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Jacob Tack<sup>\*</sup>

of Rutherford in the State of N.C.  
who was a Per. in the commanded  
by Captain of the Reg commanded  
by Col. Drake in the Va.  
line for 9 months

Jacob Tack<sup>\*</sup> July 26, 1804  
Records corrected, J.

Inscribed on the Roll of North Carolina  
at the rate of 30 Dollars — Cents per annum,  
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Sept 33  
and Sub. Ho. J. Bickett  
Rutherford — N.C.

Amount to the 1st of Sept 1833 — 75  
Semi-ant. allowance ending 1<sup>st</sup> Mar 34 25

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{ Revolutionary Claim,  
Act June 7, 1832. }

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North Carolina

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W. H. Birchell  
Rutherford N.C.

RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT IN THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Was the declaration made before a Court?

Is before a Judge does it not appear to be a Court?

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**BRIEF in the case of** *Jacob Tach* **in the State of** *North Carolina*  
*County of Rutherford* **(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? *76*
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>See</i> In 1777 <i>dropped</i>		<i>3</i> <i>not stated</i>		<i>private</i>	<i>Gen. Stevens,</i> <i>Capt Crasen</i> <i>Capt Smith</i> <i>Capt Ragan Co Drake</i> <i>Co Matthew</i>
		<i>12</i>			
		<i>"</i>			
<i>Says he served from 1777 till the close of the war</i>					

5. In what battles was he engaged? *None*
6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? *Augusta County Va.*
7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditionary evidence, by incidental evidence, or by the rolls? *traditionary*
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.

*Chas. Priest*  
 Examining Clerk.



State of North Carolina, On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1832  
Duttmorford County } personally appeared in Open Court before the  
Justices of the Court of Pleas & quarter sessions now sitting Jacob Jack  
a Resident of the United States in the County of Duttmorford and State  
of North Carolina aged Seventy Six 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 the  
7<sup>th</sup> of June 1832.

That he entered the Service of the United States under the following  
named Officers and served as herein stated

That in the Year 1777- he was living in Augusta County State  
of Virginia a bout that time all the friends of Liberty was  
called on to signify their Designs by subscribing the following  
Oath:— I do hereby certify that Jacob Jack hath this day  
Taken the Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance and Fidelity as  
Directed by an Act of the General Assembly entitled an Act to  
Oblige the Free Male inhabitants of this State above the  
a certain age to give certain assurances of their allegiance to  
the same and for other purposes Witness my hand and seal this  
5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1777-

Alexander Sainclair

Augusta County State of Virginia

we was immediately summoned and called I was placed under  
the Command of Captain Robert Craven the Indians was very  
troublesome at that time on the frontiers we were sent out to guard  
the lines on to the ~~west~~ <sup>west</sup> fork of the Potomack where there was  
a fort at which place we continued for a considerable time  
we was relieved and returned home found things all in confusion  
The Indians committing frequent outrages on our frontier  
Settlements I was called soon after my return and served a  
Season under Captain William Smith we went immediately  
on the lines and took the Range of the Allegany Mountains  
on to a fort called Hercules Fort of the ~~west~~ <sup>west</sup> fork of the  
Potomack that we took charge of and continued there  
whilst at that station we had many a Run after  
the Indians this was a very hard Service we continued at



Stay until we was Released and Returned home soon  
after my Return home there was a Call for men to go against  
the British I was then under Captain Richard Pagan Col  
Darke commanded the Regiment we joined the main  
Army under the Command of General Stevens at the  
Permankey River we was then Stationed at a place called  
Birds Ordinary we kept out as spies between the  
American & British Armies under Col<sup>l</sup> Mathews and  
Major Long we was on at Williamsburg and at Little  
York we was discharged at that place a few days before  
the Capture of Corn Wallis I was a Volunteer from the  
year 1777 to the End of the War I was out on the different  
Towers that I have stated the situation where I then  
Resided of the County Required us at all times to be Ready  
the Indians was bordering on us <sup>where then lived as</sup> we then lived in a  
Frontier County we that was able to bear Arms prefer  
to be out in the Regular Service to be kept out as Spies  
on the frontiers I know I served my Country faithfully  
I now Call on them for a small partance of their  
Bounty which I think I am Justly Entitled the precise  
that I was out at the different times I served on Long  
Towers I do not know but one thing I am certain of that those  
Persons who Resided on the frontiers was in Service or in Readi-  
ness to so from the commencement of the Revolutionary War  
to the end precise date I cannot give but I served when called  
for which was often I am called and Infirm not able to  
search out my called comrades to Satisfy for my Service  
but I have many Respectable Neighbours who will Vouch for  
my Declaration. I hereby Relinquish every Claim whatsoever  
to a Pension or annuity except the present and declares that  
my Name is not on the Pension Roll of this Agency of any  
State whatsoever  
Question by the Court. Where and in what year were  
you born



