

**Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements &  
Rosters**

Pension application of James Stigel R10208 and W10208

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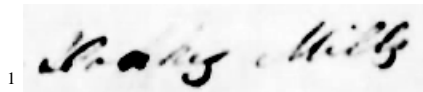
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State of Ohio, Brown County State of Ohio, Brown County

On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1835 personally appeared in open Court before the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County James Stigel a resident of said County of Brown aged seventy five years against the 25<sup>th</sup> day of next December as well as this applicant now recollects, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following Declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision of the Act of Congress passed June 7th, 1832. That he entered the service of the United States early in the month of June 1780 to the best of his recollection as a substitute for his brother Francis Stigel under Colonel Campbell [William Campbell], Captain John Hays [also sometimes spelled "Hayes" in this application] & Lieutenant Ezekiel Young (the other officers not remembered) in the County of Albemarle and State of Virginia at which time this Applicant himself was residing in Grayson County in said State of Virginia. He also states that after he joined Colonel Campbell they first went down New River to the Lead mines having first rendezvoused at Drake's [?]<sup>1</sup> Mills at the head of Holston [River]. They then went to King's Mountain and there had a skirmish with the Tories under Furguson [sic, Patrick Ferguson] who was killed during the conflict, and took a number of Tories Prisoners and then went on with the prisoners to Albemarle to the barracks but before they arrived there they met the news of peace and the Tories were sent at liberty and this Applicant came home to Grayson County where he then resided he states that on returning home he came by the house of Captain John Hays in Montgomery County and State of Virginia & received a discharge from him for a tour of duty which discharge is dated 21 day of June 1783. He also states that after the battle at King's Mountain near Salisbury Captain Hayes went home and this applicant enlisted in Salathiel Martin's Company during the war under Colonel Cleveland [Benjamin Cleveland] and Sumpter [sic, Thomas Sumter] General under which last named officers he continued until news of peace came and this Applicant went home as before named and obtained his discharge in June 1783. This applicant further states that he was under Captain Hayes for the space of a year or thereabouts and in all afterwards about or near two years under Captain Salathiel Martin – that he never obtained any discharge until the

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close of the war and then the one for his service as a Substitute under Hayes for his brother which was for only a year or such a matter. He also states that he was born in the County of Orange State of Virginia, from Orange County he went to Henry County said State; from Henry County to said Grayson where his father lived with whom this applicant then stayed; and lived in Grayson for about twenty five years after the close of the war and then removed to Scott County and State of Virginia where this applicant resided for about ten years and then removed to Floyd County and State of Kentucky and living in said County of Floyd about five years then went to Morgan County Kentucky where this Applicant lived until within since the last of May last since where he has lived in said County of Brown Ohio. He also states that he has no record of his age – that the record of his age was one made in the Bible of his father but by time has become lost or destroyed – he knows of no person in his present neighborhood who can testify as to his character for veracity and their belief of his services as a soldier of the Revolution – except his children who are now residing with him. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or an annuity, except the present, and declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of any Agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed in open court on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1835.

S/ James Stagel, J his mark

S/ G. H. King, Clerk [unsure of the “G. H.”]

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Montgomery County in the State of Virginia

I do sartify that James Stagol hath served a tower of Duty under my Command at the head of Clynoch as substitute for Francis Stagol, Given under my hand this 21st day of June 1785

S/ John Hays Capt.

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