State of Kentucky Grant County: Sct.

On this 9th day of February 1833 personally appeared before one of the Commonwealth's Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Grant and one of the members of the County Court bench, William Johnson, of the said County of Grant and State aforesaid aged seventy-six years in the month of March next who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. – That in the second year of the War of the revolution he volunteered under Captain William Washington in Westmoreland County Virginia for the space of twelve months and served the whole of his time and received an Honorable discharge which has long since been lost. – His Colonel was John Skinker, his Major a man by the name of Stith [possibly John Stith], his Christian name forgotten; he received his discharge but has long since lost it.

Immediately after the said term of service expired he volunteered in the company of Captain William Piper of the same County of Westmoreland Virginia, for the space of twelve months and served the whole of his time and received an Honorable discharge which has long since been lost – the said John Skinker was his Colonel, during this last service and William Stark his Major. – During the foregoing services he was stationed at and passed through the Counties of Westmoreland, King George, Richmond and Stafford, was during the foregoing time in but one engagement a British armed vessel on the waters of the Potomac in the County of Westmoreland fired on him; – was discharged from the service in Westmoreland County Virginia, he came to Kentucky about thirty-six years ago and now lives in the said County of Grant, – That he has no documentary evidence, and that he is known to no persons whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his service. – He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and he declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any State. – Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.

S/ William Johnson, X his mark

[John Webster of Campbell County, and John Brumback of Grant County gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of $40 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for service as a private for 12 months in the Virginia militia.]