

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Samuel Price S21433

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State of South Carolina Edgefield District: On this 3rd day of November in the year of our Lord 1832, personally appeared in open Court before me Richard Gantt one of the Judges of the said State now sitting in and for the said District Samuel Price a resident of the State and District aforesaid aged 80 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 7th 1832. That he entered the service of the United States in the beginning of the revolution war, & was under Captain Scott and belonged to his Company, under the command of Colonel Huger & General Sumpter [sic, Thomas Sumter]. I was on my way to Guilford but the battle was over before we got there this deponent was frequently engaged in scouting parties against the Tories under different officers, I was once taken a prisoner by the Tories, but getting an opportunity I made my escape from them. I was engaged in the service of the United States & scouting parties against the Tories who in considerable numbers infested this section of Country, from the beginning of the war, until peace was declared, the services was in South & North Carolina & Virginia. This deponent has no written documentary evidence on which to rely for the verification of his declaration. The deponent 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 before

Richard Gantt, Presiding Judge

S/ Samuel Price, M his mark

[E. B. Belcher & John Canfield gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

South Carolina Edgefield District: the applicant states that he enlisted in the month of July 1776 for 3 years, that after his term of service expired that he volunteered under Captain Jenkins and continued as a private during the war -- the applicant further states that he was born in Richmond Virginia, but does not recollect the precise date, he having no record of his age.

Sworn to 12 April 1833

S/ J. Richardson, CCP

S/ Samuel Price, X his mark