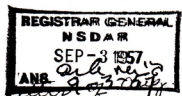


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My Dear Madam: - Replying to your letter regarding my application for membership in D. A. R., I submit the following:

Paragraph no. 1. "Evidence requested covering the approximated dates has not yet been received".
Reply: A few dates on the application were approximated; because it is not possible to get the actual dates. However they do not apply to the genealogical line of my Revolutionary male ancestor except 3rd Generation Lewis Hogg Jr. born ca. 1795 may be changed to 1810 as proved by your paragraph 2, which I will explain below; and birthdate of Richard Hogg Sr the Revolutionary Ancestor, which I have approximated at 1717. Evidence; My reasoning is based on the fact that his marriage date is recorded as Jan 16, 1738 in the Abingdon Parish Register (photostat has been sent to you); and his death ¹⁷⁸⁶ (proved by photostat from War Dept, Washington DC which has been sent you). Since he married in 1738, it seemed to me a reasonable approximated birthday of 21 yrs. earlier would be sufficient evidence; thus ca birthdate 1717. It could have been as late as 1720. One can only base this date on its relation to other dates concerning him; namely marriage in 1738, war service 1775-1781; death by 1786.

Paragraph no. 2 of your letter; "In checking census records for 1850 you find a Lewis Hogg Sr age 77 who was born in Gloucester Co, & a Lewis Hogg, age 45, born in York County with

"son Sam Hogg, age 15."

Reply: Lewis Hogg Sr of Gloucester Co was a relative, a contemporary of ~~my~~ Richard Hogg Sr, Revolutionary Ancestor. Lewis Hogg, age 40 in 1850 is my ancestor. He is the grandson of Richard Hogg Sr, & the son of John Hogg Sr. Of course you know that, in that period of time & for some years later, Junior and Senior did not necessarily apply to father & son. The ~~Frank~~ county records carry many items about these two Lewis Hogs, but they are not at all confusing. Just eliminate Lewis Hogg Sr, from your thinking; I have both of his marriage dates, his will &c. They do not apply to my application.

On the other hand, the Lewis Hogg who was 40 in 1850 & with a son Sam Hogg age 15, is perfect! That is my own Lewis Hogg Jr. (generation 4) born 1810 instead of my former approximation of 1795. Further proof of authenticity of this name & date is the statement "with son Sam Hogg age 15, in 1850." My grand father Samuel Hogg (3rd generation) was born Mar 1, 1836. A census taken in 1850, & possibly the latter part of the year would have found him almost 15. It seems to me this paragraph of your letter strengthens my genealogical line, rather than detracting from evidence of my eligibility.

Paragraph no 3 - "need evidence covering the wife of Lewis Hogg & mother of Samuel as Susan Hubbard"; A notarized copy, with York Co. Seal, of the 2nd marriage of Samuel Hogg to Maria Lindsay 4-26-1866 copied from York Co. marriage register no 1 has already been sent you. This gives the parentage of both bride & groom. Since this woman is not in the male line of descent from ~~my~~ Revolutionary War Ancestor to myself, is it important that you have

A 100% complete genealogy (names & dates) of me? It seems to me, in looking over some of the many D.A.R. Registers at the Va. State Library, that I have seen date approximations and intermarriages listed in the lines of many D.A.R. members, not applying to the Revolutionary Ancestor & his descendants, but to some of the intermarriages. It was on this assumption that I made application.

Paragraph 4. "It appears that a generation may be missing on your paper. The will of John Hogg Sr leaves the use of a room to his son Lewis, not mentioning a wife or children."

Reply: no generation is missing. John Hogg Sr's will "leaves to 'my beloved wife' as long as she lives that part &c; --- after the death of my sd wife, my son Lewis Hogg shall have ---"

Item 2, I give to my son Thomas Hogg ---;

Item 3, I give to my son James Hogg ---

Item 4 - I lend to my daughter Mary Bassett

Item 5. I give to my son Lewis Hogg that part of my land commencing at the Tooth Ache Tree, running down the Lane a South Course & thence a straight line to the Old Mill Dam"

Then he names certain grand children -
(York County Will Book 12, page 368) This has been photostated & sent to you. I wish to state that I have the deed from York Deed Book 8, page 264, when John Hogg Sr bought this land Jan 24, 1814. Also Item 5 in the will above naming son Lewis strengthens my claim. The land in question is a part of my father's estate, now. I could show you the mill dam, & also the tooth-ache bushes (scions of the older tree) which are growing in the yard of my childhood home.

I gave you, as proof of my own parentage a photostated copy of the Biography of William Edward Hogg, quoted from "Virginia Democracy, pages 286-9, A History of Achievements of the Party & its Leaders in the Mother of Commonwealths, the Old Dominion

written by Robert C. Glass & Carter Glass Jr., 3 Royal Octavo Volume, Published by Democratic Historical Association Inc Copyright 1937 by Democratic Hist. Assn. The authors of this book are sons of the late Senator Carter Glass of Va. I am sure you are cognizant of his prominence. William Edward Hogg is my brother, as my father's will proves (photostatic copy of this has been sent you). I had been informed that published works were accepted by the Nat'l D.A.R. as proof of genealogical line for a prospective member. If this information is true, & such is the policy of the D.A.R. then this piece of work by Hon. Carter Glass Sr's sons gives my line. It says "Richard Hogg served with the Colonial forces in the Rev. War & was with the troops at Yorktown.

His Son John Hogg purchased - 9c - in 1814 a part of this being owned by his direct descendants at the present time. The line comes on down thru Lewis Hogg - and Samuel Hogg - ----- names his wife. " Their son

William Henry Hogg was born June 2, 1867 " This is my father. See my application, which gives this line, including date. I can also give you a copy of my birth certificate from Bureau of Vital Statistics page 125 line no 109.

Name of child Elizabeth L. Hogg (e), Date of birth Oct 4, 1891
 Father's name Wm. H. Hogg (e) (occupation; residence, mother's name etc.
 Commissioner of Revenue Geo. E. Bryan, Filed Oct 25, 1892.

I got my copy 23 day of June, 1952.

Very Respectfully

Mrs Elizabeth Lindsay Hogg Ironmonger
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