

The George Rogers Clark Chapter

Illinois Society
Sons of the American Revolution

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Sons of the American Revolution

WASHINGTON D.C.

August 5, 1967

Mr. Lloyd D. Bockstruck
418 North Seventh Street
Vandalia, Illinois 62471

Dear Sir:

I am certainly glad to receive your letter and will try to aid you in every way possible. Since I have been doing work similar to yours on a smaller scale, I will be able to get you started and after a while you can help me.

First, I belong to both the Society of the Sons of the Revolution and the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. I am sending you a pamphlet, which will explain the difference. You are eligible for both and since the dues and initiation are tax deductible, you might as well join both. There are both fine organizations and each has its own attributes. The Illinois Society of the Sons of the American Revolution has a local chapter in Springfield and holds several meetings there.

I am enclosing application blanks for both Societies. Pick the ancestor, that you have the most proof and that will be best for making supplements, later. As you can see, it requires documentation for each of the ancestors after ~~for~~ your parents, so wills, etc., will help, as well as printed family histories. I will refer you to the Society Genealogist, who is very strict and will give your work a thorough going over. He is Dr. Harold I. Meyer, 434 Arlington Place, 60614, Chicago, Illinois. You will find the other registrar in the other letter, that I am mailing to you.

I will give you the address of the central files for the two Societies and the DAR. You can write to them to determine, if anyone in your family has already applied for membership using the listed ancestors. It may cost you a few dollars and take a little time, so be patient. I have been working for eight years and have got two approvals and have four in the process.

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Washington, D. C. 20008

Registrar General
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Yours truly,

"He who is forgetful of his ancestry is neglectful of his posterity."

Paul H. Davis

The

George Rogers Clark

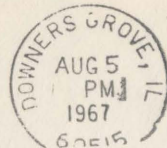
Chapter



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Supplemental Application

National Number 102604

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It is requested that complete dates, month, day and year, be supplied for generations (1), parents, and (2), grandparents of applicant. Complete dates for all generations should be given if possible. Also all names should be given in full.

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State Number 2750

THE Texas SOCIETY

OF THE

SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Of Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck, by descent from Joel Elam

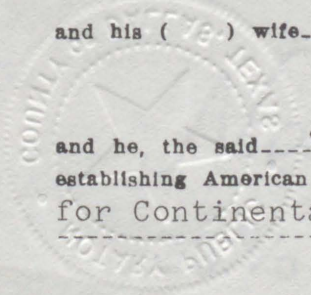
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Quarrell Hunter State Registrar.
 Approved _____ 19
 Registrar General.

I, Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck, am a lineal descendant of Joel Elam, who was born in Henrico Co., Virginia on the _____ day of _____ 17____, and died in Mecklenburg Co., Virginia on the _____ day of _____ 1798, and who assisted in establishing American Independence. Please give all dates in numerals, month first, and all names in full, including wives' maiden names.

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	DATE	PLACE AND STATE
(1) I am the son of <u>Harry Earl Bockstruck</u> born	<u>2-13-1911</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>9-19-1969</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his (1st) wife <u>Olive Elsie Blankenship</u> born	<u>12-2-1916</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died _____	_____
	Married <u>12-2-1940</u>	<u>St. Louis, Mo.</u>
(2) grandson of <u>William Edward Blankenship</u> born	<u>5-28-1880</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>6-8-1942</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his () wife <u>Bertha Elsie Austin</u> born	<u>11-17-1880</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>10-1-1955</u>	<u>Vandalia, Ill.</u>
	died <u>7-16-1902</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
(3) great-grandson of <u>William Henry Blankenship</u> born	<u>9-1-1856</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>7-23-1936</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his (1st) wife <u>Ellen Jane Smith</u> born	<u>1859</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>1881</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	Married <u>3-27-1879</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
(4) great-grandson of <u>Joel Rondeau Smith</u> born	<u>10-12-1826</u>	<u>Caldwell Co., Ky.</u>
	died inter <u>1892-94</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his () wife <u>Charlotte Ann Hasting(s)</u> born	<u>ca. 1836</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died inter <u>1859-60</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	Married <u>7-24-1853</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
(5) great-grandson of <u>William Hasting(s)</u> born	<u>ca. 1788</u>	<u>Amelia Co., Va.</u>
	died <u>1857</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his () wife <u>Nancy Moore</u> born	inter <u>1840-50</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	died <u>8-29-1815</u>	<u>Rutherford Co. N.C.</u>
(6) great-grandson of <u>Philip Burroughs Moore</u> born	<u>ca. 1767</u>	<u>Mecklenburg Co., Va.</u>
	died <u>14 May 1829</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his () wife <u>Phebe Elam</u> born	post <u>1830</u>	<u>Mecklenburg Co., Va.</u>
	died <u>24 Dec. 1789</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	Married _____	<u>Mecklenburg Co., Va.</u>
(7) great-grandson of <u>Joel Elam</u> born	<u>173-</u>	<u>Henrico Co., Va.</u>
	died <u>1798</u>	<u>Mecklenburg Co., Va.</u>
and his (1st) wife <u>Phebe</u> born	pre <u>1790</u>	<u>Mecklenburg Co., Va.</u>
	died _____	_____
	Married _____	_____
(8) great-grandson of _____ born	_____	_____
	died _____	_____
and his () wife _____ born	_____	_____
	died _____	_____
	Married _____	_____

