

(continued) at Walpole NH on 16 Aug 1787 & she was born on 14 Jun 1834

- ASHLEY**, Moses, BLW #11-400, MA Line, no papers, were burned when the British burned War Office in 1814
Noah, S29592, Cont & MA Line, appl 28 Jun 1819 Bristol Cty MA, b 2 Dec 1757 Freetown MA & enl there,
sol d 21 Aug 1839
- Percival, S32660, MA Line, appl 25 Feb 1819 Plymouth Cty MA aged 78, in 1820 wife was aged 70
Peter or Peter Ashby, Winnifred, R285, VA Line, see Peter Ashby
- Robert, Sarah, W4874, BLW #13016-160-55, NC Line, sol m Sarah Rue 5 Nov 1797 or Mar 1798 Orange Cty
NC, wid appl 7 Nov 1851 Granville Cty NC aged 71, sol d 27 Sep 1829, wid appl for BLW in 1855
- Robert, R282, SC Troops, appl 1 Oct 1845 Henderson Cty NC aged 90, b 1755 Lancaster Dist SC & enl
there & lived there 20 yrs after the war then moved to Buncombe Cty NC in that part which becam
Henderson Cty NC, sol srv as sub for his father Jordan Ashley
- Samuel, Lucy, W17219, CT Line, sol appl 27 Jul 1832 Windham Cty CT aged 76, b 25 Jan 1756 Windham Cty
NC & enl there, wid appl 13 Aug 1838 Windham Cty CT aged 78, sol m Lucy Nye who lived in Tolland CT
on 2 Jul 1789 in Hampton CT & sol d 20 May 1835, in 1832 Joseph Ashley who srv with sol lived in
Hampton CT but no relationship stated
- Thomas, S35173, VA Line, appl 17 Jun 1818 Bath Cty KY, in 1820 sol was aged 67 with wife aged 55 &
children; Peter 19, Milley 18 & 2 orphan children a girl 8 & a boy 13, sol & wife had 11 children
- William, Agnes, W9708, Cont & MD Line, appl 11 Aug 1818 Abbeville Dist SC, sol's bro Joshua Ashley
signs aff'dt 1818 in Abbeville Dist SC, in 1820 sol was aged 73 with wife aged 69, sol m Angess who
was usually called Ann in Jan 1781, wid appl 4 Sep 1845 Abbeville Dist SC aged 83, daughter Sophia
their 3rd child was b 3 Mar 1785 & she m in 1808 to Daniel Smith & in 1845 lived Abbeville Dist SC,
family records of Daniel & Sophia Smith; Daniel Smith b 2 Jul 1789, children; Agnes b 30 Jan 1809,
Richard & Rebecca twins b 17 Aug 1810, Joshua & John twins b 7 Jan 1812, Maryan b 13 Nov 1813 & d in
Jul 1816, Sharlotte b 22 Feb 1816 & Daniel b 6 Jan 1824, also shown is Elizabeth Smith b 4 Nov 1805
her relationship is not stated, sol d 3 Mar 1832, a Sarah Ashley is mentioned in 1844 relationship ?
- William S., Aurelia, R284, BLW #40928-160-55, VT Line, sol appl 7 Aug 1833 Windsor Cty VT aged 76, b
1757 Westfield MA & lived in Hartland VT at enl, wid appl 25 Dec 1865 Windsor Cty VT aged 73, sol m
Aurelia Lathrop on 9 Jul 1818, sol d 10 Jun 1846 in Hartland VT where in 1855 wid lived with Daniel
Ashley aged 70 & Serepta H. Whitaker aged 30 & their relationship not stated
- Zenas, S22091, VT Line, appl 28 Sep 1832 Livingston Cty NY aged 69, lived Bennington VT & enl with
his bro Thomas Ashley there, sol moved to Otsego Cty NY in 1805 then in 1815 moved to Livingston Cty
NY, sol's bro Thomas lived Monroe Cty NY in 1833 & was aged 76
- ASHLOCK**, James, Charlotte, W886, VA Line, sol appl 12 Apr 1820 Sumner Cty TN, son Philip Ashlock appl
7 Jan 1845 Sumner Cty TN aged 55, sol d in 1822 & wid d 28 Feb 1841, son Philip was b in 1789
- Jesse, S1160, BLW #110865-160-55, NC Line, appl 8 Jun 1832 Overton Cty TN aged 78, lived Tazewell Cty
NC at enl, sol b Halifax Cty VA, sol d 21 Dec 1846, sol m 15 Mar 1842 to Sallie or Sarah Scott & wid
m again 17 May 1849 to Wesley Killman & she was living in Cumberland Cty KY in 1886, 2 children of
wid are named; Margaret S. b 13 Jan 1843 & George or George Washington Ashlock b 24 Mar 1846, on 31
