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Connecticut
Caleb Hendee

of Ashford - in the State of Connecticut
who was a for Car 7. in the Company commanded
by Captain _____ of the Regt. commanded
by Col. Helden in the C. Ma
line for 2 years. Continental.

Dead
Letter to Amos J. H. Brodway &
3 And 5 May 1841.

Paid at the Treasury under
the Act of the 5th April
1838 from 4 Sep 1839 to 17
Nov 1839. the day of his
death. Act Notified 24th
Feb 1841.

Inscribed on the Roll of Connecticut
at the rate of 100 Dollars & Cents per annum,
commences on the 15th day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 10 day of Jan
1833 and sent to
Saml H. Parsons Hartford

Arrears to the 15th of March 1833 \$200.00
Semi-ann. allowance ending Sept 50.00

\$ 250.00

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

Recorded by W. L. Williams Clerk,
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J. Caleb Hensley of Whford in the county of
Winetham and district of Connecticut
now a resident citizen of the United States
depose declare and say that in the month
of December A.D. one thousand seven
hundred and Seventy six. Entered the
army of the United States under the continen-
tal establishment and enlisted for the term
of three years into General Washingtons
regiment and was attached to the com-
pany commanded by Captain George
Washington Lewis in the regiment
under the command of Colonel
Bailey (his given name Colonel recal-
lect) of the Virginia line performed the
aforesaid term of three years service and
in the month of December one
thousand seven hundred and seventy
nine at Philadelphia I received my
discharge from Colonel Washington
not apprehending that said discharge
would be of any advantage I was not
carefull to preserve it - and it was long
since lost - and I further depose declare
and say that in the Spring of the year, the
month Colonel recollect, one thousand
seven hundred and eighty one I again
enlisted and entered the service for the term
of one year in the company commanded
by Captain James Sarna of Mansfield in
the district aforesaid new raised and reger-
ment under the command of Lieu^t. Colo-
nel Shison, his given name I
do not recollect, in the Connecticut line
and

and was stationed at Plattsburgh for the defence
of that post and parts adjacent during
this term of duty we were ~~sent~~ ordered to
Froggs-point and White-plains in the
state of New-York. While in this service
on the 19th day of August one thousand
seven hundred and eighty one I was
appointed and received the commission
of an Ensign in the aforesaid company
which commissions are companies they
affidavit, I discharged the duties of said
appointment from that time until
the expiration of the aforesaid term of
one year when I was discharged in the
spring of the year one thousand seven
hundred and eighty two being at that
time in the district aforesaid the company
having served the full term for which they
indited no discharges were given in
writing. I am now sixty one years of age
with a family, without property, and so I col-
lect in my circumstances as to need the
aforesaid of my country for support.

Dated at Wadsworth April 7th 1818. Caleb Hendee

State of Connecticut Wadsworth April 7th 1818

Personally appeared before me Lephaniah Swift, chief judge
of the Superior Court of the State of Connecticut Caleb Hendee
subscriber to the foregoing declaration and made solemn oath
to the truth of the same.

Attest Lephaniah Swift

L: Swift, Esq; Judge.

Caleb Hinde,
General Washington's life
guards,
Revolutionary claim.

Correct

No rolls are in the pension
office, to prove the services
stated by the applicant.

As an officer, he appears
to have been attached to
the state line of Con-
-tinent, not on the Conti-
-nental establishment.

Inadmissible - unless
the services of the claimant
on Continental establish-
-ment, can be satisfactorily
proved.

We Lera Preston and James Boutell of Ashford in the County of Windham and State of Connecticut do testify and say that we have always been acquainted with the before named Caleb Hender, and that we saw him in the year 1776 when the Continental Army was near New York, standing as a Centinel at the door of General Washington at his head quarters, and that we then understood that he belonged to his life guard.

Dated Windham April 7th 1818

Lera Preston
James Boutell

I William Walker of Ashford in the County of Windham and State of Connecticut do testify and say that I well recollect that the within named Caleb Hender was in the life guards of General Washington in the revolutionary war, and that I saw him with the same at the head Quarters of General Washington at Cambridge in the State of Massachusetts.

Windham April 14th 1818

Wm Walker

State of Connecticut of Windham April 14th 1818
Persons appeared before me the Subscriber Chief Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Connecticut Lera Preston, James Boutell and William Walker Esq. Subscribers to the foregoing depositions and made solemn oath to the truth of the same

Attest Lephaniah Swift

Whereas it appears to my satisfaction from the foregoing declaration of the before named Caleb Hender, and from the foregoing declarations of Lera Preston, James Boutell, and William Walker Esq. and from the inclosed commission from the late Governor Simeon Willard that the before named Caleb Hender served in the revolutionary war for against the common enemy for the term of three years in General Washington's life guard, and that he served for the term of one year in a Battalion ordered to be raised for the defence of the County against the common enemy by the State of Connecticut, and he received a Lieutenant's commission from the State of Connecticut as he has testified in the within declaration.

