Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements

Pension Application of Moses Malt R6856

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State of Ohio, Scioto County SS.

On this Ninth day of December in the year of our Lord 1820 personally Appeared in open court being the Court of Common pleas in and for said County of Scioto Moses Malt aged Eighty years of age who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by the act of Congress of the 18th March 1818 and May the 1st 1820, that he the said Moses Malt is a Citizen of Scioto County in this state. That he served in the Revolutionary war as follows, that at the commencement of the war he Enlisted in a Company commanded by Captain Armstrong in a Regiment of the Virginia line Commanded by Colonel Leadbetter in the Brigade of General [Horatio] Gates during the War, That during his Period of service he was in the Battle of the Brandywine [PA, 11 Sep 1777[, of Camden [SC, 16 Aug 1780 or Battle of Hobkirk Hill 25 Apr 1781] and with the Army during all the Various opperations in North and South Carolina, and was at the Battle of Yorktown [Siege of Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct 1781] and was at the close of the war duly discharged at Norfolk after having served in the war of the Revolution for near the period of seven years. This Deponent further states that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support and that he has no other evidence in his power of his said services or discharge other than which is here transmitted Having lost his discharge some years since. And in pursuance of the Act of the Congress of May 1st 1820 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 disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions 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 ~

Two Horses worth about \$10	0.00
8 Neat Cattle 8	0.00
12 Hogs 1	8.00
Old Household Furniture 2	5.00

Moses hisXmark Malt

I do further solemnly swear that my occupation is a farmer. That my wife is living and is aged about Fifty years and one Child aged Thirteen years which makes my family \sim and further this deponent saith not Moses hisXmark Malt