Jan 1869 George Ashlock of Monroe Cty KY & Margaret S. wife of Milton Pennington appl for BLW & in
1870 both George & Margaret lived Overton Cty KY, in 1869 Mary Ann Killman states she witt birth of
Margaret S. Ashlock & in 1869 Mary Ann Scott states she witt birth of George Ashlock
- William, S1161, VA Line, appl 12 Nov 1832 Nelson Cty KY aged 70, b 9 Oct 1762 Halifax Cty VA & enl
there & in 1805 moved to Lincoln Cty KY then to Nelson Cty KY, sol was living in 1833
- ASHLY**, John or John Ashley, Eleanor, R281, SC Troops, wid appl 7 Oct 1845 Buncombe Cty SC (NC ?) aged
72, sol's bro Robert srv part of time with sol, sol b 1 Jul 1765, m Eleanor "Alley" Duren on 23 Sep
1790 in Keshaw Dist SC, sol d 2 May 1844 Buncombe Cty NC, their children were; Harretter b 21 Aug
1791, Saley or Seky b 1 Feb 1794, Susa Anner b 11 Sep 1796, Nelley b 8 Aug 1799, Diliah b 2 Mar 1802
& Rebecker b 6 Jun 1806, also shown is Tabitha Gurdin b 6 Jul 1828
- William or William Ashley, R283, VT (Green Mtn Boys), appl 16 Nov 1826 Darke Cty OH aged 68, in 1826
sol had wife Phebe aged 65 in Feb last, sol b 7 May 1758, in 1826 children were; Loami, Elisha,
Alonson, Sardis Ayaz or Ayars ?, William H., George W., Harry, Philanda Burch, Humella Osborn, Phebe
Nead & Parnel Higgins
- ASHMAN**, Samuel, Parthenia, W25362, NY Line, sol appl 2 Oct 1832 Clinton Cty NY, sol b 1764 Fort Edward
in Saratoga Cty NY, enl in Stillwater NY & since the war lived Berkshire Cty MA 4 yrs then moved to
Champlain NY, sol m Parthenia Raymond on 17 Feb 1790 in Richmond MA, wid's sis Eunice Goodrich lived
Clinton Cty NY in 1847, wid appl 18 Feb 1848 Clinton Cty NY aged 77, sol d 29 Aug 1846
- ASHMORE**, Jabesh or Jabesh Ashmor, Hester, W5647, NJ Line, sol appl 11 Feb 1833 Hunterdon Cty NJ aged
72 on 25 Dec last & living in Nottingham Twnshp in Burlington Cty NJ, sol b 25 Dec 1760 New Bruns-
wick NJ, wid appl 1 Jul 1843 Mercer Cty NJ aged 77, m 25 Sep 1781 & sol d 17 Nov 1840, children were
Joseph b 30 Jan 1782, John b 18 Sep 1784, Charles b 17 Nov 1786, Thomas b 3 Nov 1788, Nathel b 19
Jul 1790, David b 19 Aug 1793, Jabesh b 28 Mar 1796, Hester b 11 Jul 1798, Amos b 24 Mar 1808 &
Elizer b 20 Jul 1805. in 1847 wid mentions granddaughters, Emma, Martha & Elizabeth
- John, BLW #10931-100-12 Aug 1797 assignee Francis Sherrard, srv as Pvt in MD Line
- ASHPILL**, Thomas, BLW #12702-100-12 Jan 1792 assignee Peter Le Barbier Duplessis, srv Armand's Corps
- ASHPORT**, Cuff (colored) or Cuff Mitchell, Lydia or Elizabeth, W27332, Cont & MA Line, wid appl 4 Oct
1836 Plymouth Cty MA aged 78, sol was formerly slave of Nathan Mitchell & bought his freedom in 1775
m 6 Feb 1872 & her name was Elizabeth Quay & she was raised at Anthony Winslow's, sol d last of Aug
or first of Sep 1827, wid was a mulatto & raised in Bridgewater MA
- ASHTON**, Alexander or Alexander Aston, R286, NC Line, see Alexander Aston
- Benjamin, BLW #8895-100-14 Feb 1791, srv as Pvt in PA Line
- George, Hannah, W3327, NJ Line, sol appl 20 Jun 1833 Columbia Cty PA aged 80, lived Hunterdon Cty NJ
at enl, b 16 Jan 1753 Amwell Twnshp in Hunterdon Cty NJ & lived there 47 yrs then moved to Northum-
berland Cty PA (now Columbia Cty PA), wid appl 26 Jan 1838 Columbia Cty PA aged 74, m 10 May 1879 or
80, sol d 19 Feb 1835, wid's maiden name was Hannah East & she was b 22 Feb 1764, children were;
Joseph b 8 Jan 1781, Stephen b 8 Mar 1784, Sarah b 12 Dec 1787, Levi b (continued next page)



