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Pension Application of Daniel Carroll S3132

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State of Tennessee } S.S.

County of Warren }

On this the 11th day of April AD. 1834, personally appeared in open court before the worshipfull court of Please and quarter sessions for the County of Warren now siting William MGriger, Philip Hoodenpyle and Frank Smartt Esqs &c. Justices presiding and holding said Court, Daniel Carroll a resident in the County of Warren State of Tennessee aforesaid aged sixty nine years the 10th day of January last 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 the 7th 1832. That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and servd as herin stated,

He was drafted into the service as he now thinks about or at least in the last days of May 1781 for six months service in Albemarle County in the State of Virginia, rendezvoused at Charlottesville in Albemarle County and was then attached to a company commanded by Captain Robert Sharp [Robert Sharpe] of which Bartholomew Harden was the Lieutenant his company was attached to a Regiment commanded by Col Holt Richardson [Holt Richeson] and Major John Richardson, from Charlotville [sic: Charlottesville] they were marched to a little Town called Milton at which there was a public Magazine he thinks it was in Albemarle County, for the purpose of guarding the magazine here they remained employed as a guard untill a short time before Washingtons attack upon Cornwallis at York [Siege of Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct], when his regiment was ordered to leave Milton and march to york which they accordingly did in going to which they crossed the South fork of James River at Muffins ford. from there for the purpose of joining the Main Army they marched to Williamsburg in Va. at or near to which place they joined the American Army under the command of the Generals Washington and Layfayette [sic: Lafayette], from there they marched to Little York or Yorktown on the York River. there he remained untill the surrender of the British under the Command of Lord Cornwallis. After this his Regiment was sent with a portion of the regulars to escort a portion of the prisoners taken at York Town to Pensylvania, he and his regiment went as far as Philadelphia at which place they were ordered back to Virginia. in going from York Town to Philadelphia went through Petersburg from Philadelphia they marched back to Charlottville in Albemarle County in the state of Virginia at which place he was by his Captain Robert Sharp verbally discharged as he now thinks in the first part of December 1781. from there he returned to his residence in Albemarle County Va. he served at least six months in this Tower and he thinks a few days more. Claims compensation for six months.

He was born in Albemarle County in the State of Virginia on the 10th day of January 1765.

He has a record of his age, it is in the Bible that was his fathers in his lifetime it is in the posession of his brother in Law in the State of Virginia

He was living in Albemarle County in the State of Virginia when called into the service some years after the revolution he moved to Goochland County in the State of Virginia and lived there about six years from there he moved to this Warren County State of Tennessee and has there resided ever since.

He was drafted into the service

He saw various Regular Officers at York Town does not (if he ever knew) now remember any of their names except those of Washington and Layfayette he saw the both of them he can not from memmory name any of the Continental or Malitia Regiments except his own that was in the Army at the time of his service He was in the Army at Yorktown, heard the report of the cannon and saw the french Ships in the River. the part of the army where he was stationed being malitia was not at any time during the siege called into active service (viz shooting)

He never received a written discharge from the service he was verbally discharged as above stated. He is acquainted with and is known to James Taylor Edward Taylor, James M Brown, Major Henry Trott Jr, John Woods James Barkly George W Thruston & Arthur Warren – and diverse others all of whom live in his present neighbourhood and who can and will as he believes testify as to his character for veracity, and of their belief of his services as a soldier of the revolution.

He has no documentary evidence and knows of no person that he can procure who can testify as to his services.

There is no clergyman living immediately in the vicinity of applicant or in his neighbourhood, the nearest being in Rutherford County some miles distant

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension Roll of the agency of any state, Daniel hisXmark Carroll