

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Benjamin Sadler: S39060

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[Note that this is his 2nd Application. The 1st was destroyed when the British burned Washington, D.C. in 1814.]

District of West Tennessee: On this day the 22nd day of February 1822 personally appeared in open Court in the County of Sumner in said state being a Court of record for the said County, Benjamin Sadler aged sixty six years resident in said County in said District who being duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows, that he enlisted in 1776 in the Virginia line with Capt. Saml. Woodson who belonged to or was attached to Colonel George Matthew's ninth Virginia regiment and served as a soldier in said regiment for two years and six months and at the time of the expiration of his service was honorably discharged at Philadelphia in the state of Pennsylvania and I solemnly swear that I was resident 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 other manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with the intent thereby to diminish it so as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled or an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval services of the United States in the revolutionary war passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities contracts or debts due to me, nor have I any income other than what is contained on the schedule hereto annexed.

Schedule:

one blind mare, one cow & calf, 2 beds and furniture, one small pot, one oven and 1 skillet, four pewter basins, 1 dish Do.& 3 plates, a spinning wheel, and pair of cotton cards, and one reel, 1 can, 1 coffee pot, 2 pails & one washing tub

Benjamin Sadler(signed)

Sworn to in open court on 22nd February 1822

Property estimated or valued by Court to \$75.00...

I David Shelby Clerk of Sumner County Court in the State of Tennessee do hereby certify that the foregoing oath and the schedule thereto annexed are truly copied from the record from the said court and I do further certify that it is the opinion of said court that the total amount in value of the property exhibited in the aforesaid schedule is seventy five dollars. In whereof I have here unto set my hand and fixed the seal of the said court on the 22nd day of March 1822.

David Shelby(signed) {Seal}

Clerk of the Court for County of
Sumner