Answer I was born in Augusta County State of Virginia  
in the year 1755

Question Have you any Record of your age if so when is it

Answer I have it in my possession taken from the  
family Register

Question Where were you living when called into Service where  
have you lived since the Revolutionary War and where do you  
now live? Answer I was living in Augusta County State  
of Virginia when Cal<sup>d</sup> into Service where I remained until  
some time after the Revolutionary War was over then  
moved to Rutherford County N Carolina where I have  
Resided ever since

Question How was you called into Service were you drafted  
did you Volunteer or were you a substitute and if a substitute  
for whom

Answer Where I then lived we was all Entered on a  
Roll and ~~drawn~~ Drawn into Classes and Serve our Regular  
Towers but when we was not out in the Regular Army  
we was Ready at all times to guard our frontiers as the  
Indians made many attacks on our frontier Settlement  
and I was at all times Ready for when I had my Rifle in  
my hand, I thought myself most safe

State the names of some of the Regular Officers who were with the  
Troop where you served Question State the names of some of the  
Officers who were with you in the service

Answer On the first Service we had no Officer above a Capt  
that I Recollect of the Tower to Little York I was under Col<sup>l</sup>  
Darke & General Stevens also Col<sup>l</sup> Mathews & Maj<sup>r</sup> Long  
I Recollect Gen<sup>l</sup> Morgan - Wain - & Mulmberg

State the names of some persons in your neighbourhood who can Certify  
as to your Character for Veracity and good behaviour your Service as a  
Revolutionary Soldier Joseph Moore - &  
Moses Logan Esq<sup>r</sup>

Sworn to and Submitted the day and year aforesaid  
in open Court

Witness (The P<sup>r</sup> Bench) of the Court  
Jacob -



We Joseph Moore a Citizen of the County of Rutherford  
and State of North Carolina and Moses Logan Resident in  
in the same hereby certify that we are well acquainted with  
Jacob Jack who has submitted and sworn to the above declarations  
that we believe him to be 78 years of age that he is reputed and  
believed in the neighbourhood where he resides to have been a Soldier  
of the Revolution and that we concur in that Opinion  
Sworn to and Submitted the day and Year aforesaid in open Court

Wm. F. Birchett Clerk

John Moore

Moses Logan

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  
further certify that it appears to them that  
who has signed the preceding Certificate is a Citizen of the County of Rutherford  
in the County of Rutherford State of North Carolina and that  
who has also signed the same is a Resident in  
in the same County and State and is a Credible person and that  
their statement is entitled to credit

I Wm. F. Birchett Clerk of the County Court for the County of  
Rutherford and State of North Carolina do hereby certify that  
the foregoing contains the Original Proceedings in the matter of  
the Application of Jacob Jack for a Pension

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
in Office this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October A.D. 1833  
Wm. F. Birchett Clerk

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State of North Carolina } personally appeared before me the subscriber  
Duke County } Justice of the Peace for said County

Jacob Tack and after being duly sworn Depose and say that  
by Reason of Old age and consequent loss of Memory he cannot swear  
to the positive length of his service but according to the best of his  
Recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned below in  
the following Grades

1777. Drafted in Turn to fort Warwick stationed there  
I do not think there was any Officer higher in  
Command than the Captain was under his name } 3 Months  
is Robert Craven this service was

1778. Drafted a Soldier to Hincles fort on the Potomack  
I do not think we had on this Tower any Officer higher  
than a Captain which was under by the name } 3 Months  
of William Smith this was a Tower of

