

THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

BOUNTY LAND FILES

ACT OF *5-1-70*

VETERAN *John H. Johnson*

GRADE *C-1*

SERVICE *R*

CAN NO. *21*

BUNDLE NO.

12.688 acres Dec. 30/50

Sarah Pierce widow
Daniel Pierce dec'd P's';
Capt. Nathan Boone
(Mo) - W.T. Rangers

Wt. Aug. 7. 32 J
dis; " " 33 Msl 1/12

Dinch, Within

110.40 acres Seado
Reaffirmed

1 witness to above,

John D.

Warrent 21.949
Ips Octo 17/51

J. Cartt

James A. Britton Troy
Mo:

Bwh 32 B 66
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Oct 28/52

Entitled to Supplements of 80 and
40 acres to be sent to

James W. Britton
Troy Mo.

(Add:)
WT 44.900 Ass
Nov 2/52 Supplemental to
WT. No 21.949 for 40 acres

Warrant No 73.981 iss'd H W
Nov 1852. Supplemental to
No 21.949 for 40 acres, and
No 44.900 for 80 acres.

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State of Missouri.
County of Lincoln. } 55.

On this 24th day of August 1852
personally appeared before me, William L. Cooper a Justice
of the Peace in and for Said County and State, Sarah Pearce
widow of Daniel Pearce of Said County & State, and makes
oath, that the military Land Warrant for 40 acres
of Land, numbered 21.949, granted her by Said Sarah
Pearce, for Military Services rendered by her Said husband
Daniel Pearce, in the Black Hawk War, the Declaration
for which Services was transmitted to the Pension Depart-
ment in December 1850, has been by her transferred.

She thereupon respectfully asks of the Department
an increased Warrant for said Services, rendered by her
said husband, having as is shown by her declaration and
Discharge therewith accompanying, transmitted, that he
performed Military Services in Said War, and other mili-
tary requirements, the term of Twelve months.

She therefore insists that her Warrant should be
enlarged by 120 acres.

Sarah Pearce
her mark.

Subscribed and sworn to, before me, this 24th day of August
1852.

W. L. Cooper J.P.

State of Missouri

County of Lincoln. I hereby certify that William L. Cooper Esq. before whom the foregoing
affidavit was made and who has hereunto subscribed his name, was at the time of so doing a
Justice of the peace in and for the County aforesaid, duly commissioned & sworn, and that his
signature thereto is genuine. In witness whereof I Francis Parker Clerk of
the County Court of said County hereto set my hand and
affix the seal of said Court at office this 15th day of September
1852. —

Francis Parker Clerk

To the Commissioner of Pensions.

Washington. D.C.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed, I send

on the application for increased Land warrant of 80 & 40 acres,
to Mrs Sarah Pierco, for Military Services by her husband
Daniel Pierco, in the Black Hawk War, rendered.

Mrs. Sarah Pierco has (now), on transmitting her declaration,
12 months service in the Black Hawk War.

Please forward her warrants at your earliest convenience.

I will this abov in the office of Col. James H. Britton,-
entrusted with the business of Mrs. Sarah Pierco, with your
Department.

Respectfully.

William Young



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Sarah Pierce, widow
of Daniel Pierce deceased
Black Mifflin Ward.

11949-40 Sarah Pierce
Appl'd for increase

John C. Miller

Young & Son Warrant

Presented by
James M. Britton

J. Roy
Middendorf

To all Whom it may concern

Know Ye. that Daniel Pierce a private of Captain
Nathan Boones company of U.S. Mounted Rangers
who was enlisted the seventh day of August one thousand
and eight hundred and thirtytwo to serve one year
is hereby honorably discharged from the Army of the
United States by reason of the expiration of his
term of service, Said Pierce was born in Columbia
County in the State of Georgia, aged thirtyfour years
and by occupation a farmer
Given at the Rangers camp this twentieth day of August 1833

Samuel Ford Capt M.S.
Commanding Detach

She makes this declaration for the purpose of claiming the bounty land
to which she may be entitled under and act passed September 28, 1850.

