

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Robertson R8885

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State of Tennessee County of Grainger: On this 19th day of September 1854 personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace within and for the County and State aforesaid William Robertson aged eighty-six years a resident of said County who being duly sworn according to law declares that he is the son of John Robertson who served in Captain Roads' [Rhodes'] Company of Infantry, Colonel Little's [Archibald Lytle's?] Regiment under General Green [sic, Nathanael Greene], Bedford County Virginia in the war of the revolution.

The said John Robertson continued in actual service until the close of the war when he was discharged which will appear by the muster roll of his company. After the war was ended his father moved with his family to Tennessee, where he died in the year 1840 aged ninety years. He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining whatever of pay or other emunities [sic] might have been due to his father by the Government for his services, and also whenever he may be entitled to under the pension laws & and the acts relating thereto.

S/ William Robertson, X his mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written. And I hereby certify that I believe the said William Robertson to be the Identical son of the said John Robertson who served as aforesaid and that he is of the age of above stated.

S/ John A. McKinney, JP