State of South Carolina Chester District: On this 12th day of January 1846 Personally appeared before me one of the acting Justices of the peace for said District George Dye a resident of said State & district aged eighty-three years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated. (Viz.) That he entered the services of the United States in the year 1779 as a volunteer under General Lincoln & served as a private in Captain Lashington's Company. That one Raford [?] Rogers was our Lieutenant. That One Richardson was our Colonel & one Colonel was our Major & that he served a tour of 6 months during which time we marched to Savannah & then up the Savannah River to Augusta & there he was discharged. He then volunteered under one General Green [sic, Nathanael Greene] in Captain Lyles Company one Strother was our Major & one John Lyles was our Colonel. That he served that time a Tower of 6 months during which Service we marched towards Georgetown & then to the Eutaw Springs and was in that battle (the Battle of Eutaw). Then he volunteered under General Marion in the Cavalry and served the Tower of four months. We marched from George Town to Pedee [River] & then back to Georgetown & then they marched towards Charleston & came up Santee & then he got his discharge. Then he was drafted and served a Tower of three months in the Militia under General Person one Manias Lyles was our Captain and one John Lyles was our Colonel & then he was drafted & served two tours of three months each under General Richard Winn & John Winn was our Colonel & Manias Lyles was our Captain. That he done all his Service as a private & that the whole amount of his services was at least two years. That he resided in Fairfield district South Carolina when he entered the Services & that his Service was all done in South Carolina & That he has no documentary evidence of his Services & That he knows of no person whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his Service he further declares that his name is not on the Pension roll of the Agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written.

S/ William Thomas, Magistrate          S/ George Dye, X his mark

[Ephraim Fant, a clergyman and Nicholas Colvin gave the standard supporting affidavit.]