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

Record Copy

State Massachusetts  
City Fitchburg  
Name of Chapter Fitchburg

National Number 215762  
(Miss or Mrs.) Eldora Bean  
Wife or Widow of Herman E. Bean  
Residence 36 Berkeley St. Fitchburg, Mass.

DESCENDANT OF

Nathan Pushie, Lunenburg, Mass.

The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application.

October thirty first, 1924

Mary Fisher Colburn  
Chapter Regent.

Marian E. Crafts  
Chapter Secretary.

Caroline A. L. Supple  
Chapter Registrar.

Application and duplicate received by National Society JAN 12 1925, 192

Fees received by National Society Jan. 12, 1925

Application examined and approved OCT 22 1925, 192

Inez Stansfield  
Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management OCT 22 1925, 192

Lucy Faye Briggs  
Recording Secretary General.

Indorsement for membership at large

State Regent.

Nominated and recommended by the undersigned members of the Society. Two names of endorsers required, one of whom at least must live in the same town in which the applicant resides, provided there is a Chapter in that town. If there is no Chapter, at least one of the endorsers must be a resident in that State.

Name Mary F. Colburn  
Residence 38 Orgood St.  
Fitchburg, Mass.

Name Mrs. Marian E. Crafts  
Residence 89 Day St.  
Fitchburg, Mass.

When filled out and properly endorsed, the application must be forwarded to the Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R., Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., with the necessary fee and dues. When approved by the National Board, one copy will be returned to the Registrar of the Chapter or to the individual, if joining At Large, and the other will be filed with the National Society.



# LINEAGE

I Eldora Bean 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 Nathan Pushie  
 \* Lunenburg Mass. who was born in Spowich on the Oct. day of Oct., 1758  
 and died in Newport on the 31st day of Oct., 1838  
 His place of residence during the Revolution was Lunenburg Mass.  
 I was born in Antigonish County of Antigonish  
 State of Nova Scotia

1. I am the daughter of  
George Pushie born 1832 died 1873 and his ( ) wife\*  
Margaret Brown born 1857 died ..... married 1882
2. The said George Pushie was the son of  
George Pushie Sr. born 1804 died 1875 and his ( ) wife  
Nathaniel Chisholm born 1799 died 1873 married 1821
3. The said George Pushie Sr. was the son of  
Nathan Pushie born 1758 died 1838 and his ( ) wife  
Mrs. Porter born 1748 died 1853 married 1784  
Sarah Brown born 1748 died 1853 married 1784
4. The said Nathan Pushie was the son of  
Nathan Pushie Sr. born 1732 died ..... and his ( ) wife  
Elizabeth Priest born ..... died ..... married 1757
5. The said Nathan Pushie Sr. was the son of  
Gabriel Pushie born ..... died 1775 and his ( ) wife  
Sarah Williams born ..... died ..... married 1726
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  
..... born ..... died ..... married .....
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 Nathan Pushie  
 is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the  
 capacity of Private and Trumpet-Major

\*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.

\* From Pension Record.

\*\* See letter bound.

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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:

Pushee, Nathan. Lunenburg. Capt Phineas Cook's Co.  
Col Gardner's regt.; receipt for advance pay, signed  
by said Pushee and others, dated Camp at Cambridge,  
June 27, 1775; also, Private, Capt Cook's Co., 37<sup>th</sup> regt.;  
Company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; also, list of men  
raised to serve in the Continental Army from  
Capt David Carlisle's Co., 8<sup>th</sup> Worcester Co. regt.  
as returned to Col Abijah Stearns; residence  
Lunenburg; engaged for town of Lunenburg;  
term, 3 years; also Trumpet Major, Lieut  
Col. William Washington's (3d) regt. of light  
dragoons; Continental Army pay accounts  
for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to Dec. 13, 1779;  
reported discharged Dec. 13, 1779; also,  
account rendered against United States  
for amounts paid by the Commonwealth  
to Major. Caleb Gibbs and men in Col.  
Washington's guards and others as exhibited  
by Committee on Claims in behalf of Mass-  
achusetts against the United States.  
Sept. 21, 1787



Give below references, by volume and page, to the documentary or other authorities upon which you found your record.

Massachusetts soldiers and sailors  
Volume 12 pages 853-854  
In an issue of the Acadian Recorder  
of Halifax Nova Scotia

Verified By National Number 135391

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

(1) to Jane Brown Porter at Antigonish, N.S., 1784

(2) to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, 1\_\_\_\_\_

(3) to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, 1 \_\_\_\_\_

## CHILDREN

Names

*Dates of Birth*

*To Whom Married*

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The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said.

(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)

Eldora Bean

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Fitchburg, Massachusetts,

this twenty-ninth day of October, A. D. 1924 [SEAL]

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Alvah M. Levy.  
Notary Public.