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WASHINGTON

April 13, 1940

YOUR FILE REFERENCE:

IN REPLY REFER TO:

BA-J/ANF
William Ashly
R. 283

Mr. J. J. O'Brien
101 Green Street
Greenville, Ohio

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the Revolutionary War record of William Ashly, who applied for pension from Darke County, Ohio, pension claim, R. 283.

The data which follow were obtained from papers on file in claim for pension, R. 283, based upon service of William Ashly or Ashley, in the War of the Revolution.

William Ashly was born May 7, 1758, place not stated, nor were the names of his parents given.

William Ashly enlisted sometime in July or August, 1775, served in Captain John Grant's company in Colonel Seth Warner's regiment, marched to Canada, was at the taking of St. Johns, in the battles of Montreal, Chambly, and Sorel, in the retreat from Quebec, and returned to the "United States", in the summer of 1776. He enlisted July 1, 1777, served in Captain Ebenezer Allen's company, Colonel Samuel Herrick's Regiment of Vermont Rangers, was in the evacuation of Ticonderoga, and at the capture of Burgoyne, continued in the service until the last of December, 1777. He enlisted sometime in February or March, 1778, served two months in Captain Clark's company, guarding the frontiers, then enlisted and served seven months as sergeant in Captain Brookins' company, Colonel Fletcher's regiment of Ver-

mont militia. He had other short tours in the Vermont militia, once under Captain Dewey.

The soldier, William Ashly, applied for pension November 16, 1826, in Darke County, Ohio.

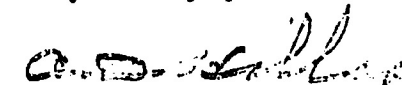
The claim for pension was not allowed, as the service rendered by him was not on the Continental Establishment, which was required by the Act of March 18, 1818, under which he applied.

