Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Prosser Hogan S36592 fn20NC
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Prosser Hogan aged 54 years this 28th day of April 1818 personally appeared in the County Court of Green County and wishing to take the benefit of the law of the Congress of the United States makes oath that a little before the battle of Germantown he believes was in 1777, he enlisted as a regular Soldier & received the bounty in the County of Guilford North Carolina in the American Continental Army in the revolutionary war with Great Britain in the company of Captain Anthony Sharp [Anthony Sharpe], in the 9th Regiment commanded by Colonel Clark and in the North Carolina line for three years. This affiant served the said three years as a soldier as aforesaid and underwent hard service a little before the expiration of said three years he reenlisted in the same company, which was then commanded by Captain Tatum [Howell Tatum], in same Regiment & for and during the war. Before the end of the war he was taken prisoner at Charlestown South Carolina and deserted from the British at that place. This affiant of course got no discharge his officers being then all prisoners in Charlestown South Carolina. This affiant is now a resident of Green County State of Kentucky is poor and cripple and from his reduced circumstances in life stands in need of the Assistance of his Country for a support.

He further states he has no person by whom he can prove his said enlistment & service. S/ Prosser Hogan, X his mark

State of North Carolina Secretary's Office 28 September 1819

I William Hill Secretary of State in & for the State aforesaid, do hereby Certify, that it appears from the musterroll of the North Carolina Continental line in the Revolutionary war, that Proser Hogan a Musician in Captain Wades Company of the 9th Regiment was mustered as such on the 10th May 1777 for three years or the war was a private in June 1778 musician November 79 private 1st March 1780. Given under my hand the date above

S/Wm Hill

District of Kentucky Green County Sct.

On this 25th day of June 1821 personally appeared in open Court (it being a court of record for the County of Green) Prosser Hogan aged about sixty years resident in Green County and district aforesaid who being first sworn according to law, doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows in the 9th North Carolina Regiment commanded by General McIntosh or Colonel Clark in Captain Sharp's Company which will more fully appear by his affidavit now in the Pension office under date 28 April 1818 and on which issued a Pension Certificate on the 4th day of October 1819 No. 15,277. 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 whatever disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision 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, ten head of cattle, 13 sheep – I have no money and there is \$40 value of the above property which belongs to my grandchild. I am a farmer but at this advanced age and owing to my being a cripple am not able to support myself & family by my own labor.

I have a wife an old woman 55 years of age, also helpless.

S/ Prosser Hogan, X his mark

Sworn to & declared on the 25th day of June 1821 before the Green County Court in Session S/John Barret, CSC

[the court valued the veterans property at \$68.]

[Facts in file: the veteran moved to Indiana and was residing near Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana in 1826.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing April 28, 1818 for 3 years service as a private in the North Carolina Continental line.]