

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Meredith Lambert R6100

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Kentucky Green County SS

On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1845 Meredith Lambert of the County of Heart [sic] and State of Kentucky personally appeared before me an acting justice of the peace for the County of Green and State of Kentucky aged Eighty-four years the 10<sup>th</sup> day of last January 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 made by the act of Congress passed June 7<sup>th</sup> 1832 that he enlisted in the County of Hanover and State of Virginia in the Army of the United States for nine months in the time of the Revolutionary war the particular year not recollected and served in a Regiment commanded by Colonel William Dandridge in the line of the State of Virginia under the following officers Captain James Dabney and was transferred to the command of Captain Robert Dandridge and at the end of his term was discharged near Petersburg in Virginia and then enlisted for nine months more and served in a Regiment commanded by Colonel Wilkerson a part of the time in a company sometimes commanded by an officer named William Hagan and was stationed at different places in Virginia particularly at Isle of Wight and Gloucester and Norfolk at the end of which service he was discharged in Gloucester or Middlesex Counties Virginia it being near the line of both Counties.

That shortly after his second discharge he enlisted again near Petersburg Virginia for during the war in a Regiment commanded by General Wayne as Wayne was marching to the South his Colonel and other officers he don't recollect. His house having been in his discharges with it some years ago that he was at the Battle of the Cowpens [January 17, 1781] under Morgan [Daniel Morgan] and was in the Battle at York Town when Cornwallis surrendered [October 19, 1781] and was afterwards discharged but how long after the war he does not recollect. That he hereby relinquishes every claim whatsoever 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 before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1845.

S/ Meredith Lambert, X his mark

The above has been sworn to before me this day I do certify that the above Meredith Lambert lives in my neighborhood and I do not recollect to have heard any more harm of him and I do not believe that he is well able to attend Court by reason of his infirmity.

April 8<sup>th</sup> 1845

S/ Hugh Mitchell, JP

I do certify that I have known the above Meredith Lambert for about 30 years and have ever since my acquaintance with him understood and believe that he was a Revolutionary Soldier and consider him a Respectable man and have understood and believe that he wants got his dwelling

house burnt. Given under my hand this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1845  
S/ Wm Thompson

Sir My reason for making my Declaration in Green County instead of Hart County is that I live within four hundred yards of the Green line and immediately in the neighborhood of Hugh Mitchell Esquire There is no justice of the peace in my neighborhood in Hart County and I have no acquaintance with my magistrate in Hart County. If you want any further account of my pedigree it can be furnished please answer me to Greensburg Green County Kentucky.

I am respectfully

S/ Meredith Lambert, X his mark