In the month of November, 1826, William Ashly referred to his wife, Phebe, aged sixty-five years in February last. There are no further data in this claim relative to her. He stated at this time that his children were all married, and their names are shown as follows:

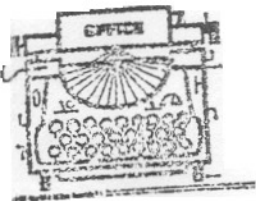
Laomi
Elisha
Alonson
Sardis (?) Ayars
William H. Ashly
George W. Ashly
Harry Ashly
Philinda Burch
Humilla (?) Osborn
Phebe Nead (?)
Parnel (?) Higgins.

The papers on file in this claim contain no further discernible data in regard to family, and the date of death of William Ashly is not shown.

Very truly yours



A. D. HILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator



*From the
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Desk - - -*

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- ix. Philinda (1797-1867) m Harry Everest
Children: Leonora (1819-1893) m Nelson Everts; Zebadiah Ashley (1823-1906) m (1) Betsey Ann Kellogg (2) Augusta M. Warner; Benjamin (1832-1832); Lucia b. 1833 m Orville Delivan Mason
- x. David Dewey (1799-1865) m Olive Lewis
Children: Beulah A. (1822-1864) m Sanford Evans; Azariah J. b 1824 m Eliza Jane Adams; Sarah Ann b 1828 m Orran Granger; Charles Jerome b 1831; Clarinda M. (1834-1846); Timothy W. b 1837 m Mary Shear
- xi. Zebadiah Dewey (1801-1876) m Charlotte Ward (1806-1885)
Children: Ellen (1825-1876) m ___ Needham; Herman W. (1827-1828); William W. (1831-1872); Jedediah (1835-1865) Irene m Jedediah Clark
- xii. Oliver Landon (1805-1882) m Tryphosa Ann Stack (Stark)
Children: Luciana Lyon (1841-1883) m Abraham Emmet Shearer
Ellen Francis (1850-1876) m Ervin Brown;
- xiii. Malona L. (1808-1860) m Royal Sanderson d 1845
Children: Julia b 1831 m Henry McGee; William m Lucy Blake; John; Leonora Everest b 1840 m George Oakman Hutchinson; George

WILLIAM ASHLEY³ (Thomas², Joseph¹) b 7 May 1758 d 27 Dec. 1828
m Phebe Howe (1761-1833) dau. Nehemiah & Beulah (Wheeler) Howe.

Children:

- i. Philinda (1780-1857) m Hiram Burtch (1773-1820)
Children: Eunice m ___ Winders; Lorana; Phebe (1799-1869) m John Huff Mikesell; Electa; Horatio Nelson m Elizabeth Weaver; Sarah m Daniel Turner; Diana b 1811 m John Griffith; Hiram; Asa b 1820 m Catharine Miller; Eliza b 1820 m (1) ___ Cline (2) John B. Watts; Michael; Wheeler
- ii. George Washington (1781-1853) m. (1) Polly Dickinson (2) Sally Page
Children: Eliza (1807-1848) m Sylvanus Young; Harvy (1810-1811); Harry (1812-1889) m Mary Ann Smith; Perry (1813-1873) m (1) Nancy Adelia Pendleton (2) Jane Catherine Wilson; Polly (1820-1896) m David Bronson; Rodney (1821-1897) m (1) Lydia Ann Shepherd (2) Mrs. Cassie (Carpenter) Tupper; John Hector (1824-1853) m Charlotte Rose Weed; Sally (1826-1854) m Earlman R. Hatch; Avoline b 1829 m Simon B. Hatch
- iii. Loami (1784-1855) m (1) Rachel Baker (2) Mary Draubaugh
Children: Rheumilla (1807-1857) m Joel Howe; Baker (1808-1839) m Rebecca Thomas; Phebe b 1810 m David Thatcher; Sarah (1812-1859) m Allen Sharp; Mary Ann b 1814 m (1) Elias Arnold (2) Philemon Noble Hart; Dewey (1816-1868) m Levi Mills; Polly S. (1818-1863) m John Bachman; Polley Saphrona b 1819; Leivona (1821-1860) m Lewis Wesley Bannon; Charles (1822-1864) m Sally Garner; Susanah (1825-1890) m John Walker Apperson; William Perry (1827-1902) m Jemima Thatcher; Mahala (1830-1891) m (1) Jacob Vanmeter (2) Luther Price