I do therefore certify and transmit the aforesaid testimony to the Secretary of the Department of War pursuant to an Act of Congress entitled an act to provide for certain persons engaged on land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war

Certified by
Lephaniah Swift Chief Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Connecticut.

Additional declaration of the before named Caleb Hender.

I Caleb Hender do further depose, declare, and say that when I first enlisted it was expected that I should have been mustered in Col. Shuba Sheldon's Regiment of Horse but the company was placed in Col. Bailey's Regiment where I served as I have stated in my declaration. After I was discharged I applied to the State of Connecticut for the deprivation of my wages to which I was entitled as I was credited for one of the Quota of that State in the Continental Army, and the board of Commissioners in that State placed me in Col. Sheldon's Regiment, and gave me a certificate accordingly, and I received from the State of Connecticut the deprivation on my wages (which were paid in Continental money) for my three years service. In this way I explain the fact that my name appears in Sheldon's Regiment in the Books in the Comptroller's office in Connecticut - as is stated in his Certificate.

Witness my hand July 25th 1818.

Caleb Hender

Suorato before Lephaniah Swift, Chief Judge of the Superior Court

State of Connecticut, Windsorham July 25th 1818.

Whereas it appears to my satisfaction from the foregoing declaration and additional declaration of Caleb Hender - and from the foregoing Depositions of Sara Overton, James Boullé and William Walker, and the inclosed Certificate of Shuba Col. 1797th Comptroller of public account of the State of Connecticut, known to me to be genuine that said Caleb Hender served in the Revolutionary war against the common enemy as a soldier for the term of three years in General Washington's life Guards in the manner herein testified and it appearing to my satisfaction on due enquiry that the said Hender is in reduced and indigent circumstances and needs the assistance of his country for his support.

I do therefore certify and transmit the aforesaid testimony to the Secretary of the department of war pursuant to the act of Congress in such case made and provide

Certified by Lephaniah Swift Chief Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Connecticut.

Caleb Henelee vs
Application —
P. 2

No. 3,075.

do. 6 Aug. 1818.

(Sept. 1810)

Continued.



District of Connecticut, ss.

At a *Special* Court of Common Pleas, holden at *Pomfret* within
and for the County of Windham, in said district—

ON this *20th* day of *June* A. D. 1820, personally ap-
peared in open Court, being a Court of Record for the County aforesaid, [Hav-
ing the power of fine and imprisonment,] *Calab. Hender of Ashford*

in said County—
aged *Sixtythree* years, who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth,
on his oath declare, that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows, viz: That he
enlisted for the term of *three years* — in the Month of *December*
day of *—* in the year *1776* — in the State of *Connecticut* —
in the company commanded by Captain *George Washington Bailey* served —
in the ^{*Eight*} regiment commanded by Colonel *Heldon* —
in the line of the State of *Connecticut* on the Continental establish-
ment: that he continued to serve in the said corps until *the end of three years*

when he was discharged from the said service in *Philadelphia*
in the State of

Pennsylvania — I am a shoe maker by trade my health is tolerably
good — I have a wife aged fiftythree able to labor — one son aged 14 years
who is able to labor & now earns for me & himself 7 dollars a month
I have drawn a Pension under the act of Congress of the 18th of
March 1818. from the 4th day of April 1818 — as per certificate
No 2075 — I was in the Battle of Brandywine & Germantown
Merimouth —

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the
United States, on the 18th day of March, *one thousand eight hundred and eighteen*; and
that I have not, since that time, by gift, sale, or in any manner, disposed of my prop-
erty, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it, as to bring myself within
the provisions of an act of Congress, entitled, "an act to provide for certain persons
engaged in the land and naval service of the United States, in the Revolutionary war,"
passed on the 18th day of March, *one thousand eight hundred and eighteen*; and that I have
not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property or securities, contracts, or debts
due to me; nor have I any income other than what is contained in the Schedule hereto
annexed, and by me subscribed.

