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Cox, PhinehasPP 3004Phineas^{or}B.L.M. 26798-160-55-Barbary^{or}Barbara.

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Kentucky

Phineas Cox

of Warren Co in the State of Kentucky
who was a private in the Company commanded
by Captain Brashers of the regt commanded
by Col Montgomery in the Virginia State
line for 16 months from 1779

Inscribed on the Roll of Kentucky
at the rate of 53 Dollars 33 Cents per annum,
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 28 day of April
1834 and sent to George
Worke Present.

Arrears to the 1st of Sept. 1834 \$133.33
Semi-annual allowance ending March 31 26.66

\$ 160.00

{ Revolutionary Claim,
Act June 7, 1832. }

Recorded by John Allison Clerk

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Aug 29 Legion Valley Penn

Revised

Sept 1849

Officer
Joseph Ry
Barbary Coy. of
Widow of Phineas Cox

who served in the Revolutionary

war, as a Private

Inscribed on the Roll at the rate of
53 Dollars 33.

Cents per annum, to commence on
the 4th day of March, 1848.

Certificate of Pension issued the
10 day of Aug 1849.
and sent to

Chas. D. Morehead
Bromley Green
Feb 4

Recorded on Roll of Pensioners under act
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April 12 "

Barbara Clegg and of
Phoenix Case dec 3 P.M.

Plasmann ~~Barbara~~ states that she
is a prisoner under the
act of July 2 1848

DPO 30 Rev. War [redacted]

By Feb 48- no 3065

Brown
Att. 160 Ac. May 1956

B.P. M.W.

M

A. G. Hobson
Bowling Green
Ky

Cir A. G. Hobson Oct 5/55
set bairns " 80 "
Dr H. G. Fink Jan 3/56

Vtg. 60-23. --

X State of Kentucky Warren County Det

On this 24th day of June 1833 personally appeared in open Court before the County Court of said County now sitting Phineas Bass aged 67 years a resident of the County and State aforesaid 67 years a resident of the County and State aforesaid 67 years who being first duly sworn according to law doth by his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June 3rd 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated - That he was born on the 10th Oct in the year 1764 in the County of Galiford Virginia

That about the 5th day of March as far as he can recollect he enlisted in the year 1779 he enlisted in the army of the United States under Capt Davis Shelley and served under Capt ~~James~~ Shelley as Capt & under Richard Brasher as Lieutenant and Garrett Williams Williams as Ensign and John Montgomery as 1st Lt. who was under the command of Genl O'Gara Rogers Clark in the time of the State of Virg he resided at the time of his enlistment in the County of Henry Virg and went on a visit to Wabash River where he enlisted at the Loring Islands - at that place he took water descended the Tennessee River down that to the Ohio down the Ohio to the Mississippi River and up that River to the Raskaska River and up that river 6 miles to the Illinois River as then called contained there about 30 days then he went with the troops in Boats down to the Ohio River and up the ~~some~~ to the mouth of the great Wabash and up that River to where Post Vincent is now situated which was called then & Post where he remained all the summer of 1779 except about one month when he went further up the Wabash against the Indians he states that he remained at there (Post) during the fall and winter of said year and for guarding Packhorses was promised one dollar per day for 90 days but never received a cent for that nor for any of his services during the

~~Resurrection~~. In March 1780 he was sent on express
by Col ^{of Post} John Montgomery to the Illinois Towns
where he remained till he was discharged
by Col Montgomery in June 1780. He entreated for
the term of one year but was detained more than
15 months before he was discharged. he states that
about twelve years after this he was discharged
Col Montgomery called at his house where he now
lives and got his discharge from him for the
purpose of getting the pay and land that were
promised him. Montgomery was shortly after
~~killed~~ killed by the Indians and never received his dis-
charge again nor land or pay; after he received
his discharge ~~as far as~~ in 1780 he volunteered
at the Illinois towns on the 1st of July 1790 and
served for 60 or 65 days and served under Col
Montgomery; he went up the Mississippi to the
mouths of Illinois river three up the river
to a little French village there they left the boats
and with pack horses went to ^{the} river against
the Indians - but they had all fled they returned
to the boats - he states that during part of this tour
for want of provision they were compelled part
of the time to subsist on a dead horse. for this
time he got only a verbal discharge from
Montgomery at what is now called St Louis
He states that he cannot say precisely how long
he served but he knows that he will be safe in
making any oath that he did not serve a shorter
period than sixteen months His age was recorded
in his father's Bible in the State of Virginia. he lived
in Henry County Virginia when he entered the Army
immediately after ^{the Revolutionary} War he moved to Davidson County
Tennessee - from thence to Warren County ¹⁷⁸³
where he has resided ever since he knows of
no documentary evidence of his services. nor any
person by whom he could prove his services
except one Sam'l McGaugh whose affidavit
he has procured he was in no battle the officer

he knew in the Revolution except those already
named were Capt. Thomas Quirk - Capt.

