

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Daniel Tyler W4361

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Virginia Sct.

At a Court held for Bedford County at the Courthouse the 23rd day of August 1819

Daniel Tyler aged sixty-one years, resident in the County and State being sworn made the following Declaration, that he enlisted for the term of two years on the 4th day of March 1776 in the County of Amherst in the State of Virginia in the Company commanded by Captain Samuel J Cabell of the Sixth Virginia Regiment on Continental establishment commanded by Colonel Buckner [Mordecai Buckner], that the company was afterwards attached to Colonel Daniel Morgan's Regiment of Riflemen in the line of the State of Virginia on Continental establishment, that he continued to serve in the said Corps or in the service of the United States until the 20th of February 1778 when he was discharged from the service at Valley Forge in the State of Pennsylvania that he was in the battles of the capture of Burgoyne [Saratoga, October 7, 1777] and at the battle of Edgehill [Edge Hill, Pennsylvania, also known as the Battle of White Marsh, December 7, 1777] and many skirmishes and that he is in reduced circumstances and needs the assistance of his country for support and that he has no other evidence than that within transmitted now in his power of his said services and he produced in court the certificate of Lieutenant John Jourdan [sic] which is herewith transmitted.

Colonel David Saunders sworn before the court saith that the said Daniel Tyler delivered his discharge to him for the purpose of receiving for him some arrearages of pay which discharge he the said Saunders says he has lost or mislaid so that it cannot now be produced.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 28th day of August in the year of our Lord 1819.

S/ J. Steptoe, C. B. C

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I do hereby Certify that Daniel Tyler enlisted himself as a private Soldier in Captain Samuel J Cabell[']s] Company from the County of Amherst in the year 1776, which Company joined Colonel Buckner's Regiment Stationed at Springfield below Williamsburg in the State of Virginia, from thence marched on to the North and joined the Grand Army commanded by General Washington, from which Army the Company was detached to Colonel Daniel Morgan's Regiment of Riflemen, which Regiment was sent on to join General Gates [Horatio Gates] – at the time opposed to the British Army commanded by General Burgoyne, that he was at the surrender of that Army and in many severe Actions, in which he behaved as a Brave & good

Soldier, that after the reduction of that Army, the Regiment returned to the Grand Army – which went into winter Quarters at Valley Forge in the State of Pennsylvania, where Mr. Tyler obtained his Discharge – Given under my hand this 18th day of August 1819

S/ John Jordan Lieutenant
in Captain Cabell's Company of riflemen
in the Revolutionary War

*John Jordan Lieutenant
in Capt. Cabell's Comp'y
of Riflemen in the Revolu-
tionary War*

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District of Virginia Sct.

On this 25th day of September 1820 personally appeared in open Court being a Court of record for the County of Bedford and State of Virginia (being unlimited in its jurisdiction in point of amount and keeping a record of their proceedings) Daniel Tyler aged sixty-two years resident in the said County who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows he enlisted the fourth day of March 1776 in Captain Samuel J. Cabbells [Samuel J. Cabell's] Company which was attached to the 6th Virginia regiment under the command of Colonel Philip Buckner [sic, Mordecai Buckner]¹ that he was afterwards together with Captain Capbells whole company transferred to Morgan's Corps of Rifleman that he was discharged at Valley Forge in Pennsylvania on the 20th February 1778 having been in the service two years wanting a few days – that he was at the capture of Burgoyne [October 7, 1777] and Several Skirmishes that he made a declaration in this Court on the 23rd day of August 1819 for the purpose of receiving a pension and that the number of his pension Certificate is 15331. 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 that he has 100 acres of poor land appraised at \$2.50 per acre which he thinks its full value two head of horses the one worth about [paper damaged in word it indecipherable] dollars and the other about \$30, eight head of cattle, three of them cows and the other five yearlings the cows worth \$12 each and the yearlings for dollars each 10 head of sheep worth about \$1.50 each five stands of bees worth \$1.50 each, 13 geese worth 37 ½ cents each a wheat fan worth about \$15 one grindstone worth about one dollar two axes worth about one dollar each two iron wedges three old planes two Coulters and loom two Cotton wheels & two flax wheels one reel one old shot gun three old pots one frying pan one skimmer one saddle & one/fork seven knives & forks one dozen iron spoons two dishes

