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## **SERVICE**

**NUMBER**

New Jersey. : Koff, Isaac \_\_\_\_\_ 84408

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Ohio - 99643.

Isaac Hoff.

Battle in the State of Ohio.  
who was a ~~Private~~ in the ~~C~~ commanded  
by Captain Harkness of the Regt commanded  
by Col Taylor in the New Jersey  
line for ~~two years at 16 months~~

Date of death not  
in A B

Inscribed on the Roll of Ohio.  
at the rate of 53 Dollars 33 Cents per annum,  
to commence on the 4th day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Nov.  
1832 and sent to Joseph M.  
Millikin, Hamilton, Ohio.

Bears to the 4th of Sep. 1833. - 1833  
Annual allowance ending 4 Mar. 34. 26.67.

\$160.00

{ Revolutionary Claim,  
Act June 7, 1832.  
Recorded by J. W. Johnson Clerk  
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The State of New Jersey Common Pleas  
Burlington County, 3 July / June 1832

On the first day of August eighteen hundred and  
and twenty two personally appeared before me  
the Honorable Associate Judge of the Court  
of Common Pleas for Burlington County And  
Isaac Haughey aged Seventy four 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  
Loyalty passed June 1<sup>st</sup> 1832

That he entered the service of the United  
States as a volunteer from the State of New Jersey  
in the first campaign made by the  
British into  
of said State before the entry of the British into  
the City of Boston - that he served at such  
volunteer in Capt. Beckoff's Company under  
order commanding for about one month during  
which time he assisted in building a fort on  
Garden Island from which place they were driven  
by the British - that he again entered the  
service of the United States as a soldier in  
the Company first  
of said State of New Jersey in the Campaign first  
commanded by Capt. Thompson a short time  
before the British Army entered the City of New  
York - that he remained liable to be called  
out for a militia man from the time last aforesaid  
until the termination of the war of the revolution  
and was frequently called into service for periods

of time not exceeding six months - that at the  
time of his discharge he was a citizen of Hightstown  
in Mercer County State of New Jersey and was married  
~~and from said County had a letter to Elija~~  
~~Guthrie to return to Ambridge Brookbridge & Newmarket~~  
~~that he was in a battle on Millstone Creek~~  
in the company of Capt. Blackmon and the  
Col. Taylor's regiment where he received a broad  
sabre cut on the front part of the head and  
was left upon the field. He was again on  
the succeeding day in view of a battle fought at  
Bound Brook on the Raritan River where  
the American forces were commanded by Genl  
Washington and that subsequently he was  
in several skirmishing parties and engaged in a few  
skirmishes and fought in the battle of Mon-  
mouth where he was under Capt. John Somers  
of which after which he was discharged.

Deponent states that he served in the Constitution of  
said State for upwards of sixteen months  
during the year of the Revolution - that he has  
no documentary evidence of such service - that  
he never received any written discharge and  
that he is able to prove by John Davis that  
he did serve the United States as a militia  
man of said State of New Jersey - that he  
entered the service in said County of Hightstown  
and that he was <sup>finally</sup> discharged in Monmouth the  
day after said battle of Monmouth.

Defendant states that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, seventeen hundred and forty eight he was born in Hunterdon County, New Jersey where he resided & continued to reside until he removed to the State of Kentucky from which place he removed to Butler County Ohio as appears hereunder three

Defendant is well acquainted with the place where he resided in the State of Kentucky by reason of the clergyman & some people by the latter whom he can now find he reported and believed in his neighborhood to have been a soldier of the revolution & that he is entitled to credit and by the fact that his statement is entitled to ~~no~~ credit.

I hereby renounce every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declare that his name is not on the pension Roll of the Agency of Any State.

Given to & subscribed  
the day & year aforesaid  
John Dins

I John Dins a resident of Butler County highly certifying that Dr. Dinswell is acquainted with Isaac Daugherty having been so acquainted with him for about fifty five years & that I believe him to be seventy five years old that I know him to be in the service of the United States a militiaman of the State of New Jersey about the time of the burning of Princeton that is to say State & his present neighborhood he was & is reputed and believed to have been a soldier of the Revolution & that I concur in that opinion  
Given to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid John Dins  
John Daugherty

January 7, 1939.

Mrs. J. Arthur Goldschmidt  
104 McKinley Street  
Middletown, Ohio.

RA-J/XL  
Isaac Hoff  
S. 4408

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request information in regard to your ancestor, Isaac Hoff, who was born in 1785, lived in Butler County, Ohio, where he died April 11, 1839, and was buried.

The data which follow are found in the papers on file in pension claim, S. 4408, based upon service in the Revolutionary War of Isaac Hoff. He was a pensioner of Butler County, Ohio.

Isaac Hoff was born April 2, 1785 in Hunterdon County, New Jersey; the names of his parents are not shown.

While a resident of Hunterdon County, New Jersey, Isaac Hoff volunteered first, after the British entered Boston, and served one month as private in Captain Gilkoff's (possibly meant for Kirchoff's) company, Colonel McElhinny's New Jersey regiment, during which he was engaged in building a fort of Staten Island. He enlisted a short time before the British entered New York City, and served at different times as private under Captains Hankinson and John Schenck, and Colonel Taylor in the New Jersey troops, amounting to at least sixteen months; during this service, he was in the battle of Millstone Creek, where he was wounded by a ball in the front of his head, was in the battle of Monmouth and in frequent skirmishes.

The soldier continued to reside in Hunterdon County, New Jersey, until he moved to Kentucky, from which state he moved in 1803 to Butler County, Ohio.

Isaac Hoff was allowed pension on his application executed August 4, 1832, at which time he resided in Butler County, Ohio. He made no reference to wife or children.

In order to obtain the date of last payment of pension, name

of person paid, and, possibly, the date of death of this pensioner,  
you should address the Comptroller General, General Accounting  
Office, Records Division, this city, and cite the following:

Isaac Hoff  
Certificate #22643  
Issued November 25, 1833  
Rate \$53.33 per annum  
Commenced March 4, 1831  
Act of June 7, 1832  
Ohio Agency.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HALLER,  
Executive Assistant  
to the Administrator.