Schedule

Containing the whole of *W. Calab Hender's* Estate Furniture, of
Ashford, his necessary clothing & bedding as follows —
3 dining Chairs 1.80 — 6 Kitchen Chairs 1.50 — 2 side Chairs 2.50 3.55
Pair of flat irons 0.75 — 2 Iron kettles 3.00 — 1 Pot, 60" — 1 Iron Wagon 60" 4.95
6th old Pewter 1.00 — Crockery 0.40 — 2 tables & light stand 2.34 — 3.74
1 Bake Kettle & frying pan 1.00 — 2 Candlesticks 17 — Loom & reed 5.00 6.17
Amount carried over \$18.41

Amount Brought over — \$115.44 1/2

2 Pails 40¢	5 Glass bottles 1.00	Tea pot - 17¢	tin snana 1.00	11.97
1 Leg 40¢	Bible & other Books 50¢	2 chests 1.74		2.24
4 earthen Pans 0.32	1 Meat barrel 1.00	100 th of Pork 1.00		9.32
6 old casks 50¢	1 Dille axe - 25¢	3 old hoes - 25¢	2 long blades 1.34	
1 Scythe & handle 75¢	Set of old shoe maker tools 1.50	1 bag - 12.00		14.33
Knives & forks 50¢	1 Tub - 40¢	1 hooking flap - 75¢		1.65
			Total	\$49.26

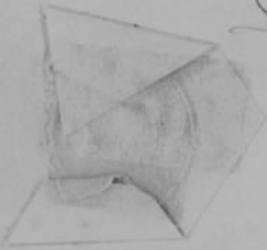
Subscribed by me this 20th day of June 1820
 Caleb Hendee

Sworn to and declared on the 20th day of June
 A. D. 1820, before the Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Windham, in the
 district of Connecticut.

Attest. *David C. Bolles* Clerk.

I, *David C. Bolles* Clerk of the Court of Common
 Pleas for the County of Windham, in the State of Connecticut, do hereby certify that
 the foregoing *declarations* and the Schedule thereto annexed, are truly
 copied from the records of the said Court; and I do further certify, that it is the opin-
 ion of the said Court, that the total amount in value of the property exhibited in the
 aforesaid Schedule, is *forty-nine*
 Dollars, and *26* Cents. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand,
 and affixed the Seal of the said Court, on this *26th* day of *June*
 A. D. 1820.

David C. Bolles Clerk of the Court
 of Common Pleas for Windham County.



Rev. and 1812
Wars Section
AWF/eel

January 22, 1930

Mr. Lee W. Hendee
Portland
Michigan

Dear Sir:

I advise you from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, B.13349, it appears that Caleb Hendee, while residing in ASHFORD, Windham County, Connecticut, enlisted in December, 1776, in General Washington's Life Guard, was attached to Captain George Lewis' Company and served in Colonels Baylor's and Elisha Sheldon's Regiment of Continental Dragoons. He was in the battles of Brandywine, Germantown and Monmouth and served three years.

In the spring of 1781, he enlisted in Captain James Dana's Company in Major Shipman's Connecticut Regiment, and on August 19, 1781, was appointed Ensign and served until the spring of 1782, when he was discharged at Stamford.

He was allowed pension on an application executed April 7, 1818, while a resident of Ashford, Connecticut, aged sixty-one years. He died November 17, 1839.

In 1820, his wife was fifty-nine years and a son, nineteen years old, their names are not stated and there are no other data as to his family.

The above noted is the only soldier of that name found on the Revolutionary War records of this bureau.

Very truly yours

EARL D. CHURCH
Commissioner.

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13349
INVALID.

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1920 Jan 22 - " " Lee W. Hendel
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File No. 13, 349

Caleb Hendel
Corp: *Proc War*

Act: Jan 7th 1832

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

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Connecticut Roll.

2075

Caleb Mendee,

Private (drag.)

Washington's Life Guard

In the army of the United States during the Revolutionary War.

scribed on the Roll of Connecticut

at the rate of 8 Dollars per month, to commence on the 7. of April 1818.

Certificate of Pension issued the 6. of Aug. 1818 and sent to Jephthah Swigg, Esq. Windham, Conn.

Arrearages to 4. Sept. 1818

4 m. 28/30. \$39.46

{ Revolutionary claims, }
{ Act 18th March, 1818, }

3 years not used

claims are not used

Caleb Mendee
Windham
Connecticut

Admitted under act
June 5 1832

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Multiplication done July 3^d 1826

David C. Bolles Esq

Windham
Conn

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Admitted under act
June 5th 1832

Washington, D.C. July 5th 1832

David G. Williams Esq

Minister
Genl

Admitted
Private Cavalry
Col Sheldon's Regt
2 years

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State of Connecticut }
County of Hartford } Set Hartford

On this 3rd day of April 1833 before
me the Subscriber a Notary Public for the County
of Hartford personally appeared Caleb
Hendee and made oath that he is the
same person named in an original Pension
Certificate herewith forwarded & dated at the
War Office of the United States the sixth
day of August 1818-

That he served more than two years
as a private in a Company of Dragoons
commanded by Captain George Washington
Lewis in a regiment commanded by Colonel
Baylor in General Washington's Life Guard.

