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Pension Application of Thomas Crump S15394 VA  
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[The following is in the [bounty-warrant files in the Library of Virginia](#):]

This is to Certify that Thos Crump serv'd three years in Colo Marshals [Thomas Marshall's] Regiment of Artillery as a soldier given under my hand this the twenty eight day of March 1783  
Christopher Roane Capt. Artillery

[The following are in the [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia](#):]

State of Kentucky Mercer County Sct

This Day Thomas Crump of Washington County Kentucky personally appeared before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace in and for Mercer County and made oath that he is now in the seventy third year of his age that he was born and raised in New Kent County in the State of Virginia, that in or about the year 1774 or 1775 he enlisted under Captain John Hockaday in what was called the State Legion. That he enlisted during the War and continued in the service until the War was at an end at which time he was regularly discharged. that he has lost his enlistment. That he has never received any pension or monies for or on account of said service neither has he ever received any bounty land or any Warrant or Scrip for any lands from the Government of the United States or the State of Virginia

[signed 14 Mar 1831] Thos Crump

Know all men by these Present that I Thomas Crump of the County of Washington and State of Kentucky for and in consideration of the natural love and affection I have for my son Daniel Crump and for the further consideration of one dollar to me in hand paid by the said Daniel I have this day a'd and by these Present doth hereby bargain and sell until the said Daniel Crump his heirs or assigns all my right and title to any land or land warrant or scrip, or any claim I may have for land or land warrants or scrip, which I may be entitled to for or on account of Military Service rendered by me during the Revolutionary War. And also all my right to any pension money now in arrears, or due, or coming in any way or manner from the Government of the United States under the acts of the Congress thereof or from the Government of Virginia or elsewhere for land warrants or scrip in any of the states of the United States. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1831

Witness/ J. [illegible]/ Wm Little

[signed] Thos Crump

The following are from the federal pension file:]

State of Kentucky } Sct

Washington County }

On this 24 day of February 1834 Came in person Danal Crump in open court before the following Justices who being a Citizen of Washington County Kentucky and on his oath made the following declaration In order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7<sup>th</sup> 1832

This affiant states that he is the son of Thomas Crump who departed this life the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1833 that his father at his death was in the 75<sup>th</sup> year of his age as he believes that according to the best Information that this affiant has from his father and others he said Thomas Crump entered the war of the revolution in the year seventeen hundred and sevety five or six as a regular soldier in the state Cavalry Commanded by Colonels' [Henry] Lee or Marshall and when enlisted first served in Hockerdays Company of said Rigmat of Cavalry for and during the war as this affiant has frequently heard him state that he is informed & beleives that said Thomas Crump was honorably discharged from the service but

long previous to his death lost or mislaid his discharge This his father never did in his life time make application for a pension. this affiant states that he here shows to the Court a certificate for the Depreciated pay given to said Thomas Crump in the year 1783 marked (A) and that he does not positively know it was given to his father for his services but from what he has heard him say about being in the service of the Va State line he believes it was that he knows of no witness now living by whome he can prove the services of his father nor has he any other Testimony of a document any character by which to sustain the aforesaid claim

He together with the other child [Polly Briscoe] hereby relinquishes all claim whatever for a pension or annuity but the present and declares that Thomas Crump never was in his life time on the pension role of any agency in the United States nor are there as his heirs or children. Sworn to the day & year aforesaid and subscribed by Daniel Crump [signed] Daniel Crump

The amended declaration or affidavit of Daniel Crump formerly of Washington County Kentucky but now included in the new County called "Marion" in the matter of, or application for a pension for the heirs of Thomas Crump dec'd. who was a soldier of the Revolution. This affiant states that his former affidavit was made out and sworn to in the hurry and bustle of a County Court That all things stated therein are true; but that he recollects the following additional facts That he this affiant has been informed by his father and he believes it to be true that his said father Thomas Crump first enlisted in what was called Lee's Legion and that he was afterwards transfered to the artillery (but does not recollect what company of the said artillery) but that in was called Colonel Marshalls Artillery and in whose Regiment he served till the end of the war [signed 22 Mar 1834] Daniel Crump