

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of Andrew Dennis S44129

PA

Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

State of Ohio } On this 4 day of May 1818 before me the subscriber one of the Associate  
Washington County Ss } Judges of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of  
Washington personally appeared Andrew Dennis resident in said County  
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

Ezekiel Denning

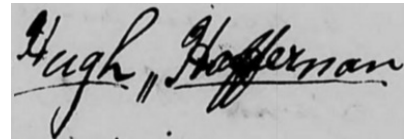
I Andrew Dennis of the Township of Roxbury County of Washington and State of Ohio being as I Believe  
a person entitled to a pension under the act of Congress passed March 18<sup>th</sup> 1818 entitled an act to  
provide for certain persons engaged in the Land and Naval service of the United States in the  
Revolutionary war as agreeable to the provisions in said act make this my declaration under the  
solemnities of an Oath I Enlisted the army in the year 1775 in the company commanded By Capt Caleb  
North [pension application S46398] and Regiment Commanded by Colo. Anthony Wayne in the  
Pennsylvania line and served my country against the common enemy one year when we was dismiss'd I  
then in March 1776 Enlisted & joined the company Commanded by Capt. Benjamin Bartholo[page torn;  
Benjamin Bartholomew W3228] and Regiment Commanded by Colo. Francis Johnston and served my  
country until the Pennsylvania Troops Revolted [1 Jan 1781] when I was Draughted into the company  
commanded by Capt Thomas T Bond and Regiment commanded by Colo. Josiah Harmar [W3246] and  
served my Country against the common enemy until the close of the War as a private soldier and serjeant  
under the continental Establishment when I Rec'd my discharge which Serjeants Warrant and discharge  
were burned when I had my house burnt in 1801 I am now about 52 years old and have a wife and 3  
children under age and can safely swear that I am not worth one cent under these circumstances I stand in  
need of the assistance of my Country for support and I have no other evidence now in my power of my  
said services.

[A letter dated 13 Sep 1809 states that Andrew Dennis "has begged his way 300 miles and back again to  
procure the enclosed testimony."]

Crawford County [PA] Ss:

Personally Appeared before me one of the Justices of the peace in and for the said County Hugh  
Haffernan [R4419] formally a Sergeant in Capt Thomas Bonds Company Infantry in the Continental army  
who on his Solemn oath saith that he was personally Acquainted with Andrew Dennis then a private  
Soldier in the same Company that this deponant belonged to his Certain  
knowledge.

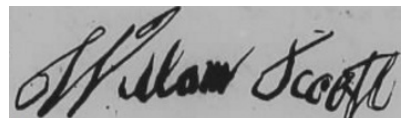
Sworn & subscribed before me this 4<sup>th</sup> September 1819.



Crawford County Ss:

Personally Appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for the said  
County – William Scott – who on his Solemn Oath saith that he is perfectly Acquainted with Andrew  
Dennis who was a private Soldier in the old Continental Army and belonged to the same Reg't with this  
deponant and he believes to Bonds Company of Infantry – further this deponant saith not.

Sworn & subscribed before me this 4<sup>th</sup> September 1819



Crawford County Ss:

Personally Appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for the said County John Dailey [possibly John Daly W3228] saith from the Information of Andrew Dennis respecting the officers of the Company who this deponant was well acquainted with at Tyconderaga [sic: Fort Ticonderoga] is well satisfied that Andrew Dennis was a Soldier in the Continental Army.

John hisXmark Dailey

Sworn & subscribed before me this 4<sup>th</sup> September 1819

State of Ohio }  
Washington County Ss }

On this twenty fifth day of July 1820 personally appeared in Open Court being a court of record for the said County Andrew Dennis aged 61 years resident in said County who being first duly sworn according to Law doth on his oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows. I enlisted in 1776 in the regiment commanded by Colonel Anthony Wayne, and afterwards by Colonel Francis Johnston then by Colonel Josiah Harmar and Company commanded by Captain Caleb North afterwards by Captain Benjamin Bartholomew then by Captain Thomas Bond and in the Pennsylvania line I was in Trenton Battle [26 Dec 1776], Brandywine Battle [11 Sep 1777], German Town Battle [Germantown, 4 Oct 1777], Monmouth Battle [28 Jun 1778] and at the taking of Cornwallis [Yorktown VA, 19 Oct 1781], & in the Battle at the Green Springs [6 Jul 1781] & Hane Bridge [unknown]. And the date of my original declared is dated 4th May 1818 and number of my pension certificate uncertain on account of the hand writing supposed to be 15.122.

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 other than what is contained in the Schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

Andrew hisXmark Dennis

#### Schedule

One axe and one old Hoe. One Cow One, One Gallon Pot, One Tea Kettle one frying Pan, one Table, one Cupboard. two Pails. twenty bushels of wheat in Sheaf. Two acres of Corn, growing. four tea cups and saucers four plates. four knives and forks, 6 tea spoons. and 3 Table spoons. and I owe to Dr Ulmer twenty three or twenty four dollars and to Augustus Stone \$28.17¼ and to Samuel Brown 7 Dollars and Fifty cents and Ephraim Ellis 6 dollars, and John Cheadle 5 dollars. By occupation a Farmer but infirm. (And Widow Lucas 7 Dollars.) And unable to labor a considerable Part of the time. My Family consists of my wife 54 years old Uriah my son 18 years old. Jemima my Daughter 13 years old very weakly

Andrew hisXmark Dennis