¹ Mordecai Buckner was a Colonel in the 6th Virginia Regiment. He was cashiered February 9, 1777. Capt. Philip Buckner was a militia officer from Caroline County, VA.

and nine earthen plates three pewter basons one tin coffee pot one Saltcellar & pepper box 1 dozen cups & saucers two jugs & two bottles nine hogs & nine pigs about 30 barrels corn growing worth one dollar per barrel 30 bushels wheat worth 25 cents per bushel that he is a farmer and from his age & growing infirmities not able to cultivate his land being the subject of a Rheumatic disease of which he is scarcely ever free and that his wife Sarah aged 57 his daughter Keziah aged 28 Susannah aged 22 Joanah aged 19, Polly aged 17 and Nancy aged 14 making together six females all residing with him the eldest of his daughters is unhealthy and his wife from her age and infirmities is unable to assist herself the rest of his daughters are capable of supporting themselves.

S/ Daniel Tyler

[p 5 On September 28, 1831 in Bedford County Virginia, Daniel Tyler filed for a transfer of his pension benefit from the Virginia agency to the Ohio agency stating that he intends to remove to Logan County Ohio saying that his surviving children (except for one son who lives in Indiana) intend to remove to Logan County Ohio and he wishes to reside with them.



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[p 24: Family register:

Betsey Wade Tyler was born December the 30, 1783

Anna Cash Tyler was born December the 28th 1785

John Tyler was born January 30 1788

Samuel Tyler was born January 17 1790

Keziah Tyler was born March the 2 1792

Nelson C Tyler was born August the 11 1794

Zachariah W Tyler was born October the 3 1796

Joanah [or Joannah] Tyler was born January the 10 1801

Polley Tyler was born January 1 1803

Nancy Tyler was born December the 16 1805

Thomas W Brown was married to Joanah Tyler October the 3 1826

[Facts in file: Veteran died March 10, 1845 in Highland County Ohio where he had lived for 14 years; veteran married in 1783 in Amherst County Virginia Sarah Cash, born July, 1763 or 1764, the daughter of Stephen Cash, at whose house they were married; the widow died December 20, 1749 in Highland County Ohio; the veteran and his wife were members of the Baptist Church. On January 8, 1856 Nancy Tyler and Joannah Brown both of Highland County Ohio on behalf of themselves and their brother, Samuel Tyler of Boone County Indiana, said to be the only surviving children of the veteran and his widow filed for the pension due the widow. In 1854, Ann Dormire, niece of Sarah Tyler, the widow, was living in Preble County Ohio and was then aged 79 years. The names of her parents are not shown.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of eight dollars per annum commencing August 23, 1819, for service as a private in the Virginia Continental line for two years.]

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Addendum to Daniel Tyler W4361

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[From [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

State of Virginia }
Bedford County } sct [24 Nov 1826]

James Cotrell seventy five being sworn according to law doth say that Daniel Tyler enlisted in Amherst County State of Virginia for the term of three years in the Spring of 1776 into Captain Samuel Cabell's company sixth regiment of the Virginia line, and continental establishment commanded by Colonel Buckner, this deponent enlisted at the same time and place and served in the same Company with the said Tyler, having been transfer'd to the rifle corps at the same time the said Tyler was. The deponent further says that the said Tyler was honourably discharged in the Spring of 1779 at the white horse Tavern [near present Glenloch PA] in the State of Pennsylvania by Captain Talifaro [sic: Taliaferro] and further says not

James hisXmark Cotrel

State of Virginia
Bedford County Sct [27 Nov 1826]

Daniel Tyler aged sixty nine years being duly sworn according to law doth say that he enlisted in the County of Amherst and State of Virginia on the 4th day of March 1776 for the term of three years into Captain Samuel Cabells company into the Sixth regiment of the Virginia line on continental establishment commanded by Col Buckner Applicant further says that in the fall of 1777 he was transferd to Capt Talfaros Corps of riflemen; applicant does not know whether he belonged to the sixth regiment after his transfer or not as they were mostly detach'd on scouting parties; applicant further says that he served faithfully in said Corps until the month of April 1779 upwards of three years from the time of his enlisting and was honourably discharged at the White horse Tavern in the State of Pennsylvania by Captain Talifaro; applicant has never received any land bounty from the United States nor from the State of Virginia for his services during the revolutionary war, nor has he ever transferd or disposed of his Claim in any manner whatsoever, applicant lost his discharge many years ago, and was born and raised in albemarle County & further says not

