Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Anthony Street R10261

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State of Kentucky } SS.
County of Hart }

On this 14th day of May 1833 before the Judge of the Hart Circuit Court, personally appeared in open Court, Anthony Street aged 76 years the 24th day of August 1833 next, who being first duely sworn according to Law doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed 7th June 1832

That he entered the army of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated. He was born in Prince Edward County Virginia on the 24th August 1757. At the time He entered the service the first time he lived in Pittsylvania County Virginia. In the year 1780 about August he entered the service of the United States under Captain Tapley (he thinks) White [sic: Tarpley White] and Col Davis. He thinks he was called out by drafting being called out for 8 months. He thinks also that he served in the Virginia State troops. He rendezvouzed with the rest at Chesterfield Court House. From Chesterfield Court House he was marched to Petersburgh [sic: Petersburg] where he fell under the command of Col [George] Gibson and Major Maryweathers or some such name [Thomas Meriwether]. He does not remember having any Captain at Petersburgh as Cap White did not go there. before he went from Chesterfield to Petersburgh he had remained in service three weeks, according to the best of his recollection and three weeks at Petersburgh. He then received a Furlough from Col Gibson and went Home under strict orders to hold himself in readiness at a minutes warning to march on any service, and was not to consider himself discharged from his 8 months service, which orders contained in s'd. Furlough he strictly obeyed and considered himself a soldier for the full term of s'd. 8 months. He served all the time as a Private. He does not recollect the any Continental Regiments or companies with which he served. He thinks that Col Davis, Cap White and Maj'r. Meryweathers were Regular of State officers. They are all the Regular officers he remembers. He received no Discharges. He has no Documentary evidence nor does he know of any Person whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his services He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to an annuity or Pension except the present.

In answer to the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department he saith -1^{st} – He was born in Prince Edward county Virginia on the 24th August 1757 -2nd – He has no Record of his age other than his own bible in his own possession. -3^{rd} – When called into the service he resided in Pittsylvania Coty Va – after the War in Halifax – then in Campbell – then in Patrick counties Va. from thence he moved to Washington county Ky – from thence to Hart county where he now lives. -4th He supposes that the way in which he was called into the service was by drafting -5 – He knew by sight Col Davis, Cap White, Col Gibson, & Maj'r. Marryweathers as he has before stated. He does not remember any continental or militia Regimens with which he served by name or number. -6^{th} He never received any Discharge -7^{th} – He would name Valentine Garvin Wm. Congers, Isaac Willcoxen, Jacob Smith, Ser, Chas Withers, Andrew Ralston, U. G. Taylor, Robert S Thompson and Washington Thompson.

Sworn to and subscribed the day & year aforesaid [signed] Anthony Street

NOTES:

A size roll compiled at Chesterfield Courthouse VA after 1 Sep 1780 includes the following: Anthoney Street/ age 23/ height 5 $11\frac{1}{4}$ / hatter/ born in Prince Edward County VA/ residing in Halifax County VA/ black hair/ black eyes/ fair complexion/ enlisted on 28 Aug 1780 for 8 months.

On 26 Nov 1838 Trephinia Street, 71, of Mercer County KY, applied for a pension stating that she married Anthony Street in Campbell County VA on 31 Jan 1786, and he died about 24 Feb 1836. Her

application was supported by the deposition of her son, Samuel D. Street, about 50. Nathaniel Street of Lincoln County KY, aged 74, deposed that he had been present at the marriage of Anthony Street and Trephenia Stirman.