 4th of Sept 1832 558.65
Pension allowance ending 21st March 19.55

\$7820

{ Revolutionary Claim,
Act June 7, 1832. }

Recorded by J H [unclear] Clerk
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DECLARATION.

In order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress, passed June 7, 1832.

State of New-Hampshire, }
County of Merrimack }

On this *twenty second* day of *January*, 1833, personally appeared in open Court before the Judge of the Court of Probate, *John Batchelder*, a resident of *Manchester*, in the County of *Merrimack*, and State of *N. H.* aged *71* 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 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served as herein stated— That he enlisted at *Exeter* in the County of *Merrimack* & State of *New-Hampshire*, the *1st* April A.D. 1777, for one month, & marched to *Newbury*, near *Portsmouth* N.H. & served the one month in the Company commanded by *Capt. Hayes* & *Ensign Kelsey* of the *N.H. Militia* & dismissed. was stationed in the old Fort near the light house. That he again enlisted at *Exeter* for one month, in the year 1778 & according to his best recollection in two months of July, under *Capt. Simon Marston*, in the Regt of *N.H. Militia* commanded by *Col. Penter*, & marched to *Pierce's Island* near *Portsmouth*. N.H. remained there about one month. then marched to *N. Island* and served in said State until the expiration of the six months for which he enlisted & was dismissed at *Warwick* in said State. during this service he was stationed at *Provincetown* & *Ware*. That he again enlisted at *Concord* in the State of *N.H.* as a private (being a son of *Exeter* as aforesaid) for *six months* in the year 1778 & he was stationed in the month of July, under *Capt. Saml. Russell* & *Col. Nicholas Moor* of the *N.H. Militia* or *State Troops*, & marched to *Provincetown* & remained there a short time, thence to *Townsend* & served in said State until the expiration of the six months for which he enlisted & was dismissed at *Townsend*. That he has no written discharge from any of the above mentioned services. That he was born in *Keensington* New-Hampshire in the year 1761. that he has a record of his age which he took from his Father's manuscript. that since he left the service he has lived most of the time in *Exeter* as aforesaid & now resides in *Manchester* as aforesaid.

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 the Agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed, the *22nd* day of *Jan^y* 1833. *John Batchelder*

We, *William A. Hunt*, residing in *Concord*, N.H. and *Benzjamin Gale* residing in *Said Concord* hereby certify, that we are well acquainted with *John Batchelder*, who has subscribed and sworn to the above declaration; that we believe him to be *71* years of age; that he is reputed and believed, 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 *22nd* day of *Jan^y*, A.D. 1833. *Wm A. Hunt*
Benzjⁿ Gale

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, and served as he states. And the Court certifies, that it appears to them that *Wm A. Hunt* who has signed the preceding certificate, is a *Free Resident* in the town of *Concord* and that *Benzjⁿ Gale*, who has also signed the same is a resident in the town of *Concord* and that their statement is entitled to credit.

Horace Chase Judge of Probate
for said County of *Merrimack* do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings of the said Court, in the matter of the application of the said *John Batchelder* for a pension.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this *twenty second* day of *January*, A.D. 1833.



Information as contained in his (or his widow's) application for pension on file in this Bureau. *John Bachelier Ser. File 15310*
Private John Bachelier

DATES OF ENLISTMENT OR APPOINTMENT.	LENGTH OF SERVICE.	RANK.	OFFICERS UNDER WHOM SERVICE WAS RENDERED.		STATE.
			CAPTAIN.	COLONEL.	
<i>Apr. 1, 1777</i>	<i>1 mo.</i>	<i>Pvt.</i>	<i>Hays</i>		<i>N.H.</i>
<i>July 1777</i>	<i>6 mos.</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Simon Marshall</i>	<i>Scatter</i>	<i>"</i>
<i>July 1779</i>	<i>6 mos.</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Samuel Rimmell</i>	<i>Mooney</i>	

Battles engaged in, *✓*

Residence of soldier at enlistment, *Epsum, Massachusetts, N.H.*

Date of application for pension, *Aug 22, 1833. This date was al.*

Residence at date of application, *Whitchester, Massachusetts, N.H.*

Age at date of application, *born at Kensington, N.H. in 1761*

Remarks: *No data as to family*