

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Folkner Henry

VA
(Falkner, Fortner)

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Declaration

In order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832.

State of Tennessee

Knox County

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On this 21st of December 1844 personally appeared in open court before the worshipful County Court Henry Falkner, a resident in the county and state aforesaid aged eighty three years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. That he enlisted in the army of the United States in the war of the revolution December 20th 1782. Seventeen hundred and eighty two in the town of Winchester in the state of Virginia in Captain Samuel Clark's troop of cavalry for during the war. Declarant marched [sic] from Winchester Virginia to Norfolk under the command of Gen. Morgan and was there stationed in the peach orchard in _____ of this town and was then discharged in November 1783 at the close of the war. He further declares that he received his discharge from Gen. Morgan and on his return home from the service he lost his discharge in crossing the Shenandoah River with all of this affiant's clothing. The loss of which is the cause and reason why he never made application for a pension before. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or an annuity except the present and he declares that his name is not on the pension roll of any agency in any state. Sworn to and subscribed in open court the day and year last above written. Affiant further declares that his name on the rolls may of been spelt Falkner or Fortner.

Henry Folkner

x his mark

[routine county certification:

Henry Baldwin, neighbor

Robert H Luttrell, neighbor

Geo W C Cox, clerk

J. W. Blackwell, congressman