

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

### **Pension Application of Lovel H. Dogan S1196**

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State of Kentucky County of Pulaski

On this 17 day of September 1832, personally appeared in open court before the Pulaski County Court now sitting Lovel H. Dogan a resident of Pulaski County and State of Kentucky aged sixty-eight 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 act of Congress passed June 7<sup>th</sup> 1832.

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

A soldier in the militia service in the state of Virginia, two three months terms; 1<sup>st</sup> under Captain John Waugh of Culpepper county Vir. Colonel James Slaughter of the same county and state, General Muhlenburg 's [Peter Muhlenberg's] who was a regular officer, that he entered the service about the last of March or first of April A.D. 1781 and left the same at the end of a three month tour, and was in one battle in Petersburg in the month of May, during said tour, that he marched first from Culpepper courthouse to Fredericksburg, thence from Fredericksburg to Bowlinggreen [Bowling Green], from Bowlinggreen and direct course to James river at Sandy point ferry, from there a direct course down to Blackwater, where he joined head quarters and drew arms, then reconnoitred before the Britis[h] as they were coming up James river, up to Petersburg on Appomatox river [Appomattox River], where he was in the battle before stated, thence to coal pits, thence to Richmond Vir. that he crossed James river at Wortham the night that the British burned Manchester warehouse, from Richmond he marched up to Groundsquirrel bridge [Ground Squirrel Bridge], and there he was discharged, the first tour being out.

He also states that the second tour commenced, he thinks, about the middle of July 1781 under Captain Ambrose Bohannon, James Murray lieutenant, Nathaniel Welch major a regular officer Colonel \_\_\_\_ Edmunson [possibly a reference to William Edmondson] a regular officer, General Edward Stephens [Edward Stevens] of Culpepper County Vir. a regular officer also that he marched first to Mallbern Hills [Malvern Hills] 18 miles below Richmond, and there joined head quarters, thence through the different parts of that country to Old Williamsburg, was stationed there about ten days, just above Williamsburg, at an old British camp; thence marched through Williamsburg to Springfield camp, 1½ or 2 miles below Old Williamsburg, stayed there about ten days more; was taken from there on a two days guard about half way between that place and Little York to a mill which Colonel Tarlton [Banastre Tarleton] and his horse company had burned and the wheat that was in it, the mill and wheat were burned he thinks the day before he got there, and at that place he was disbanded his second tour being out

And he further states that he has no discharge, and he cannot procure the testimony of any person who was acquainted with or knowing to his services in the tours of service before stated.

1<sup>st</sup> He states that he was born in Culpepper County in the State of Virginia in A.D. 1764, July the 22<sup>nd</sup> day.

2nd That he has record of his age; and it is at his residence in Pulaski

3rd That he was living in Culpepper County in the state of Virginia where he was born, when he was called in service; that after the Revolutionary war he still lived in Culpepper County where he was born till in 1806, the latter part of the year, when he started to Kentucky, and in the first part of the year 1807 he arrived in Pulaski County in the state of Kentucky where he has lived ever since and where he now lives.

4<sup>th</sup> That he was drafted into service.

5<sup>th</sup> That Captain John Waugh, Colonel James Slaughter, General \_\_\_\_\_ Muhlenburg, a regular officer, commanded the brigade, regiment, and company in which he served the first tour, before stated;

2<sup>nd</sup> That Captain Ambrose Bohannon, James Murray lieut. Major Nathaniel Welch, Colonel \_\_\_\_\_ Edmunson, a regular officer, General Edward Stephens, a regular officer also, commanded the brigade, regiment, battalion, and company in which he served the second tour as so stated.

6<sup>th</sup> That he never received a discharge, but was discharged by relief of others at the end of each 3 months tour. who succeeded in his place by routine of tour.

7<sup>th</sup> He states that Martin Owens, clergyman, General Tunstal Quarles jr., Charles Hays esq., and John Hardgrove are persons to whom he is known in his neighbourhood and who can testify as to his character for veracity and there belief of his services as a soldier of the revolution.

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 the agency of any state.

Sworn to, and subscribed, the day and year aforesaid

Lovel H. Dogan  
his mark

[Usual supporting testimony from Martin Owens, clergyman, John B. Lea, and Henry Farmer]

[The Final Payment Voucher Index shows a last payment to Lovel *Degan* in Kentucky 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 1845]