

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of Henry Conway W6719 Sarah Conway VA
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[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I do Certify that Henry Conway was an officer in the service of the united States in the Virginia Continental Line and I well knew him as a Commissioned officer in the years 1781 & 1782 & that I do believe he continued in the Service to the end of the war

Given under my hand this 22nd of Sept 1806 Simon Morgan [W8475] Late Capt V. L

I was well acquainted with the within Henry Conway as Capt to the 14th Virginia Continental Reg't. & his services Commenced about the last of 1776 or early in the year 1777 & continued in the service to the end thereof. Given under my hand this 16th day of October 1806.

J Blackwell [Joseph Blackwell S37781] late Capt. 6th Virg'a Reg't

[From the federal pension application]

State of Tennessee }

Washington County }

On this 20th day of January 1837 Personally appeared before me Samuel G. Bayles a Justice of the peace for said County Mrs Sarah Conway a resident of Washington County and State of Tennessee, in the eighty sixth year of her age. Who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed July 4th 1836. that she is the widow of Henry Conway who was a Captain in the Army of the revolutionary war She further declares that she was married to the said Henry Conway on the 25th day of July in the year Seventeen hundred and Sixty nine that her husband the aforesaid Henry Conway died on the tenth day of September 1812 – and that she has remained a widow ever since that period as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereto annexed. She further states that she and her aforesaid husband Henry Conway were married in Pitsylvania [sic: Pittsylvania] County – State of Virginia. That she knows of no record of their marriage being kept, that she has lived upwards of fifty years several hundred miles from where they were married and believes that there is scarcely a person living that saw them married

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year above written [signed] Sarah Conway