1780  
1781  
Volunteer under Captain Richard Pagan Col  
Dart he commanded until we joined the main army  
then under General Steens when out as Spy, we was  
under Maj<sup>r</sup> Long and Col<sup>l</sup> Matthews this I think was  
not less than - - - - - 12 Months

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of May 1835

John Logan

Jacob Tack  
1835

I to wit John Logan a Justice of the Peace for said County do  
hereby certify that I am well acquainted with Jacob Tack who  
has subscribed ~~sworn~~ and sworn to the above Declaration that he  
is a person who has at all times supported the Character of a  
Respectable Citizen that he stands fair in every Respect and  
that his statement is entitled to Credit given under my hand  
this day and year above written

John Logan

I DO hereby certify, that Jacob Tack hath taken and  
subscribed the oath or affirmation of allegiance and fidelity, as directed by an  
act of General Assembly intituled An act to oblige the free male inhabitants of  
this state above a certain age to give assurance of allegiance to the same, and  
for other purposes. Witness my hand and seal, this fifth day of  
Sept<sup>r</sup> 1778  
Augusta County Virginia  
Alex. Gindain



State of North Carolina  
Putnam County

I Theobald J. Birchall Clerk of the Court of Pleas and  
Quorum of Putnam County do certify that John  
Lyon Esq. who has attended the within affidavit of Jacob  
Deek (or Laek) and who has also officially testified to  
his good character, is an acting Justice of the Peace  
of said County; and that his testimony and attesta-  
tions as such are entitled to full faith and credit  
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court  
at Office the 6th day of May A. D. 1833.

T. J. Birchall



State of North Carolina }  
 Rutherford County } Personally appeared before me the Subscribed  
 aforesaid Jacob Jack and after being duly sworn Deposition and say that  
 that when he volunteered under Captain Richard Pagan for Twelve  
 months for which he thought he was entitled to receive payment  
 for but believes he was only in actual service three months in  
 that Town which only makes my actual service in the Revolution  
 - ary War nine months for which service I claim a pension  
 but heretofore believed I was entitled to be paid for all the time  
 I was held in Readiness to serve sworn to and subscribed before  
 on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1833.

Martin Becken

(J.P.)

Jacob<sup>hi</sup> Jack  
 mark

State of North Carolina  
 Rutherford County }  
 I the J. Berchett Clerk of the Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions  
 of Rutherford County do Certify that Martin Becken Esq  
 before whom the foregoing deposition was made by  
 Jacob Jack & by whom it is attested, is an Acting  
 Justice of the Peace of said County; and that his  
 attestations made as such are entitled to Credit. —  
 Given under my hand & Seal of Office this 4<sup>th</sup>  
 day of August A.D. 1833  
 J. F. Berchett Clerk



**BRIEF** objections to the admission of Pension Claims, of which those answered in the negative, in red ink, will apply to the claim of which require

*Jacob Jack*  
further proof or explanation.

- I. Does the declaration show where the applicant resides? *yes*
- II. Did the declarant make the declaration in the county where he resides? *yes*
- III. If the applicant did not make the declaration in the county where he resides, is there any reason assigned for his not doing so?
- IV. Has the declarant mentioned the period or periods of the war when he served? *yes*
- V. \* Has he mentioned with precision the length of his service, and the different grades in which he served, in language so definite as to enable the department to determine to what amount of pension he is entitled? *no*
- VI. Has he given the names of the officers under whom he served, in conformity with the regulations? *yes*
- VII. Has he made a relinquishment of every claim to any other pension than the one under the Act of June 7, 1832? *yes*
- VIII. Has the Court given their opinion? *yes*
- IX. Has the Clerk given his certificate? *yes*
- X. Is the Clerk's seal affixed? And if so, has it a device or inscription by which it can be distinguished from any other seal? *yes*



