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Benjamin Owen -
Elizabeth Ferree
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Pa

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
TO
THE NATIONAL SOCIETY
OF THE
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Deceased
12/25/48

State, Pennsylvania

City, Reading

Name of Chapter, Berks County

National Number, 1949

(Miss or Mrs.) Mary Owen Steinmetz

Wife of Widow of Charles Mays Steinmetz

Address 545 Centie Ave., Reading, Pa.

DESCENDANT OF

Benjamin Owen - Owens

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The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application

September 23 1918

Chapter Secretary.

Chapter Regent.
Hannah H. Ferber
Chapter Registrar.

Application and duplicate received by National Society..... SEP 26 1918 191

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Application examined and approved..... Oct. 24 1918

Permit for insignia issued..... 191

Permit for ancestral bar issued..... 191

Grace M. Pierce
Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management..... 191

Indorsement for membership at large

Recording Secretary General.

State Regent.

Signature of Applicant

Nominated and recommended by the undersigned, a member of the Society.

Mary Owen Steinmetz

Residence

545 Centie Ave.
Reading, Pa.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

To be filled out and after being properly endorsed by the local chapter, forwarded to the Registrar General of the National Society, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

When approved by the National Officers one copy will be returned to the Registrar of the Chapter, and the other will be filed with the National Society.

TO THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

I Mary Owen Steinmetz 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 Benjamin (Benjamin) Owens, Owens, Owen who was born in Leacock Twp. Lancaster on the day of 1785 and died in Leacock Twp. Lancaster on the day of Dec. 1786 and who served in the War of the Revolution.

I was born in City of Reading County of Berks State of Pennsylvania.

1. I am the daughter of Benjamin F. Owen born 3-16-1831 died 1-17-1917 and his (2) legal and lawful wife Mary L. Shaaber born 6-25-1845 died 9-3-1913 married 11-7-1867

2. The said Benjamin F. Owen was the son of William Owen born 9-26-1803 died Feb. 1835 and his () legal and lawful wife Louisa Smith born 11-27-1807 died 4-30-1865 married 5-9-1826.

3. The said William Owen was the son of Benjamin Owen born 1765 died Dec. 1824 and his () legal and lawful wife Lydia Evans born 10-1-1767 died 4-12-1827 married 10-30-1794

4. The said Benjamin Owen was the son of Benjamin Owen born 1725 died 1786 and his () legal and lawful wife Elizabeth Ferree born died Feb. 1805 married 1762

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And he, the said Benjamin Owen is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Private

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.

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Any woman may be eligible for membership who is of the age of eighteen years, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unflinching loyalty, rendered material aid to the cause of Independence; from a recognized patriot, a soldier or sailor or a civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or of the United Colonies or States; *Provided that the applicant be acceptable to the Society.*

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:

Class roll of Capt. Martin Huey's Co of the First Battalion Lancaster Co. The name of Benjamin Owens appears as a private of the 8th Class.

Also in a list of the classes of Capt. Martin Huey's Co. as a private of the 8th Class.

Also among the names of the First Battalion Lancaster Co. Associates and Militia, appears the name of Benjamin Owens.

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Give below a reference, by volume and page, to the documentary or other authority upon which you found your record.

- 1- Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series, vol. one Seven, Page 82. ✓
- 2- Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series, vol. one Seven, Page 84. ✓
- 3- Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series, vol. one Seven, Page 99. ✓

Give, if possible, the following data:

My Revolutionary ancestor was married at _____

on the _____ day of _____ 1762.

CHILDREN:

NAMES	DATES OF BIRTH	TO WHOM MARRIED
Ann Owen	Feb. 14, 1763	John Williams.
Jonathan Owen		Ann Bonsall.
Benjamin Owen	1765	Lydia Evans.

The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said Benjamin (Benjamin) Owen, (Owen) (name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived), is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

(Signature of Applicant) Mary Owen Steinmetz.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Reading, Berks Co, Pa.

this 17th day of September A. D. 1915.

(SEAL)

Henry H. Herman
Notary Public
My Commission
Expires Mar. 25, 1921.

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