The deponent believes that by the provision
of the Act of Congress passed June 7 1832

he is entitled to more than he now
receives as a pensioner and would
therefore respectfully request that
his name may be transferred to the

will under the act last above mentioned
 at the rate to which he is legally entitled.
 His place of residence is in Ashford
 in the County of Hartford and State of Connecti-
 cut where he has resided from his
 birth excepting the time he was in the
 revolution on any war -

Sworn to & subscribed } Caleb Hender
 this 3^d day of April 1833 }

Before me Samuel H Parson,
 Notary Public

And I further certify that
 I am well acquainted with the
 Caleb Hender above named and
 know that he sustains a fair
 moral character -

Saml H Parson
 Notary Public

State of Connecticut Comptroller's Office
Hartford July 10th 1818

On examination of the Books of this Office it
appears that Caleb Wendee served as a private
in Colonel Elisha Sheldon's Regiment of Horse
in the Connecticut Line of the Continental Army
in the Revolutionary War - from the first day
of January 1777 to the fifteenth day of December
1779 -

Certified by

Elisha C. Comptroller
of Public Accounts

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Second Comptroller's Office,

January 7th 1841.

Sir :

Under the act of the 6th of April, 1838, entitled "An act directing the transfer of money remaining unclaimed by certain Pensioners, and authorizing the payment of the same at the Treasury of the United States," Adm^r of Caleb Hender, dec^d, a Pensioner on the Roll of the Connecticut Agency, at the rate of One hundred Dollars and ~~Cents~~ per annum, under the law of the 7th June 1832, has been paid at this Department, from the 4th of Sept. 1839, to the 17th Nov. 1839, the day of his death.

Respectfully yours,

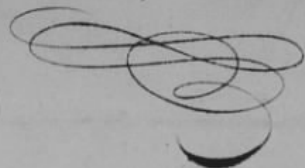
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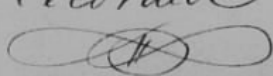
Comptroller.

To the Commissioner of Pensions,

Present.

Payable on the 4. March
& 4. Sept. of each year at
the N. State Branch Bank,
Middletown, Conn.



Recorded


WAR DEPARTMENT.

Revolutionary Claim.

I CERTIFY, That in conformity with the I ~~UNITED STATES,~~

of the 18. March 1818, Caleb Mendes,

late a Private (Drag.) in the Army of the Revolution,

is inscribed on the Pension List, Roll of the *Connecticut* Agency, at the rate of *Eight* dollars *—* cents per month, to commence on the *seventh* day of *April* one thousand eight hundred and *eighteen*.

GIVEN at the WAR OFFICE of the UNITED STATES,

this *sixth* day of *August* one thousand eight hundred and *eighteen*.

J. B. Calhoun

Sec. of War.

Capt. George W. Lewis. Dragoon

Col. Bayliss's Regt.

Ark. Cav.

Mont. Dragoon



Rev. Sec
220 Broad St.
Belmont, Vt. Co.
November 12/1917.

Com. of Pensions,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please send me
a statement of the Rev &
service of Caleb Tenet,
who was a pensioner in
1880 - also the date of his
death if given.

He went from Vt.
but might have enlisted
in a Mass. company
and office. Yours truly,
(Mrs.) S. E. G. Hoy
Historian, Samuel R. Hoy Co.

Portland, Mich., Nov., 30, 1929.

Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if you will kindly search your records and ascertain if a man by the name of Caleb Hendee, [✓] Josiah Hendee, or Zebulon Hendee served either in the War of 1812 ^{o Rev} or the Revolutionary War ^{o 1812 Hen}. If so, will you kindly send me their war record? If you have a record as to who their parents were, please include that in your report. They probably enlisted from one of the following states. Conn., New York, Mass., Rhode Island, New Hampshire or Vermont. If possible state from what town they enlisted.

Thanking you in advance for an early reply, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

C. W. Hendee



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V.L.M.
Rev. War Section.

November 8, 1917.

Mrs. L. E. C. Story,
220 Broad Street,
Claremont, N. H.

Madam:

In response to your letter dated the 1st instant, you are advised that it appears in the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim S. F. No. 13,349 that Caleb Hendee a resident of Ashford, Windham County, Connecticut, enlisted in December 1776 into General Washington's Life Guard, was attached to Captain George Lewis' Company and served under Colonels Baylor and Elisha Sheldon in the Continental Dragoons. He was in the battles of Brandywine, Germantown, and Monmouth and served 3 years.

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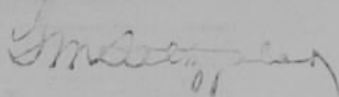
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Very respectfully,



Commissioner.

Caleb Hedges (3)