- XI. Has the applicant obtained the evidence of a clergyman and another respectable citizen as to their belief respecting his age and the general belief in his neighborhood relative to his revolutionary service? *yes*
- XII. If the clergyman's affidavit has not been produced, is there any reason assigned for not obtaining it?
- XIII. If the applicant has no documentary evidence, and has not obtained the testimony of at least one living witness, has he stated in his declaration that such proof cannot be had? *yes*
- XIV. †If the applicant's name is not found on the rolls of military service, has he produced a witness or witnesses as to his service?  
If he has produced direct proof as to service, has the magistrate who administered the oath, certified to the credibility of the witness or witnesses?  
Has the proper officer certified to the official character and signature of the magistrate as the regulations direct?
- XV. Does it appear from any of the papers that the witness was in such a situation, or of such an age, as to have a personal knowledge of the applicant's service?
- XVI. ‡Are the papers authenticated as the regulations direct? *yes*
- XVII. Are the seven interrogatories prescribed by the War Department answered satisfactorily? And, if not, which of them is not so answered? *yes*

### EXPLANATORY NOTES.

\* QUERE V. In a case where the applicant cannot, by reason of the loss of memory, state precisely how long he served, he should amend his declaration by making an affidavit in the following words:  
"Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace, &c. A. B. who, being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that, by reason of old age, and the consequent loss of memory, he cannot swear positively as to the precise length of his service, but according to the best of his recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned below, and in the following grades; For \_\_\_\_\_ year \_\_\_\_\_ months, and \_\_\_\_\_ days, I served as a \_\_\_\_\_ For \_\_\_\_\_ months and \_\_\_\_\_ days, I served as a \_\_\_\_\_; and for such service I claim a pension.

It is important in all cases to determine with precision the period for which each applicant served, and the particular rank he held, as the law directs the pension to be paid according to the grade of the pensioner and the length of his service. The use of the phrase *about three or four months* is too indefinite, and all such qualifying expressions are objectionable. Some persons who apply for pensions merely state they served two years in the militia, &c. without specifying the tours; the names of the officers, and other particulars respecting their service. This form of a declaration is highly objectionable. It must in every case be clearly shewn under what officers the applicant served; the duration of each term of engagement; the particular place or places where the service was performed; that the applicant served with an embodied corps called into service by competent authority; that he was either in the field or in garrison; and for the time during which the service was performed, he was not employed in any civil pursuit.

†**QUERE XIV.** *Proof of Service.*

In a case where the name of the applicant is not found on the records of the Department, he must prove his service by two credible witnesses, who are required to set forth in their affidavits the time of the claimants entering the service, and the time and manner of his leaving the same, as well as the regiment, company, and line to which he belonged. The magistrate who may administer the oaths must certify to the credibility of the witnesses, and the official character and signature of the magistrate must be certified by the proper officer, under his seal of office.

†**QUERE XVI.** *Mode of authenticating papers.*

In every instance where the certificate of the certifying officer who authenticates the papers is not written on the same sheet of paper which contains the affidavit, or other paper authenticated, the certificate must be attached thereto by a piece of tape or narrow ribbon, the ends of which must pass under the seal of office of the certifying officer, so as to prevent any paper from being improperly attached to the certificate.

☞ In every case where the clerk of the court, or other certifying officer, has no public seal of office, the certificate of a member of congress, proving the official character and signature of the certifying officer, should accompany the papers.



*Rewman*

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Jacob Tack★  
Min Rev War

Act: June 7<sup>th</sup> 1850

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

Jacob Tack,★  
July 26, 1854.  
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*Name—Rank*

