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Dec. 27, 1922.

Miss Ida M. Tarbill,
120 E. 19th St.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 22nd inst. the name of Hananiah Lincoln appears on the muster rolls of the War of the Revolution as a Sergeant in Captain George Nagle's Company, Colonel William Thompson's Battalion of Riflemen, (Enlisted at Reading, Berks County). A letter dated "Camp at Cambridge, July 24, 1775," says: "The Reading Company of rifles got into camp last Tuesday (18th); the rest are hourly expected and much wanted". Hananiah Lincoln, Oct. 4, 1776 was a First Lieutenant in the Twelfth Pennsylvania Regiment, Continental Line, William Cooke, Colonel. He resigned after the battle of Brandywine, on account of promotions over him, and went to Daniel Boone's settlement in Kentucky. March 20, 1777, Hananiah Lincoln appears as Captain in the Twelfth Pennsylvania Regiment, resigned Oct. 17, 1777. Page 38, Volume Two, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series, also pages 671, 674, 679, 683, Volume Three, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series. If you desire Certificate showing the above record, we shall be glad to furnish it for One (\$1.00) Dollar, (draft or money-order), Fee made necessary

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Very sincerely yours,

J. J. Sheetz

Custodian of the Public Records.

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Jan. 3, 1923.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby Certify that one HANANIAH LINCOLN was a Sergeant in Captain George Nagel's Company, Colonel William Thompson's Battalion of Riflemen, (Enlisted at Reading, Berks County), A letter dated "Camp at Cambridge, July 24, 1775", says: "The Reading Company of rifles got into camp last Tuesday (18th); the rest are hourly expected and much wanted". He was promoted First Lieutenant Oct. 4, 1776, in the Twelfth Pennsylvania Regiment, Continental Line, William Cook, Colonel; resigned after the battle of Brandywine, on account of promotions over him, and went to Daniel Boone's settlement in Kentucky. He was Captain May 20, 1777, in the Twelfth Pennsylvania Regiment and resigned Oct. 17, 1777.

See page 38, Volume Two, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series, also pages 671, 674, 679, 683, Volume Three, Pennsylvania Archives, Fifth Series.

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In testimony whereof
I hereby Affix the Seal
of this Department

