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Pension application of Thomas Hopper R5222

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State of Tennessee County of Carroll: SS

On this 22nd day of July A.D. 1853, personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace, within and for the County and State aforesaid, Thomas Hopper, aged 106 years, a resident of Carroll County, in the State of Tennessee, who being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed June 7th, 1832. That he enlisted in the Army of the United States, at King's Creek, near King's Mountain, in the State of South Carolina, and served under General Morgan, his Colonel he believes to be picking, he was living on King's Creek, at the time he enlisted, and went from there to Guilford Court-house, in the State of North Carolina, and were stationed 2 or 3 miles distant from that place for one night and on the following morning we were attacked by the British Army and that several days after we had another engagement with the British at a mill on Deep River, and routed them, and he was next engaged at the battle of the Cowpens, his memory on account of his old age, is so defective, that he cannot remember the various routes and engagements of the Army. He further declares that he served as a private for the term of 3 years, or more, and that he was honorably discharged.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and he declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of any Agency in any State.

S/ Thomas Hopper, X his mark