

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William English S3336
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English William VA S3336
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(p2) An Ohio certificate issued 25Oct1833 to Wm English, pvt in a Virginia Regiment for 12 months. \$40/annum.

(p3) State of Ohio Com Pleas April Term 1833
Carroll County

On this 18th day of April AD 1833 personally appeared in open court, before the judges of the court of Common Pleas now sitting, William English, a resident of Augusta Township in the County of Carroll, (lately in the County of Columbiana) and state aforesaid, aged seventy one 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 under the following named officers, and served as herein stated.

That he entered the service under Sergeant McNeil in the fifteenth year of his age being the year 1776 and served the space of one year as a volunteer, That he was then living in Ohio County in the state of Virginia. That the service was performed in that section of the country. That he entered the service of the United States the second time in the month of April 1777 and served one month under the command of Capt. Reason Virgin [Reain Virgin] as a volunteer for the purpose of defending the stations one of which was Sheppard's Fort. That he was living then at the place where he lived when he first entered the service. That he again entered the service under the command of Capt. Mason and served for the space of five months, being from the 1st of May to the 1st of October in the year aforesaid. That the said Mason was commandant of Fort Wheeling or as it was

(p4) then called by the British "Fort Henry". That he entered the service the third time in the year 1777 and continued in the service for one month under the command of Lieutenant Conrad Shoop, who had the command at Van Metre's Fort on the water of Short Creek in Ohio County, Virginia. That he afterwards served ~~as a volunteer~~ four months under Captain Joseph Ogle, that he was then drafted into that service. That he marched from Ramsey's Fort on the waters of Buffalo to the Mouth of Big Beaver and was engaged in building Fort McIntosh (it being in the year 1778 as he believes) that he marched under Genl McIntosh to Fort Lawrence [Fort Laurens]. That he returned to Fort McIntosh and was there discharged. That as soon as he was discharged as aforesaid, ~~he~~ he engaged as a driver of pack horses under the direction of Andrew Robinson head commissary of the western waters and was engaged for the space of six months in packing provisions to Fort Wheeling and ~~fort Heus~~ Fort Pitt for the use of the soldiers. That he has no documentary evidence except the deposition of Hugh Workman which is herewith transmitted. And that he knows of no other person whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his record.

That he relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity 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. William English x his mark

(p5) routine county affirmation and certification

Joseph Fleming Esq, Adam Frank clergy, John Potter (Cotter?), Daniel McCook clk

(p6) Interrogatories

Q 1st Where and what year were you born?

Ans In the County Antrim in Ireland, in the year 1762.

2nd Have you any record of your age, and if so, where is it? Ans. I have not, the Bible in which my age was recorded burnt in a school house.

3rd Where were you living when called into service where have you lived since the Revolutionary War, and where do you now live?

Ans. In Ohio County Virginia, then called and now Washington County Pa. About 6 years ago I removed to the state of Ohio in Augusta Township now in the County of Carroll where I now live.

4 How were you called into service, were you drafter, did you volunteer or were you a substitute?

Ans. Part of the time I was a volunteer and part of the time I was drafted.

5th State the names of some of the regular officers who were with the troops where you served such continental and militia regiments as you can recollect and the general circumstances of your service?

Ans. Genl McIntosh was commander in chief. Col Broadhead was in command. My immediate commanding officers were Sergeant McNeil, Capt Reasin Virgin, Captain Samuel Mason, Capt Ogle and Lieutenant Conrad Shoop.

6th Did you receive a discharge a discharge (sic) from the service and if so, by whom was it given and what has become of it?

Ans. I believe I received one or two discharges but I have lost them.

7th State the names of persons to whom you are known in your neighborhood and who can testify as to your character for veracity, and their belief of your service as a soldier of the revolution?

Ans. Joseph Fleming Esquire, John Lyde, John Potter and John Harmon

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(p16) Washington County Pennsylvania

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County

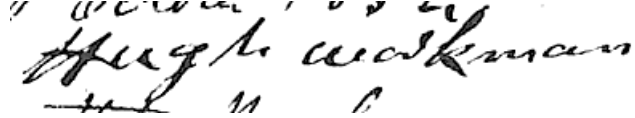
Personally appears in open court, Hugh Workman of the borough of Washington, Pennsylvania, who being duly sworn according to law doth say: That he is well acquainted with William English, Columbiana County in the state of Ohio, & who is now applying for a pension under the Act of June 7th 1832. That in the year 1777, this deponent well remembers of being under both Capt. Joseph Ogle & of marching from Ramsey's Fort. & that William English, was a member of our company & marched with us. To the mouth of Big Beaver & was engaged in building Fort McIntosh at that place. That the said William English, marched under Genl. McIntosh to the Tuscareusor [Tuscarawas River] & built Fort Lawrence [Fort Laurens] & was engaged in working & building at the fort, That the said William English returned to Fort

McIntosh with us & was discharged with me at the same time after a service of four months. And the deponent further saith not.

Sworn & subscribed in open court

The twelfth day of October 1832

S/ Hugh Workman

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Hugh Workman". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "S/ Hugh Workman".

Thomas Officer Pro

Routine county certification