Taylor - Capt. James Capt. Todd

The following are the names of the some of the
persons living in his neighborhood who can tes-
tify to his character for veracity and their testi-
ment to his services in the revolution
Capt. John Stone. Capt. Joseph Comington
General Elijah Comington Col. Wm Marshall
Judge Graham Judge Underwood & James
of Morehead - he states that he cannot remember
the number of the regiment in which he served

He hereby relinquishes every claim what-
ever to a pension or annuity except the
present and declares that his name is not
found on the Pensions Roll of the agency
of any State

Pineybag. Cox

Sworn to and subscribed
the day and year of

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We David L Mansfield a citizen residing in
the County of Warren and State of Kentucky
and Andrew Stagner a resident of the same hereby
certify that we are well acquainted with Phineas
Cox who has sworn to the above declaration that he
is reported and believed in the neighborhood
where he resides to have been a soldier of the
Revolution and that we concur in that
opinion Sworn to and subscribed
the day and year of P. L Mansfield
Andrew Stagner

I John Stagner a resident in the county of
Warren and state of Kentucky hereby cer-

copy that I have had for the last 34 years in
half a mile of Phineas Cox who has made the
above declaration for a pension - that I have
heard him for the last 34 years invariably speak
and often speak of having served in the Revolution
and believe it to be the Universal belief of all
that know him in his neighborhood that
he was a soldier of the revolution and served
as he states in his declaration John J. Stagner
Sworn to and subscribed the mark
day and year aforesd

And the said court do hereby declare their
opinion of the matter after putting the
interrogatories presented by the War De-
partment, that the above named applicant
was a revolutionary soldier and served as he
is stated states. And the court give the certificate
that it appears to them that David Mansfield
who has signed the proceeding certificate
is a clergyman resident in the County
of Warren and State of Kentucky and that Andrew
Stagner who has signed the same and that
John Stagner who has also signed a certificate
are all both residents in the County and State
and that their statements are entitled to
credit. (ppr. Vot. & Soring) J.P.

R. W. Lucas Jr

P. D. Donatelson J.P.

I, Jonathan Hobson, clerk of the Court of Warren County, do certify,
that the foregoing contains the original proceedings of the said
Court in the matter of the application of Phineas Cox for a
pension. Subscribing whereup, I have hereunto set my hand
and seal of Office, this 27th day of June 1833

J. H. Hobson C. W.

Phineas Cox
26.7.14
Age 53
Att'd for
16 at the
rate of 33
for
labor
Baptist
Rep
W.M.

9843

Mrs Cox

Ken

July 7. 1838,

Barbara Cox

adm -

16 mo hri

53.00

Hn. H. Grimes

HTD

Instructions or certificate
to me at Washington

America

Dec 13. 1843.

State of Kentucky Warren County - Let
This day Barbary Cox, widow & relit of
Phineas Cox Dead late a pensioner of the United
States on the Roll of the Kentucky Agency as
appears from the certificate of Lewis Clegg Secretary
of War dated 28 June 1834, personally come
into the Warren County Court - being a court
of record for the State aforesaid & for the purpose
of availing herself of the pension laws of the
United States applicable to her case did in
open Court - being first duly sworn depose
& declare that she is the widow & relit of
the said Phineas Cox, that she & the said
Phineas were married at a very early time
prior to the close of the Revolutionary War
in what is now ~~Benton~~^{Washington} County in the State
of Tennessee & that she remained the wife
of said Phineas from the time of their marriage
up to the time of his death & raised by
him a family of twelve children the oldest
of whom is now fifty nine years of age. The
said Barbary states that she is now eighty
years of age that she does not believe there
were any records of her marriage preserved
as it took place in Tennessee before

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There was much regular government and
when the people the few that were there lived
in forts. She refers to the declaration of her
said husband on file in the War Department
for the nature & character of his services
rendered in the Revolutionary War & for
which the pension was granted him & she
makes his pension certificate a part of
this her declaration. She states that her
said husband died in this County on
the 18th day of May 1842 & that he
had lived in this county many years be-
fore his death & had represented it in the
Legislature of this State. She states that
she is now domiciled in the County of
Warren & State of Kentucky & expects
to spend the remainder of her life in it.
She therefore says that this her declaration
signed by her hand on this 27th day of
November 1843, with her proofs in support
thereof, may be certified under the seal
of the County to the War Department

Attest

Andrew Stagner

Barbara X Cox
^{her}
mark

State of Kentucky Warren County - S^t
This day Andrew Stagner . appeared in open
Court-town in the Warren County Court being
a court of record & being first duly sworn did
upon his oath depose & declare that he
was well acquainted with Phineas Cox & David
late a pensioner of the United States & his wife
Barbary now present - that he had known them
for forty two years during which time they lived
together as man & wife & were so reputed &
respected by their acquaintances. But they were
persons of respectability & good character & that
they were father & mother of many children.
This affiant stated that he knew William
W. Cox ^{from information that} said to be the eldest & the other children
of the said Phineas & Barbary & that said William
W. Cox was from his appearance about sixty
years of age. In witness whereof the said
Andrew Stagner hath hereunto subscribed his name this
27 day of November 1843
Andrew Stagner

