

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Daniel Workman S40725

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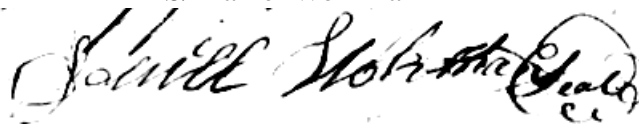
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The State of Ohio County of Logan: Personally appeared before me the undersigned James McIlvain one of the Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Logan of the State of Ohio Daniel workman residing in the County aforesaid who being duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith. That on or about the 12th of September 1776 he was enlisted by Captain Matthew Arbuckle, John Nevill [John Neville] Colonel and belonged to the 12th Virginia Regiment on the Continental establishment, that he was enlisted in Louisburg [Lewisburg] Greenbrier County in the State of Virginia for the term of one year and that he served out the full period of his enlistment and was honorably discharged by Colonel John Nevill but through lapse of time or accident the discharge is lost.

And this deponent further saith from his advanced age being now in the [words written over and illegible but perhaps reading 78th] year and in reduced circumstances he stands in need of the assistance of his country for support and further saith not. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of September 1818

S/ Daniel Workman



[attested September 25, 1818]

The State of Kentucky Bourbon County: SS: before me William B. Branham one of the acting Justices of the peace in and for the aforesaid County Personally came Daniel McDowell¹ and David Jameson² both of the County and State aforesaid and after being duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith that they are well acquainted with Daniel workman a private soldier in the Revolutionary war that he belonged to Captain Matthew Arbuckle's Company John Nevill's Colonel of the 12th Virginia Regiment on the Continental establishment – that said Daniel Workman was enlisted in the fall of the year 1776 and served one full year at that time against the common enemy being the full period of his enlistment – These deponents further saith that said Daniel Workman served in the same Company in which they both served which was in the same Company and at the period above stated and further the deponent sayeth not

S/ Daniel McDowell

S/ David Jameson

¹ Sic, Daniel McDowell FPA S1231

² FPA S31167

Daniel McDowell
David Jamerson

[Attested his November 30, 1819]

The State of Ohio Logan County: SS

On the 30th day of August 1820 personally appeared in open Court being a Court of record for the County aforesaid Daniel Workman aged about eighty years a resident of said County who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he enlisted in the year 1775 in Greenbrier County in the State of Virginia under Captain Matthew Arbuckle of the 12th Virginia Regiment commanded by Colonel John Neville on Continental establishment was enlisted for one-year and served out the full period of his enlistment and was honorably discharged by his aforesaid Colonel. He further saith that he has received a pension under the law of the 18th of March 1818 date of said Certificate 8th of February 1820 and Numbered 18,447 – And I do solemnly swear that I was a 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 in any manner whatever disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision 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 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 in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed
viz. to one walking cane of the value of 50 cents. I am by trade a farmer but can work but little.
I have no family – S/ Daniel Workman, X his mark

[There is unattested correspondence in the file from representatives of Elizabeth Dodge, wife of Nathan Dodge, saying she was the daughter of the veteran and that she and her brother James Mc. Workman were the only surviving children of the veteran when he died 'about the 10th of Sept. 1823.']

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing September 25, 1818, for one-year service as a private in the Virginia Continental line.]