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The data furnished herein relative to John Marks were obtained from papers on file under claim, W. 4542, based upon his service in the Revolutionary War.

The date and place of birth of John Marks were not stated, nor were the names of his parents given.

John Marks entered the service January 1, 1777, was Captain, Paymaster, and Clothier in the Virginia Line, was in the battle of Monmouth, and continued in the service until February 15, 1781.

His residence after the close of the war was a few miles from Charlottesville, Albemarle County, Virginia.

John Marks married May 13, 1780 in Albemarle County, Virginia, Lucy, who was born February 4, 1753; her maiden name was not given. She was the widow of William Lewis, who was an officer in the Virginia troops, and died in the service November 14, 1779.

John Marks died in the month of April, 1791 in Wilkes County, Georgia, where they were then living.

The widow, Lucy Marks, was allowed pension on account of the service of her husband, John Marks, on her application executed December 7, 1836, at which time she was living in Albemarle County, Virginia. She died in Albemarle County, September 8, 1837.

Children of John Marks and wife, Lucy- John Hastings Marks, and Mary (Polly) Garland Marks, who married William Moore of Alabama.

Jane M. Anderson, daughter of William Lewis and his wife, Lucy, was sixty-seven years of age in 1836, then living in Albemarle County, Virginia, she at that time referred to her brothers Reuben Lewis, and the "late" Merriwether Lewis who died without issue. The said Reuben Lewis died in Albemarle County, Virginia,