1468. Silverthorn, Robert, Privt.  
 1469. Smith, John, Privt. (Infantry & Cavalry)  
 1470. Sherod, Jordan, Privt.  
 1471. Sawthall, Henry, Privt.  
 1472. Stegall, Jesse, Privt.  
 1473. Shearin, Frederick, Privt.  
 1474. Steigerwaldt, Frederick, Privt.  
 1475. Singletary, Josiah, Privt.  
 1476. Shipman, James, Captain  
 1477. Smithwick, John, Privt. of Cavalry  
 1478. Slocum, Ezekiel, Privt. & Sergeant  
 1479. Sheppard, Valentine, Privt.  
 1480. Small, John, Privt.  
 1481. Stone, John, Privt., Corporal & Sergeant  
 1482. Stone, Jonathan, Privt.  
 1483. Sneed, Robert, Privt. & Artifr.  
 1484. Shaw, Joseph, Privt.  
 1485. Spicer, William, Privt.  
 1486. Stone, Peter, Senr., Privt.  
 1487. Stamper, Joel, Privt.  
 1488. Spencer, William, Privt.  
 1489. Snow, John, Privt.  
 1490. Sands, William, Privt.  
 1491. Sharp, Thomas, Privt. (Cavalry & Infantry)  
 1492. Shankle, George, Privt.  
 1493. Silver, George, Privt.  
 1494. Stewart, James, Privt.  
 1495. Swinson, Jesse, Senr., Privt. & Musician  
 1496. Striklin, Lot, Privt.  
 1497. Smith, Reuben, Privt., Sergt. & Cornet  
 1498. Sharpe, Joseph, Privt. Cavalry, Lt. & Capt.  
 1499. Smoot, James, Privt.  
 1500. Scrum, Peter, Privt.  
 1501. Sloane, Robert, Privt.  
 1502. Sparks, John, Privt.  
 1503. Scroggs, Jeremiah, Privt.  
 1504. Turner, James, Privt.  
 1505. Todd, Lewis, Privt. (Cavalry & Infantry)  
 1506. Thomason, George, Privt.  
 1507. Tart, Thomas, Privt.  
 1508. Thomas, Aaron, Privt.  
 1509. Tyner, Nicholas, Privt.  
 1510. Thompson, Jarrell, Corporal  
 1511. Toney, Arthur, decs'd., Privt.  
 1512. Tankard, John, Surgeon  
 1513. Topp, George, Privt.  
 1514. Tarney, Gilbert, Privt.

*Name—Rank*

1515. Taburn, Joel, Privt.  
 1516. Tyler, Moses, Privt.  
 1517. Tucker, Robert, Privt.  
 1518. Tirford, George, Privt.  
 1519. Tharp, Jonathan, Privt.  
 1520. Tate, James, Privt.  
 1521. Taylor, Richard, C.  
 1522. Thigpen, Gilead, Privt.  
 1523. Taylor, Isaac, Privt.  
 1524. Taylor, John, Privt.  
 1525. Tipps, Jacob, Privt.  
 1526. Tack, Jacob, Privt.  
 1527. Tuttertton, Benjamin, Privt.  
 1528. Thompson, Charles, Privt. of Cavalry  
 1529. Titman, Philip, Privt.  
 1530. Tyson, Lewis, Privt.  
 1531. Terry, Thomas, Privt.  
 1532. Trolinger, Henry, Privt.  
 1533. Thompson, William, Privt.  
 1534. Thompson, James, Privt.  
 1535. Taburn, William, Senr., Privt.  
 1536. Thrash, Volintine, Privt.  
 1537. Tilley, Edmund, Senr., Privt.  
 1538. Thomason, George, Privt. of Cavalry  
 1539. Taylor, Hudston, Privt.  
 1540. Toliner, Jesse, Privt.  
 1541. Turner, Samuel, Privt.  
 1542. Thompson, William, Privt.  
 1543. Taylor, William, Privt. (Infantry & Cavalry)  
 1544. Tuttle, John, Privt. & C. A.  
 1545. Tallow, Thomas, Privt.  
 1546. Taborvin, Burwell, Privt.  
 1547. Trammell, William, decs'd., Privt.  
 1548. Tarlton, William, Privt.  
 1549. Turbyfill, John, Privt.  
 1550. Tomlinson, Richard, Privt. & Sergeant  
 1551. Toap, Caleb, Privt.  
 1552. Threadgill, John, Privt.  
 1553. Taylor, John, Senr., Privt., Capt. & Adj't. Commissary  
 1554. Turner, William, Privt.  
 1555. Tucker, Shadrack, Privt.  
 1556. Thompson, Isaac, Privt.  
 1557. Thomson, Bartholomew, Privt.  
 1558. Tar, Melcher, Privt.  
 1559. Thomas, John, Privt.  
 1560. Thomas, Alexander, Privt.  
 1561. Trout, Jacob, Privt.  
 1562. Taylor, Richard, Privt.



