

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Fant George	VA	S35301	f23VA
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[p5] District of Washington	sct		

On the 30th day of August 1824 personally appeared in open court being a court of record for the County of Green within the state of Tennessee, George Fant (alias Fann) aged sixty five who being first duly sworn deposed & declared upon oath as follows: That he served in the Revolutionary war as follow to wit, in the year 1777 in the county of Hampshire state of Virginia he entered into the continental service of the United States, under Kirkpatrick [blank first name in manuscript] who was a captain of the 8th Regiment of the Virginia line then commanded by General Lee, of which Col Mullenberg [sic Muhlenberg]] was the Col, - which enlistment he was taken into serving and marched on & formed the army at the Valley forge, and continued in the service for the three years for which he was enlisted and was in the Battle of Monmouth, siege of Mud Island. Fort, together with many other less engagements, such as Sandy Hook, Rama, ____ [faint left margin illegible] and after faithfully serving and his three years was discharged at Fredericksborough Virginia by Joseph Neal Colonel of the eighth Regiment which discharge he kept for some length of time when he last the same apprehending it would not be of any service to him.

And I do solemnly swear that I was a citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift sale or any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof so as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary war passed the 18th March 1818. & the subsequent amendments. That I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or security contracts or debts due to me, nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule _____ [ink covered] subscribed by me & hereto annexed.

1 horse beast	\$30.00
3 cows, 2 yearlings, one yearling & 2 calves	
Cows \$10 each yearlings \$2 each yearling \$3 calves 1.50)	40.00
9 head of hogs great & small, average \$1.80	13.50
[sic though my aritmeticker says 16.20]	
3 pots, 3 ovens 1.50 each	9.00
Some little dressing furniture not exceeding	<u>5.00</u>
He states that has a wife & ten children be unusefully	\$97.50

young they being by a second wife his first wife children being seven in numbers having grown up _____ [faint right margin] & that he is incapable of laboring from age & infirmity.

Sworn to & subscribed in open court this 31st August 1824.

Attest M Payne DC s/ George Fant x his mark
[p7] State of Tennessee August session 1824

Green County Then personally appeared in Open court the subscribing Michael Weese, & make oath that was raised in Hampshire County state of Virginia in the same neighborhood with Geroge Fant (alias Fan) and went to school with George & when this deponent enlisted into service, he left G Fant (alias Fan) in the

neighborhood of their nativity. – and after having been in service for about one year, G. Fant or Fan joined them at Winchester Virginia as a soldier in the same regiment with himself being the 8th Virginia regiment. That he served out the remaining year of his servitude in s^s 8th Regiment & left G Fant (or Fan) in service he having served only one year at the time. This deponent left the 8 Regiment but remembers of having seen G Fant (or Fan) two years thereafter when he returned home from service & well knows the s^d declarant now present to be the same man & to have served one year in service from before he left the service Sworn to & subscribed in open court this day stated above.

s/ Michael Weese

Attest: M Payne D. C.

[routine county affirmations, supplemental statements, and certifications

V Sevier C.C.C.G.C.

A Patterson

M Payne

Jn^o Blair

[p13] transfer from Tennessee pension roll to Coles County Illinois 18Sep1838