

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Benjamin Carter R1740

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State of Tennessee Grainger County: July the 29th 1851

This day appeared Robert Carter before me one of the Justices of the peace for Grainger County & made oath in due form of law that Benjamin Carter the father of Thornton Carter served two three-month tours in the Revolutionary war between Great Britain & the United States and that the said Benjamin Carter died in Chatham County North Carolina in the year of our Lord 1831, and Fulton Carter is the lawful heir of the said Benjamin Carter.

Sworn to & subscribed before made this 29th day of July 1851 = One of the tours was served under Captain Richard Snepson

Attest

S/ Abraham Haynes, JP

S/ Robert Carter, X his mark

[In the State of Alabama Lauderdale County on July 10th, 1851, Thornton Carter executed a power of attorney authorizing his attorney to pursue whatever write he might have as the son and heir of his father Benjamin Carter a soldier of the revolution who died in Chatham County North Carolina.]