

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

National Number _____ State Number _____
 ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF THE NATIONAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Pulaski Tenn, Feb. 15, 1925
 TO THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF

The Tennessee Society OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

I, Burford Harlan Jones being of the age of 43 years
 hereby apply for membership in this Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from
Capt. Samuel Jones
 who was born in Granville County N. C. on the _____ day of Oct. 1755
 and died in Mauy County, Tenn. on the _____ day of Oct. 1831
 and who assisted in establishing American Independence.

I was born in Dallas County of Dallas
 State of Texas on the 10th day of February 1885

(1) I am the son of Thomas Meriwether Jones born 1858, died _____, and
 his wife May Burford Jones born 1862, died _____, married 1882
 (2) grandson of W. K. Jones born 1826, died 1880, and
 his wife Mollie E. Harlan born 1832, died 1912, married 1850
 (3) great-grandson of Edward David Jones born 1800, died 1856, and
 his wife Katherine A. E. Willis born 1800, died 1856, married 1819
 (4) great-great-grandson of Samuel Jones born 1755, died 1831, and
 his wife Elizabeth Woodlee born 1773, died 1854, married 1790
 (5) great-great-great-grandson of _____ born _____, died _____, and
 his wife _____ born _____, died _____, married _____
 (6) great-great-great-great-grandson of _____ born _____, died _____, and
 his wife _____ born _____, died _____, married _____
 (7) great-great-great-great-great-grandson of _____ born _____, died _____, and
 his wife _____ born _____, died _____, married _____
 and he, the said _____ (No. _____) is the ancestor who assisted in
 establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of _____

NOTE: It is not absolutely necessary for admission to membership that all blank spaces provided for dates and pre-Revolutionary ancestors be filled, but it is extremely desirable.

Nominated and recommended by the undersigned members of the Society:
[Signature]
[Signature]

Signature of applicant, (Name in full) *Burford Harlan Jones*
 Address *Pulaski Tennessee*
 Occupation *Shoe Manufacture*

ANCESTOR'S SERVICE

"Section 1. Any man shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of twenty-one years or over, and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unflinching in his loyalty to, and rendered active service in, the cause of American independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman, or minute man, in the armed forces of the Continental Congress, or of any one of the several Colonies or States, or as a signer of the Declaration of Independence; or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence; or as a member of any Continental, Provincial, or Colonial Congress or Legislature; or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by overt acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain."—Constitution of National Society S. A. R., Article III, Section 1, adopted June 3, 1907.

Membership is based upon one original claim; when the applicant derives eligibility by descent from more than one ancestor, and it is desired to take advantage thereof, separate applications, to be marked "Supplemental Application," should be made in each case and filed with the original.

State fully such documentary or traditional authority as you found the following record upon, and also the residence of ancestors, with dates of birth and death, if known.

By order of the Board of Trustees, May 3, 1911, the recipient of a certificate granted on this application agrees to surrender his certificate upon failure to pay his membership fee, unless his membership shall cease by reason of death or actual disability, to be determined by the Society of which he is a member.

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

Samuel Jones was a lieutenant in N. C. Line, entered
service Oct. 4 1777, promoted to Captain Sept. 11 1781
and continued as such to close of the war. He was in
the battle of Eutaw and others.
His widow received a Federal Pension.

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U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970

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