Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Micajah Annis S34627 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

Worcester County Sct.

State of Maryland — On the 2nd Day of January Anno Domini 1819 appears before me the Subscriber an associate Judge of the 4th Jud'l. District of Maryland, Micajah Annis aged sixty seven years resident in Worcester County in s'd. District, who being by me duly sworn according to Law, doth on his Oath make the following Declaration in order to entitle him to the provision made by the late 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. That he the said Micajah Annis inlisted in or about 1777 in the State of virginia in the company commanded by captain Thomas Sneed [sic: Thomas Snead, company raised in Accomack County] of the ninth virginia redgment that he continued to serve in the said corps or in the service of the United States two years and upward when he was discharged from service in Jersey. that he was in the battles of Germantown [4 Oct 1777] & Brandywine [11 Sep 1777] and several skirmishes and 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 now in his power of his said services except what is here to annexed.

I do hereby certify, that Micajah Annis, the bearer was born in the county of Accomack, that he inlisted a soldier in Capt. Thomas Snead's company of the ninth Virginia regiment, that he marched to the Army, that he was in the battles of Brandywine and Germantown, that he served two years, that he was reputed to be a good soldier, and received a regular discharge. Given under my hand in the county of Accomack aforesaid the 14th day of October 1818.

Jno. Cropper [John Cropper] formerly Lt. Colo. Command[an]t. 11 Virg'a. Regiment in the War of the Revolution

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On this eighth day of August 1820 personally appeared in open Court being a Court of Record of unlimited civil and criminal jurisdiction for the said County Micajah Ennis aged sixty nine years resident in the said County who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows. I enlisted in Accomac County Virginia in the company commanded by Captain Thomas Sneed, of the Regiment commanded by Colonels William Fleming [sic: Thomas Fleming] and George Matthews [sic: George Mathews], being the ninth Regiment of the continental establishment; that I served in the battle of Brandywine and Germantown and was in the regular service for two years and that my certificate is numbered 12,599. And 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 person 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 Two beds, a half dozen chairs, a bureau and a safe, two tables, a half dozen by me subscribed. knives and forks a dozen cups and saucers a half dozen spoons, two pots a skillet a spider a small dutch oven, a half dozen plates an old chest. I have no income of any kind whatever, have no family but a wife and a daughter grown, that both my wife and self are very infirm, and when my health will permit it I follow the water Micajah hisXmark Ennis