Witness

William Young

Sarah ^{her} Pierce
^{mark}

State of Missouri
County of Lincoln

On this Twelfth day of December One thousand Eight hundred
and fifty, personally appeared before me, Francis Parker Clerk of the County
Court, and duly authorized to administer oaths in and for the County and State
aforesaid Sarah Pierce aged 53 years, a resident of Lincoln County,
in the State of Missouri, who being duly sworn according to law, declares,
that she is the widow of Daniel Pierce deceased, who was a private
in the company of United States Mounted Rangers commanded by Captain
Nathan Boone, (Regiment & Colonel thereof not recollect) in the Black
Hawk War, that her said husband Daniel Pierce, at the County
of St. Charles and State of Missouri, on the seventh day of August
A.D. 1832, volunteered in Said Company for the Term of Twelve Months,
and continued in actual Service in Said War for the Term of Twelve Months,
and was honorably discharged, at the Ranger's Camp near Fort Gibson, on
the seventh day of August A.D. 1833, by reason of the expiration of his
term of Service, as will appear by the Muster Rolls of Said Company,
and his written Certificate of discharge herewith forwarded and
presented.

She further states, that she was married to the said Daniel Pierce
in the County of Rutherford, and State of Tennessee in the latter part of
December A.D. 1817, by one William Edwards a Justice of the Peace
that her name before her said marriage, was Sarah Creek; that her said
husband died at the County of Lincoln, in the State of Missouri, on the 11th
day of June A.D. 1845, and that she is still a widow. She moreover states
that she is not aware of any public or private record of her said marriage,
and submits the following proof of said marriage.

She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land
to which she may be entitled under and act passed September 28, 1850.

Witness

William Young

for
Sarah J. Pierce
mark

State of Missouri,
County of Lincoln.

On this Twelfth day of December A.D. One thousand eight hundred
and fifty, personally appeared before me, Francis Parker, Clerk of the County
Court, and duly authorized to administer oaths, in the Said County and
State aforesaid, Joshua Creek a resident of the State of Missouri and
County of Lincoln, who being duly sworn ^{deposes} according to law, that Sarah
Pierce is the widow of Daniel Pierce deceased, who was a private in the
company of United States Mounted Rangers, commanded by Captain
Nathan Boone, (Regiment & Colonel thereof not known) in the Black
Hawk War; that the Said Sarah Pierce was married to the Said
Daniel Pierce deceased, in the presence of Said Joshua Creek, defendant,
at the County of Rutherford and State of Tennessee, on one of the last days
of December A.D. 1817, by one William Edwards, a Justice of the Peace
within the County of Rutherford & State of Tennessee; and that they have
known the parties in the life time of the husband, and knew them to live together
as husband & wife and to be so reputed; that the name of the Said Sarah Pierce
before her marriage aforesaid was Sarah Creek, that her husband, the
Said Daniel Pierce died at the County of Lincoln and State of Missouri,
on the 14th day of June 1845, for said defendant was a near neighbor
of said deceased and was cognizant of his death
and that she is still a widow. - That he is a disinterested witness.

Witness
William Young

Joshua X Creek
^{his}
mark

State of Illinois
County of Lincoln 3rd I Francis Parker Clerk of the County
Court witness and for the County and State aforesaid certify
that the witness and foregoing declaration of Sarah Pierce
was sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and
year therein first above written and that the witness and
foregoing deposition of Joshua Creek was also sworn to
and subscribed before me the day and year therein first
above written and that said Joshua Creek is a credible
witness I further certify that said County Court is a
Court of Record having general jurisdiction.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of said
County Court at office this 12th day of
December 1850 aforesaid

Francis Parker Clerk

The commissioners of Pemiscot will please send my warrant
to James W. Bottom of Troy, Missouri, who will receive it,
and hold the same to me.

Dec 12. 1850.

Just.

Wm Young

^{bds}
Sarah D. Pierce
Marshall

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Mrs. Frank Price

Indore

Sonnie ~~Price~~ and
Leighne
Black Hawk Man

H. J. Rahey

Bunty and Cherie

Presented by
Mrs. H. J. Rahey
for Mo.