Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Samuel Liming S46390  f9VA
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Revolutionary Claims
Treasury Department, August 9th, 1828

Samuel Liming of Coletain Township in the County of Hamilton in the State of Ohio has applied to the Secretary of the Treasury for the benefits of the act, entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution," approved the 15th of May, 1828. He states that he enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution, for and during the war, and continued until its termination, at which period he was a private in Captain B. Bigg's Company, in the regiment or detachment of Colonel Gibson of the Virginia line; and that he received a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars, provided by the resolve of the 15th of May, 1778; and further, that he was not on the 15th of May, 1828, on the pension list of the United States, and that he has received as a pensioner since the 3rd of March, 1826, nothing.

The Third Auditor is requested to report how far the several statements are corroborated by the records in his Office.

By order of the Secretary
S/ F. A. Dickins

Treasury Department,
Third Auditor's Office,
13th of August 1828

It appears by the records of this office, that a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars has been issued to Samuel Lemon [sic] in the Colonel Gibson's Detachment, Virginia line.

It further appears that Samuel Lemon is not now on the pension list of any agency, and has not been so since the 3rd March 1826 — at the rate of __ dollars per month.

S/ Peter Hagner, Aud.

State of Ohio City of Cincinnati: SS

For the purpose of obtaining the benefits of the act entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Army of the Revolution" approved on the 15th of May 1828 I Samuel Liming of Coletain Township in Hamilton County, State of Ohio, do hereby declare that I enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the revolution for and during the War and continued in its service until its termination; at which time I was a private in Captain Benjamin Biggs Company in the Regiment or Detachment commanded by Colonel John Gibson in the Virginia Line. And I also declare that I have no recollection of having received certificates
for the reward of $80; to which I was entitled under a resolve of Congress passed the 15th of May 1778. And I further declare that I was not on the 15th day of May 1828 on the Pension List Roll of the United States. Witness my hand this 14th day of July in the year 1828.

Signed in presence of

S/ Saml. Hurst S/ Samuel Liming

[William Hunter and Mathias Ross gave testimony that the applicant is generally reputed and believed to have been a soldier of the revolution.]