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Associated Member

Member's Name: Clara H. Johnson

National Number: 198613

Associated Ancestor (Revolutionary)

COLT, AMHERST

Ancestor #: A024616
Service: CONNECTICUT **Rank:** PRIVATE
Birth: 27 Jul 1759 LYME NEW LONDON CO CONNECTICUT
Death: 25 Jan 1830 CHESTER ROCKINGHAM CO NEW HAMPSHIRE
Service Source: JOHNSTON, CT MEN IN THE REV, PP 205, 206, 209, 530, 533, 534
Service Description: 1) CAPTS ELISHA ELY, THOMAS WHEELER; COLS WILLIAM DOUGLAS,
2) CT LINE

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LINEAGE

I Clara Holcomb Johnson 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 Dr. Amhurst Colt or Coult who was born in Lyme Conn on the 27th day of July, 1759 and died in Auburn N H on the 25th day of Jan, 1890 His place of residence during the Revolution was Lyme Conn I was born in Worcester Mass County of Worcester State of Mass

1. I am the daughter of

Harrison V Babbitt born Mar 31"1812 died Aug 4"1885 and his (1) wife* Marilla Converse Babbitt born Sept 7"1826 died Jan 5"1892 married May 15"1848

2. The said Marilla Converse Babbitt was the daughter of

Joel Converse born Nov 5"1785 died May 22"1874 and his (2) wife Abigail Colt Converse born Mar 6"1791 died Oct 11"1869 married Apr 4"1814

3. The said Abigail Colt Converse was the daughter of

Dr. Amhurst Colt born July 27"1759 died Jan 20"1830 and his (✓) wife Miriam Giddings Colt born Apr 22"1762 died Oct 29"1805 married Sept 12"1784

4. The said _____ was the _____ of

_____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife _____ born _____ died _____ married _____

5. The said _____ was the _____ of

_____ born _____ died _____ and his () wife _____ born _____ died _____ married _____

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_____ 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 Dr. Amhurst Colt

is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Private Quartermaster - Sergeant & Surgeon

*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.

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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:

Amherst Colt enlisted April 19th 1777 - was discharged 8 months after.

Capt Wheeler Co, Col Chapin's regiment 1778 Aug 3rd, discharged Sept 12th 1779

"From Aug 3rd 1777 was at head quarters was quartermaster Sergeant and Surgeon Discharged Jan 1st 1778 called to arms again Apr 6th 1778 was on board a River Sloop - as surgeon Mate under Dr Boyed. July 7th 1779 Received orders from Gov. Trumbull to raise guard and take command of Post at mouth of Connecticut River."

(Taken from diary of Dr Amherst Colt that is now in possession his grand Son Frank Colt of Auburn N. H.)

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

Family Records:
 Connecticut Men in The Revolution, Page 309-
 314.

Also National number 27453.

Verified By National Number 109984

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

- (1) to Miriam Giddings at Northford, Conn. Sept 12, 1784
- (2) to Mercy Giddings at Lebanon, New H. Sept 28, 1806
- (3) to at, 1.....

CHILDREN

Names	Dates of Birth	To Whom Married
<u>John Colt</u>	<u>June 10" 1785</u>	<u>Died June 10" 1785</u>
<u>Robert Gardner Colt</u>	<u>July 15" 1787</u>	<u>Mary Smith Jan 20" 1813</u>
<u>Miriam Colt</u>	<u>April 18, 1789</u>	<u>"Silas Perkins 2" June Holcomb</u>
<u>Abigail Colt</u>	<u>Mar 6" 1791</u>	<u>Joel Connor Apr 4" 1814</u>
<u>William Colt</u>	<u>June 6" 1793</u>	<u>Laura Case March 26" 1818</u>
<u>Aseneth Colt</u>	<u>May 1st 1795</u>	<u>Isaac Case</u>
<u>Amherst Colt</u>	<u>May 12, 1797</u>	<u>Ann. Chase</u>
<u>Mary Colt</u>	<u>March 9, 1799</u>	<u>Samuel Colby</u>
<u>Lexdia Colt</u>	<u>March 9, 1799</u>	<u>Garhus Colby</u>
<u>Joseph Colt</u>	<u>June 22, 1801</u>	<u>died June, 1801.</u>
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The following form of acknowledgment is required:

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

(Signature of Applicant) Clara H. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Andover

this 6th day of Feb. A. D. 1924

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My Commission Expires Feb 1, 1925
John Johnson
Notary Public

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