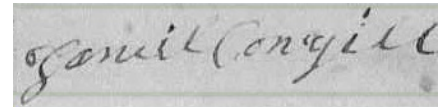


Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Daniel Cowgill S3199 VA
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The State of Ohio } Ss.
Preble County }

Personally appeared before me the undersigned a justice of the peace in and for said County Daniel Cowgill aged seventy five years a resident of the County of Preble aforesaid, who being duly sworn deposed and saith, that he enlisted in army of the revolution, some time in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and seventy nine, as a private Soldier in the State of Virginia at Culpepper [sic: Culpeper] Court house, for the term of two years, in the virginia line That he enlisted under Captain Marke Thomas [sic: Mark Thomas, pension application R18446]. That he served under Colone George Slaughter [W8729], who was ordered to the Falls of Ohio [at present Louisville KY] where they arrived sometime in the month of March in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and eighty – That he served under General George Clark [George Rogers Clark] until some time in the fall of seventeen hundred and eighty one when and where he was honourably discharged, and that he had said discharge in his possession, until sometime in the year eighteen hundred and twenty one, when he applied to the Court of common Pleas of Hamilton County and State of Ohio under the Act of Congress of the eighteenth of March eighteen hundred and eighteen, when he made his declaration under said Act, through and by his Attorney John Lea Williams Esquire, which said discharge was put into his hands to accompany his said declaration to the war office, and that shortly afterwards said Williams left Cincinnati and went down the river, where deponent is informed he died; and that he has heard nothing of said paper since.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day December 1830.

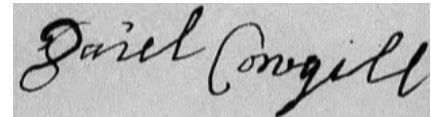


The State of Ohio Preble County }
Court of common pleas }
September Term A.D 1832 }

on this twenty first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two personally appeared in open court before the Judges of the Court of Common pleas in and for the county of Preble in the State of Ohio Daniel Cowgill, aged seventy six years, a resident of the County of Preble 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 seventh of June eighteen hundred and thirty two

That he enlisted, for three years on or about the first of october in the year seventeen hundred and seventy seven in the army of the Revolution, in a light horse company commanded by Captain John Yancy, in a regiment of Virginia light horse commanded by Colonel Crocket at Culpepper County Virginia, that he marched with the company to Winchester, Virginia where they took up winter quarters, and remained there untill the latter part of March 1778. That they were then marched under the command of Colonel Crocket into South Carolina, and were kept scouring the country to [illegible word] the Tories and British, untill some time in october of that year, when Deponent hired a young man to take his place whose name he cannot recollect Deponent was permitted at that time to leave the army at the high hills of Santee in South Carolina, that he obtained a written discharge signed by Colonel Crocket, in October 1778, which discharge was delivered to his father in Culpepper County Virginia, and which has been lost by time and cannot now be found that he served during this enlistment about one year and returned home. Deponent further saith that he enlisted in Culpepper County Virginia, some time in october 1779

under captain Mark Thomas in the virginia line of Infantry commanded by Colonel George Sloughter. that they marched to the falls of the Ohio river, where they arrived in march, under General Clark, following the year of his inlistment that they remained there guarding the settlers against the Indians untill the expiration of Deponents time, when he was discharged at the falls of the ohio by General Clark her served two years during this period; Deponent obtained a written discharge, which many years ago he placed in the hands of an attorney at law in the city of Cincinnati to obtain a pension, and that said attorney, whose name deponent cannot now recollect, went off and took with him his discharge. Deponent further saith that he was born in Burlington county New Jersey, on the ninth day of october seventeen hundred and fifty five that his age is recorded in a book which he has and which is taken from his fathers book of records of ages. Deponent further saith that he has resided in the state of ohio seventeen years, and in Preble county upwards of three years. Deponent has no documentary evidence, nor does he know of any witness living by whom he can prove his services but he is well acquainted with Samul Rhodes [Samuel Rhodes] and John M. U. McNutt, by whom he believes he can prove his good character, and that he has been reputed and believed to be 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

A rectangular box containing a handwritten signature in black ink. The signature is written in a cursive style and reads "Daniel Congill".