This day Frederick Cox also appeared in open
Court-town in the Warren County Court - in & for
the State & County aforesaid being a court of record
& being first duly sworn doth on his oath
depone & say that Phineas Cox & David late a
pensioner of the United States & Barbary Cox

widow of said Phineas are his Parents—that
from his earliest recollection he was acknowledged
by them as their son & he knew no others but
them as his parents. He was raised by them as
their child & has been advanced in life as such
that he is now in the fifty fifth year of his age
according to the information he has received
& nearly believes that his said father & mother
raised twelve children of whom William W.
Cox the eldest is now in the ~~forty~~^{seventy} year
of his age as this affiant is informed & nearly be-
lieves that his said Father & Brother lived toge-
ther as man & wife from his earliest recollection
to the 18th day of May 1842 when his father
died in this county in which his mother now lives
& that he has no doubt but that his father &
mother were married in the Brown State &
Jemima as stated by her before there was
any regular Government organized there
In testifying whereof the said Frederick Cox hath
hereunto subscribed his name this 27th of November
1843

State of Kentucky

Warren County set-

The foregoing declaration of Barbara Cox
widow of Phineas Cox Deed & the depositions of Andrew
Stephens & Frederick Cox having been subscriber
& sworn to in the presence of the Court in open

Count it is now ordered that the Clerk of this
Court certifies the same under the seal of this
Court & it is further ordered by the Court
that the said Clerk certify that the said Ben-
jamin Cox Andrew Maynes & Frederick Cox
are highly respectable persons & worthily
sworn upon oath in testimony of all
which is Attestd by Hobson
Clerk of the Warren County
Court have hereunto affixed
the seal of my said office &
subscribed my name this 27
day of November 1843
A G Hobson

State of Kentucky Warren County Seal
I Presley Donaldson presiding Justice
of the Warren County Court do hereby cer-
tify that A Stwood of Hobson whose name is
subscribed to the preceding certificate was at the
date thereof Clerk of the said Court & that
his certificate is in due form of law given
under my hand this 28th day of November 1843
P. Donaldson Jr.

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Claim of Barbary Box
Widow of Thomas Box eto
To Bounty Land
Act of March 3rd 1855

Revolutionary War

Presented by
A G Hobson Attorney
Bowling Green Ky

Revolution

State of Kentucky
County of Warren 55 On this 27th day of March AD
One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty five personally appeared
before me Andrew Stagner — a Justice of the Peace
duly authorized to administer oaths within and for the County
of Warren and State aforesaid Barbary Cox. aged 95 years
a resident of Warren County in the State of Kentucky who
being duly sworn according to law declares that she is the
widow of Phineas Cox — deceased, who was a
Private in the Revolutionary War
The particular time and term of service she cannot set forth
but refers to the rolls in the War department.
She refers to the original certificate granting her a pension
as the widow of Phineas Cox — deceased of which
the following is a true copy made with the seal of
the War Department.

L.M.C. regards Herdord Pensions —
I certify that in Conformity with the act of February 21st 1848 —
Barbary Cox — widow of Phineas Cox —
who was a private in the Revolutionary War is inscribed
on the pension list at the rate fifty three Dollars and ^{thirty three} Cents
per annum commencing on the 1st day of March 1848
and continuing for life, unless she should again marry
in which case the pension is not payable after the time
of such marriage.

Given at the War Office of the United States
on the 16th day January One Thousand
Eight hundred and forty nine
and signed by W.L. Marcy Secretary of War

Examined and Counter-signed

P.L. Edwards Commissioner of Pensions
That she has not remarried, but continues the widow of
Phineas Cox deceased

She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the Bounty
Land to which she may be entitled under the Act granting
Additional Bounty Land to Certain Officers and Soldiers who
may have been engaged in the Military Service of the United
States. approved March 3rd 1855.

Witness

JN Stone

Barbary her Box

Mark

I Swear to and Subscribed before me the day and year above
Written and I hereby Certify that I believe the said Barbary
Box who signed and executed the above declaration
and is now present to be the Widow of Thomas Box -
deceased and that she is the age above Stated - and that she
is still a Widow - and the identical person named in an
Original Certificate in her possession - of which I Certify that
the foregoing set out in this declaration is a true Copy -
I further Certify that I have no interest in said claim

Andrew Stegner S.P.H.S

State of Kentucky - doth to this day and month of March
County of Marion S.L. Personally appears James H. Stone
and Zachariah Cox - Citizens of the County and State aforesaid
who being Sworn depose and Say that they are personally
acquainted with Barbary Box - and that she is the
person now present who signs and executes the within
declaration - James H. Stone
Zachariah Cox

I Swear to and Subscribed before me this 27 day of March A.D.
1855: And I Certify that the said James H. Stone - and
Zachariah Cox are creditable and respectable Citizens.

Andrew Stegner S.P.H.S