

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Batte Evans S39502

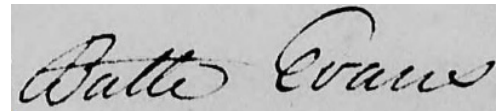
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South Carolina

District of Edgefield, ss.

On this 3<sup>d</sup> day of August 1818, before me the subscriber, one of the Judges of the Court of the Ordinary for the said district, personally appears Batt Evans aged sixty years, resident on Turkey Creek in the said district, who being by me first duly sworn, according to law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provision made by the late act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war:" That he the said Bat Evevans [sic] enlisted in Dunwooddie [sic: Dinwiddie] County in the state of Virginia in the company commanded by Captain John Jones in the infantry of the United States for two years the year not recollected continued to serve in the said corps, or in the service of the United States for two years, when he was discharged from service in Middlebrook state of N. Jersey [Washington's headquarters winter 1778-79] that he was in the battles of Trenton [26 Dec 1776] & Princeton [3 Jan 1777] &c and that he is in reduced circumstances, and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support; and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services.



South Carolina } Personally appeared before me William Evans who being duly sworn saith that  
Edgefield Dist } Bat Evans entered the service in 1778 [sic] & either he was regularly discharged  
at Middlebrook by Col. [James] Hendricks to whose Reg't. he was transfered the 6<sup>th</sup> Virginia Reg't. He  
the s'd Bat Evans enlisted under Col [Mordecai] Buckner [signed 4 Feb 1819] William Evans

South Carolina }  
Edgefield District }

On the second day of October 1821 personally appeared in Open Court (the Court of common pleas for said District being a Court of Record) Batte Evans aged sixty four years resident in the District of Edgefield first being duly sworn according to Law doth on his corporal Oath make the following declaration, that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows; he enlisted in 1776 or 1777 in the state of Virginia under Capt. Alexander Rose in Col Buckners & Col. Hendricks regiments wherein he served two years & that in consequence of his Petition he was placed on the Pension roll under the Act of Congress of the 18 March 1818; his Pension Certificate dated fifth March 1819 No. 7015 & has Rec'd. a semiannual instalment

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War" passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> 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 or property whatsoever. I am by occupation a farmer, but from age and infirmity am incapable of making a support; I have no person residing with me but my wife, who is as infirm as myself & we are measurably dependent upon our children for support & from whom we have borrowed our small stock of household property or furniture. Sworn to and declared on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of October 1821.

