

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Joel Sartain R9207

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State of Ohio Gallia County: SS

On this 21st day of July A.D. 1836, personally appeared in open Court, before the Honorable Thomas Rodgers, John Holcomb and Joseph Fletcher, Associate Judges of our said County Court of Common Pleas now sitting, Joel Sartin [sic], a resident of said County of Gallia and State of Ohio, aged seventy-four years, who being 1st duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June 7th 1832.

That he was born in the County of Pittsylvania, in the State of Virginia, in the year 1762, where he lived eight years, when he removed with his parents to Montgomery County in the same State, where he lived until the year 1815 or 1816 (he does not recollect which) when he removed to Kanawha County, Virginia, where he lived about two years, and then removed to the County of Gallia in the State of Ohio, where he has resided ever since:

That he entered the service of the United States under the following officers named and served as herein stated:

That sometime in May A.D. 1778 (the precise day of the month he does not recollect) he entered into service of the United States as a volunteer, under Captain John Dolloson,<sup>1</sup> who commanded a company of militia from the County of Pittsylvania in the State of Virginia, which Company was then stationed at Hatfield's Fort, on Big Stony Creek, in the County of Montgomery, in said State of Virginia, where he volunteered as aforesaid – of which said Company one John Gwynn was there Lieutenant, He served in said Company, at said Fort under the command of said Captain Dolloson, until the September following, in the same year (1778) when he was dismissed by said Captain, but received no written discharge.

Sometime in April or May A.D. 1779, he again entered the service of the United States as a volunteer under the command of Captain Christian Snyder, at the Fort then under his command on Little Stony Creek, in the County of Montgomery and State of Virginia, and served at said Fort, in the company commanded by said Captain Snyder, until sometime in the September following, in the same year, when he was dismissed by said Captain Snyder, but received no written discharge.

Sometime in April or May in the year following (1780) he again volunteered in the same company at said Fort on Little Stony Creek, Montgomery County, Virginia, under the command of said Captain Snyder, and again served until dismissed in the same manner last aforesaid, by said Captain Snyder, sometime in September of the same year (1780).

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<sup>1</sup> This veteran's corroborating witness, Humphrey Brumfield, refers in his own application to this officer as Captain John Donaldson.

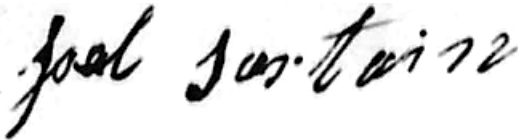
Sometime in April or May in the next following year (1781) he again volunteered in like manner as aforesaid, at said Fort on Little Stony Creek, Montgomery County, Virginia, under the command of said Captain Snyder, and again served until dismissed by said Captain, sometime in September of the same year (1781). That he knows of no person whatever by whom he can prove the services aforesaid, nor any person now living who served with him during said service, except one Humphrey Brumfield,<sup>2</sup> who now lives in his neighborhood, and who was with him during the greater part of said service. And said Bromfield is now old and very infirm; so much so that he is unable to come to court, and his memory has almost entirely failed him. But the said Joel Sartin is willing to testify, and does hereby swear, that in his 1st term of duty above stated, he served at least 3 months

1st Term at least		3 months
2nd do	do	3 do
3 <sup>rd</sup> do	do	3 do
4 <sup>th</sup> do	do	<u>3</u> do
		12 months

That he never knew any regular officers were general officers of the regular [service]. He is old and infirm, very poor and needy, unable to live even with convenience in life: Has served faithfully and if testimony other than he hereby offers is required, he can never get it. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of any State, or the Agency of any State of Territory &c.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court, this 21st day of July, 1836

S/ Joel Sartin



[Cornelius Holly and David Ripley gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

[Note: this file does not contain an affidavit by Humphrey Brumfield. There is a note in the file that this application was rejected because the veteran was "not called into service by competent authority."]

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<sup>2</sup> [Humphrey Brumfield S8105](#)