and he, the said Joel Elam (No. 7) is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of a patriot. He furnished for Continental Use 325 cwt beef and 6½ bushels wheat. He signed



legislative petition no. 392 dated 14 May 1777 Mecklenburg Co., Va.
praying that all the natives of Great Britian who have not uniformly
shown their friendly disposition to the American cause, may be
compelled to leave this State, and that some more severe punishment
may be inflicted upon those who depreciate the paper currency of the
United States, and this Commonwelath, upon the credit of which
depends the support of the American War.

Please list below proofs and references for genealogical line by generations:

- (1) supplemental application of William Hasting(s) who died 1786
- ditto
- (2) ditto
- (3) ditto
- (4) ditto
- (5) ditto
- (6) attached report
- (7) supplemental application of Joel Elam through his daughter
~~Sabra Elam who was the wife of Burwell Grigg~~
- (8)

The following are references to the authorities for the record of my ancestor's service.

Katherine B. Elliott, Revolutionary War Records Mecklenburg
County, Virginia, pp. 58, 203-4.

(Signature of applicant) Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck
8925-A ~~Torvald St~~ Torvald St
Dallas, Texas
(Address)

The following affidavit is required

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Dallas } ss: March 5 1981
Personally appeared Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck

signer of the above and foregoing application and statement, and made oath before me that the state-
ments therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Official Signature,

[L. S.]

Julia Waters exp 1-23-85

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The proof of filiation between Nancy Moore of the 5th paragraph and Philip Burroughs and Phebe (Elam) Moore of the 6th paragraph is not direct. A supplemental application through William Hasting(s) of paragraph has been accepted by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. This William Hasting(s) was a son of William and Amey (Hastings) Hastings who served in the American Revolution and died in North Carolina having been a pensioner of the U.S. government first in Rutherford County and then in its daughter county Cleveland County where he died.

The elder William Hastings, the Revolutionary soldier, bought 100 acres on the south side of the First Broad River from William Crowder of Rutherford County, North Carolina for \$50.00 on 10 April 1801. The land was bounded by the property of Philip Moore, Johnson, and Moon. The witnesses to the deed were Robert Crowder, Aaron McIntire, and Burrell Grigg. (Rutherford County, North Carolina Deed Book 21-22, page 268.) This deed is important because it demonstrates that the parents of the couple in paragraph lived on adjoining farms in Rutherford County.

Secondly, from the typed manuscript prepared by the Genealogical Society of Utah (Salt Lake City, 1943), of Rutherford County, North Carolina Marriage Bonds, Part I, comes the following reference on page 135:

groom: Hastin, William
bride: Moore, Nancy
date of bond: 29 August 1815
Bondsman: William (x) Hastin and Phillip Moore
Witness: Thomas Martin

This record is likewise of significance because the bondsmen were the father of the groom and the father of the bride respectively even though no relationship is given on the record.

Thirdly, it is significant that Philip B. Moore and William Hastings, posited father- and son-in-law, left Rutherford County, North Carolina together and migrated to Bond County, Illinois. William Hastings's parents remained behind in North Carolina. It would be reasonable, therefore, to assume that William Hastings's marital connections were the force which caused him to go to the midwest. The 1820 census of Bond County, Illinois has the following:

William Hasting

1 male under 10	1 female under 10
1 male between 16 & 26	1 female between 16 & 26
1 male between 26 & 45	

The extra adult male in the household was William Hastings's brother, Sutton, who was born ca. 1802 in Rutherford County, North Carolina.