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- iv. William Howe (1786-1875) m (1) Betsey Thompson (2) Wdo Phoebe Evans
Children: (1st wife) Maria (1808-1891) m Hiram Wetbrook; William Thompson (1810-1845) m Nancy Lorilla Davis; John Gifford (1812-1883) m Polly Manville; Wheeler Elisha (1814-1886) m (1) Hannah Hayden (2) Elizabeth Reese; Riley (1816-1816); Henry Perry (1817-1891) m Sarah E. Davis; Jane (1819-1866) m Thomas Love; Betsey B. (1821-1832) Matilda (1824-1825); Mahala Ellen (1826-) m James Thorpe Rouse; Philinda (1829-1839); Lafayette (1832-1837)
- v. Rheumilla (1789-1838) m Aaron Osborn (1781-1844)
Children: Nelson A. (1809-1884) m Mary Richmond; Lyman; Emily (1812-1855) m Watterman Dalee; Jane (1814-1884) m William Henry Gardner; Mary Ann (1817-1840) m Levi Thompson Reed; Candace Fidelia (1819-1904) m David Curtis Stewart; Elial Lyman (1821-1831); Elizabeth (Betsey)(1829-1860) m Thomas Ginn
- vi. Phebe (1792-1860) m (1) Amasa Mead (2) John Weed
Children: (1st husb) Angeline m Abel Dodge; Lois Philinda m David Case; Anistine Vilette m Calvin Hills; Catherine Phebe (1820-1904) m Frederick Morgan Webb; Adelia Maria (1803-1892) m Andrew Hodgland Reed; Alonzo (2nd husb) Walter Tartulus (1826-1886) m Lydia Ann Andrews; William; Charlotte Rose (1832-1876) m (1) John Hector Ashley (2) George A. Robb
- vii. Alanson (1793-1857) m Jane Bolton (1792-1876)
Children: Elizabeth (1819-1851) m Elisha Byers; Sarah (1821-1846) m James Jones Markwith; Alanson (1822-1851); Phebe Jane (1827-1898) m Richard Langston Thompson; Anna (1828-1877) m Isaac Hercules; Boltin (1831-1864) m Mary Ann Hercules; Mary
- viii. Elisha (1796-1863/5) m (1) Sally Baker (2) Wdo (Toles) Debra
Children: (1st wife) Joel Loami (1816-1871) m Mary Ann Martin; Julia Ann (1818-1875) m Thomas Kearns
- ix. Harry (1798-1841) m Dorothy Powers
Children: William Riley (1821-1893) m (1) Drusilla Helphrey (2) Mrs. Anna (Helphrey) Woodruff; Eliza Jane m Caleb Roberts; Elisha Wheeler (1820-1904) m Sarah Joyce; Phillip; Daniel Long; Elmira (1830-1894) m Charles Perry Button; Phoebe Ann d 1858 m Charles Hulse
- x. Sardis (1801-1853) m (1) William Reed (2) Alfred Ayers
Children: (2nd husb) Jane (1824-) m Barton Harlan; Ashley b 1826 m (1) Desire Guest (2) Polly Ann Adams; Malinda; Eliza m Joshua Johnaway Bailey; Joel Loami m Lavina Bragg; Allen; Harless; Rheumilla m Richard Freeman; William; Sallie Ann m (1) William Bailey (2) Hickman
- xi. Pamel (1804-1830) m John Higgins (1810-1875)
Children: Orange (1823-1893) m Rebecca Johnson Wright; Thomas Wm. b 1825 m Isabella Wade; Ethan Allen (1827-1891) m Sarah Locke