

State of Ohio
County of Fairfield

On the twenty fourth day of October AD 1850 personally appeared before me, a justice of the peace within and for the county and state aforesaid, Fielding Alford.....a resident of Fairfield Co.in the state of Ohio duly sworn according tohe is the identical Fielding Alford who....in the companyled by Capt. Matthew Rogers in the Regiment ofMilitia commanded by ..Hill.....with the war with Great Britain declared by the United States on 18th day of June AD 1812 - that he was drafted at the county of Mifflin in the state of Pa. ...and served in said war in said company and regiment until about the 1st of August AD 1813 when he responded to a call from said Regiment by O.H. Perry, Commodore of the fleet on Lake Erie, by volunteering his services, on said fleet until the 1st of December AD 1813, and continued in actual service in said ...fleet until the 11th day of August AD 1813, when he,being in an ill state of health, furnished a substitute for the residue of his said term on said fleet, and received an honorable discharge on the said 11th day of August AD 1813, as will appear by his original certificate of discharge herewith presented.

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the Act granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers, who have been engaged in the Military Service of the United States-passed September 28, 1850

Fielding Alford

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written-And I hereby certify that I believe the said Fielding Alford to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.

G. Stimman J.P

The State of Ohio
Fairfield County
Certify that
acting justice of the peace
in and for said County duly Commissioned
and qualified according to law whose official acts as such
are due sought to be given in Judicature and
Wit my hand and the seal of said
Court at Lancaster this 24th day
of Oct 1907

The State of Ohio
Fairfield County.....

Certify that.....
...the forgoing affidavit (was made and signed)
around this dateacting justice of the peace
in aforesaid county duly commissioned and qualified
according to lawwhose official acts as such
.....are due sought to be given in judicature and
.....

Witness my hand and the seal of said
court at Lancaster this 24th day
(of Oct).....

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

Jan 22nd 1871.

It appears from documents on file in this Office, that
Shielding Alford a private of
Captain Rogers's Company of
Pa Militia, entered the service
on the 10th April 1813 and served till
the 11th Aug 1813, the expiration of his
service

J. H. Callahan
Third Auditor

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS,

Department of the Interior.

Allowed 80 acres

736

Feb 4 1857

to

*Fielding Alford
West Rushville
Fairfield Co.
Ohio*

PA Rogers

No. 2805 Oct 28/38
(70304)?
Fielding Alford priv.
Capt. Rogers
PA Militia Col. Hill
(?) US Naval Service
Com. Perry
1812 (????)

Allowed 80 acres

Warrant no. 736
.....Feb. 4, 1857

.....sent to

Fielding Alford
West Rushville
Fairfield Co.
Ohio

WAR OF 1812.

DECLARATION OF A WIDOW FOR PENSION.

STATE OF OHIO, } SS.
County of Fairfield, }

On this 18th day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy one, personally appear before me C. H. Rainey Clerk, of the Court of Common Pleas, Court of record in and for the county aforesaid, Mary Alford, aged Eighty four years, a resident Richland Twp, county of Fairfield, State of Ohio, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is the widow of Fielding Alford who served the full period of sixty days in the (1) ~~Army~~ service of the United States in the war of 1812; and who was the identical Fielding Alford who (2) volunteered in ~~Nathan~~ Commodore Perry's company, Fleet, regiment, on Lake brigade, Es Division, on Board the Lawrence ~~on~~ ^{to} ~~on~~ ^{about} 2^d day of August 1813, and was honorably discharged at Lake Erie, on the _____ day of _____ 181____; that (3) ~~she~~ was in the naval battle on Lake Erie fought by Commodore Perry Sept. 10. 1813 - that she was married under the name

Mary Humphill to said Fielding Alford on the 13th day of Sept. A. D. 1814; by Rev. Thos. Smith at Millin Co. there being no legal barrier to such marriage, that her said husband died ~~at~~ near Rushville Tenn on the 19th day of February, 1854, and that she has not married since his death that at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States did she or her said husband adhere to the cause of the enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort, exercise the functions of any office whatever under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that she will support the Constitution of the United States; that she not in receipt of a pension under any previous act; that she makes this declaration for the purpose being placed on the pension rolls of the United States, under the provisions of the act approved February 14, 1871, and hereby constitutes and appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, FRITTER, of Lancaster, Ohio, her true and lawful attorney—to prosecute her claim and obtain

pension certificate that may be issued; that her Post-office is at West Rushville, county Fairfield, State of Ohio; and that her domicile or place of abode is near West Rushville same county, Discharge on file in Land of with claim for land warrants, Mary Alford Applicant.

Margaret Murphy } children
Mary E. Baker }

Also, personally appeared Margaret Murphy and Mary E. Baker residing at _____ street, in _____ county, State of Ohio _____ street, in _____ persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn, say: They were pres

Marriage

Fielding Alfred & Mary Hemphill were
married 13th of September in the year of our
Lord 1814 in Tuscarora valley on the
Junata river

Sept. 13, 1814

Fielding Alfred died February the 19th 1834
Feb. 19, 1834

State of Ohio

County of Fairfield

R. P. Alfred, do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true transcript of the family record
the marriages of Fielding Alfred and Mary
Hemphill, and of the death of said Fielding
Alfred, as in copying excepted, but I believe to
be true and correct.

R. P. Alfred

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of
February 1834

Notary Public
for the County of Fairfield