


# THOMAS MCCOLLUM

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McCollum, Tho <sup>6</sup>	Inactive Duty MESA
Rank Pvt.	
Lieutenancy Cumberland	County. Battalion 7th 9 <sup>th</sup> Co.
Company Capt. Thomas Clark	Class 3th
Remarks: "Do" <sup>c</sup>	Order from Council Dated March 23, 1778
Fine Book of John Carothers, Cnty. Lt., p. 21.	
Authority: Unit <del>MESA</del> Roll for the period 1775	
[Certified _____ Dated _____	Master Fines \$ 40 _____]
<i>"Military Accounts: Militia," Records of the Comptroller General, at D. F. R.</i>	

## BABB'S MILL CEMETERY



Original Tombstone



Born August 20, 1751  
Died July 1, 1806

**D.A.R. RECORD**

MCCOLLUM, THOMAS Ancestor #: A075399

Service: PENNSYLVANIA Rank: PRIVATE

Birth: 8-20-1751 IRELAND

Death: 7-1-1806 GREENE CO TENNESSEE

Service Description: 1) CUMBERLAND CO MILITIA, 1778

Residence

1) City: TYRONE TWP - County: CUMBERLAND CO - State: PENNSYLVANIA

Spouse Name

1)MARY VENEMAN

Original Request

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Reference Code: RZTBXFPK

Requestor: Michael Mankin (thelostcause@embarqmail.com)

Patriot First Name: Thomas I.

Patriot Last Name: McCollum

Birth: Aug. 1751 Cumberland, Penn.

Death: Greene Co., Tenn.

War Time Residence: Tenn.

Spouse First Name: Mary Veneman

Comments: Is Listed in 'Tenn. Soldiers in the Revolution,' Index to Soldiers, I - 13-2.

\*\*\*\*\*12/14/2010\*\*\*\*\*

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by Edward C. McAmis

McCollum, Thomas Sr., b. 1751 Cumberland Co., PA.? s/o James & Eliz. McCollum. Thos. is said to have m Mary Veneman perhaps in Cumberland Co., PA. Thos. Sr. was a Soldier in the Rev. War 7th Battalion Cumberland Co., PA. Militia. He is reported to have lived at the time in Tyrone Twp., Cumberland Co., PA. He migrated to today's Tennessee c. 1779 (Washington Co., N.C.) Thos. was also thought to have been in the battle of King's Mtn. in the yr 1780. In the yr c. 1790 Thomas settled on the Southern Fork of Horse Camp Fork of Lick Ck., Gr. TN. (his home is said to be still standing). Thos. & Mary & had known issue; Susannah b/c 1772 m Alex. Hall in the yr 1793 Wash. Co., TN.; Marg. b/c 1774 m Alex. Armstrong in the yr 1795 Gr. TN. John Kennedy sec.; Alex. m Esther Dunwoody b/c 1775 in the yr 1796 Gr. TN. Thos. Rodgers sec. & Dan Rawlings D.C.C.; Mary b/c 1777 m Wm. Parks in the yr 1798 Gr. TN. Francis Hughs & Wm. Armstrong attending.; John m Sarah Doty b/c 1786 in the yr 1807 Gr. TN. Absolom Stonecypher sec.; Elizabeth "Betsy" b/c 1787 m Francis Hughes a minor in the yr 1808 Gr. TN. John Hughes Sr. & Sam Balch attending.; James m Rachel Jones b/c 1791 in the yr 1812 Gr. TN. Francis Hughes Jr. sec.; & Thomas McCollum Jr.

The McCollum house still stands in the Newmansville area. It is a large two story house, located about 1/2 mile off Hy 93.



Massive fireplace in the McCollum Home.

**1806 COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
GREENE COUNTY**

Mary McCollum widow and relict of Thomas McCollum Senr., decd., appeared in Court and relinquished her right to the administration of the said decedants estate, to Thomas McCollum Junr. and Alexander Armstrong of this County and on motion of the said Thomas McCollum Junr. and Alexander Armstrong, who entered into Bond together with James Loyd, Michael Fraker, John Williams and Bable Benson their securities in the sum of three thousand dollars payable to the Governor for the time being and to his successors in Office, administration is granted them on said estate, and the said Thomas McCollum Junr. and Alexander Armstrong, having taken the oath of administration, It is ordered that letters issue to them accordingly.

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James McCollum, a minor Orphan, and son of Thomas McCollum, decd., being upward of 14 years of age, appeared in Court and made choice of Mary McCollum as his Guardian. Whereupon the said Mary McCollum together with Isariah Doty her Security entered into and acknowledged their bond to Benjamin McNutt Esq. chairman of this Court, in the sum of \$500 with condition as the law directs.

Elizabeth McCollum a minor Orphan and daughter of Thomas McCollum, decd., being 14 years of age and upward, appeared in Court and with the assent of the Court, made choice of James Jones of this County as her guardian. Whereupon the said James Jones together with Ellis Ellis his security entered into and acknowledged their bond to Benjamin McNutt Chairman of this Court, in the sum of \$500 with condition as the law directs.

**[Thomas McCollum Junior would died only a few years later, when his  
Will was probated in Greene County on October 28, 1816]**

**MCCOLLUM FAMILY 'NOTES'**

Children of **Thomas McCollum** and **Mary Van Eman** are:

**Alexander McCollum**, b. October 11, 1771, „PA or MD, d. October 14, 1847, „Blount Co., TN.

**Susannah McCollum**, b. Abt. 1774, „MD, d. Aft. 1850.

**\*\*\*\*Margaret McCollum**, b. 1775, d. Bef. 1826.

**Mary McCollum**, b. September 03, 1777, „MD, d. April 16, 1856, „Bradley Co., TN.

**Thomas McCollum**, b. November 1779, d. August 18, 1816.

**John McCollum**, b. January 20, 1781, d. August 26, 1841.

**Elizabeth McCollum**, b. July 25, 1789, Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD, d. July 18, 1854, „Polk Co, TN.

**James McCollum**, b. November 10, 1791, d. July 14, 1860.