The subsequent census entries for William Hastings's household were:

1830 Bond County, Ill.

Phebe Moore

- 1 male between 15 and 20
- 1 female between 10 and 15
- 1 female between 15 and 20
- 1 female between 20 and 30
- 1 female between 50 and 60

In comparing these reports, one can examine the copy of will of Philip Moore listing his legatees and note that many of the females cannot be accounted for. One of these females was undoubtedly the Polly Moore who married Sutton Hasting in Bond County, Illinois on 31 October 1822. Bond County, Illinois Marriage Register I, page 111. If Sutton's older brother William has already married Nancy Moore, posited daughter of Philip B. Moore, it would be quite reasonable for Sutton to court and marry his sister-in-law's sister. Since there was no other Moore family in the area of Bond County where the Hastings lived in 1822, the bride of Sutton Hastings surely must have come from that family.

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Of Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck, by descent from John Langston

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I, Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck, am a lineal descendant of _____
John Langston, who was born in _____ probably Virginia
 on the _____ day of _____ 17____, and died in Greenville Co., S.C.
 on the _____ day of _____ 1790, and who assisted in establishing American Independence. Please give all dates in numerals, month first, and all names in full, including wives' maiden names.

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(5) great-grandson of <u>Aaron Smith</u>	born <u>2-4-1789</u>	<u>Spartanburg Dist., S.C.</u>
	died <u>10-12-1851</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
and his (2nd) wife <u>Mary Laughlin</u>	born <u>1-26-1796</u>	<u>Pendleton Dist., S.C.</u>
	died <u>4-12-1859</u>	<u>Bond Co., Ill.</u>
	Married <u>8-16-1824</u>	<u>Caldwell Co., Ky.</u>
(6) great-grandson of <u>Joel Smith</u>	born _____ 1764	<u>Bucks Co., Penn.</u>
	died _____ 1824	<u>Caldwell Co., Ky.</u>
and his () wife <u>Mary Langston</u>	born <u>1760-70</u>	<u>N.C.</u>
	died <u>post 1830</u>	<u>Caldwell Co., Ky.</u>
	Married _____	<u>S.C.</u>
(7) great-grandson of <u>John Langston</u>	born _____	_____
	died _____ 1790	<u>Greenville Co., S.C.</u>
and his () wife <u>Elizabeth</u>	born _____	_____
	died _____	_____
	Married _____	_____
(8) great-grandson of _____	born _____	_____
	died _____	_____
and his () wife _____	born _____	_____
	died _____	_____
	Married _____	_____

and he, the said John Langston (No 7) is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of a soldier in the militia under Col. Roebuck following the fall of Charleston, South Carolina

Please list below proofs and references for genealogical line by generations:

- (1) supplemental application from Ralph Smith
- (2) ditto
- (3) ditto
- (4) ditto
- (5) ditto
- (6) ditto
- (7) will of John Langston, Greenville Co., S.C. (copy attached)
- (8)

The following are references to the authorities for the record of my ancestor's service.

Audited Account of John Langston, No. 3583

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(Signature of applicant) Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck
(Name in full)
3925-A Travis Street
Dallas, Texas 75204
(Address)

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Official Signature, Julia Waters exp 1-23-85

[L. S.]

ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

Sons of the Revolution



IN THE STATE OF

ILLINOIS

Be it Known, That **Cloyd Dewitt Backstruck**

In the right of the services of **Private Joseph McAdam**; who volunteered at Hawfield, Orange County, N.C. in the spring of 1779 in the company commanded by Captain John Carrington in the Regiment of Colonel Armstrong in the Brigade of General Butler *in the cause of American Independence during the War of the Revolution, has been duly admitted to membership in the Society of the Sons of the Revolution in the State of Illinois, this* 14th day of Nov. *in the Year of our Lord* 1982.



Robert D. Rati

President

Richard J. Mead
Secretary

Donald E. Brodeless
Registrar



The Texas Society
of the
Sons of the American Revolution



This Certifies That
LLOYD DEWITT BOCKSTRUCK
*is a Permanent Life Member of
the Texas Society*

By descent from **JOSEPH McADAMS, N. C.**

Date of Admission 11 January 1974

National Number 102604

Texas Number 2750

Robert L. Kurth M.D.

Texas Society President

Ju M Hill Jr.

Texas Society Secretary

