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Associated Member

Member’s Name: Sara Lebkicker Martin

National Number: 198843

Associated Ancestor (Revolutionary)

BYERS, CHARLES

Ancestor #: A017948
Service: PENNSYLVANIA **Rank:** PRIVATE
Birth: 10 Feb 1757 GERMANY
Death: 13 Sep 1830 LEWISBURG PENNSYLVANIA
Service Description: 1) 2ND REGT.CONT.LINE

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LINEAGE

I Sara Lebkicher Martin being of the age of
 eighteen years and upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal
 descent in the following line from (Dr.) Charles Byer
 who was born in Germany on the 10th day of February 1757
 and died in Lewisburg, Pa on the 13th day of September 1830
 His place of residence during the Revolution was Kutz town - Pa
 I was born in Berwick County of Columbia
 State of Pennsylvania

1. I am the daughter of
Edwin Douglas Lebkicher born December 9 ¹⁸³⁷ died May 30, 1914 and his () wife*
Anna Maria Byer born May 17, 1846 died _____ married June 28, 1866
2. The said Anna Maria Byer was the daughter of
Charles Heilmann Byer born April 5, 1793 ^{Kutz town, Pa -} died July 19, 1860 and his () wife
Sarah Burget born August 6, 1808 ^{Lewisburg, Pa} died Apr. 22, 1892 married Dec 1, 1825
3. The said Charles Heilmann Byer was the son of
(Dr.) Charles Byer born Feb. 10, 1757 ^{Germany - Lewisburg Pa} died Sept. 13, 1830 and his () wife
Polly Heilmann born May 20, 1759 ^{Berks Co. 3} died March 17, 1814 married Oct. 15, 1780
4. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____
5. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____
6. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____
7. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
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8. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____
9. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____
10. The said _____ was the _____ of
 _____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife
 _____ born _____ died _____ married _____

And he, the said (Dr.) Charles Byer
 is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the
 capacity of private

*Wife in every instance in this paper means legal and lawful wife.

Date of marriage may be substituted for dates of birth and death where such date proves
 the soldier to have been living during the Revolution and of a suitable age for service.

Resolution adopted by the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress:

Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.

Do not encroach on this margin, which is needed for binding.

Any woman not less than eighteen years of age, who is descended from a man or woman who gave unfailing loyal service to the cause of American Independence as a recognized patriot, soldier, sailor, or civil officer, in one of the several Colonies or States, or of the United Colonies or States, is eligible to membership in the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution; *provided* she is personally acceptable.

Official proof of service must be furnished with the application; also references to authorities quoted, to show line of descent. *Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records, the applicant must file duplicate certified copies of same.* Statements based upon tradition alone cannot be considered.

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

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

Charles Byer was a student of the University of Leipzig, Germany and came to America early in the Revolutionary War with the Hessian soldiers - But, although he entered the war as a Hessian soldier, he soon enlisted as a private on the side of the Colonies. His name appears among those of the privates in the Second Pennsylvania Regiment -

Charles Byer was a Private in the 2nd Pennsylvania Regiment, Revolutionary War and his name appeared in an alphabetical list of non-commissioned Officers & Privates - Penna. Archives Vol. 2 - Page 866 (5th Series).

This information concerning his Revolutionary Service was received from the Adjutant General's Office - War Dept., Washington D. C.

also - from the

Custodian of Public Records

Harrisburg State Library - Harrisburg - Penna.

After the Revolutionary War he studied medicine and was graduated from a medical college in Philadelphia - Pa -

In 1793 his name appears on the Union County - Penna. assessment list, giving his residence as Lewisburg, Pa., and his occupation as that of a physician - His practice extended throughout Buffalo Valley - Pa., and with Dr. Robert Van Valzele he did all the professional work of the early years of Union County - Pa. It is believed that Dr. Byer was the first medical practitioner to reside in Lewisburg - Pa -

*{ History of Susquehanna & Juniata Valleys of Penna.
Page 1227 -*

*Rupp's Collection - Page 235 - (J. D. Rupp's History)
Annals of Buffalo Valley - John Blair Linn.*

*This record has been accepted under National Number D.A.R. 134349
Lillian Beale - also under*

National Number D.A.R. 134348 Ella Beale

Give below references, by volume and page, to the documentary or other authorities upon which you found your record. *Ad: tit 9 1:24 d 2.15*

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Washington - D.C. - also from - Custodian of Public Records,
Harrisburg State Library - Harrisburg - Pa -
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Ella Beale " " " " " " 134348

Give, if possible, the following data: My Revolutionary ancestor was married

- (1) to Polly Heilmann at Berk Co - Penna - Oct. 15, 1780
(2) to _____ at _____, 1_____
(3) to _____ at _____, 1_____

CHILDREN

Names

Dates of Birth

To Whom Married

Polly		— Hartman
Catherine		John Sargent (1806)
Charles	Apr. 5, 1793	Sarah Sargent - Dec. 1825
Betty		Daniel Ammon
Maria		— Stagner

The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said (Dr.) Charles Dyer
(name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived), is the ancestor mentioned in the fore-
going application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her
knowledge and belief.

(Signature of Applicant) Sara Zebnicko Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Lewistown Pa
this 4th day of September A. D. 1923

Mary V. Bennett
 Notary Public
 My Commission
 Expires 3/3/1925