

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Joseph Haile S38814

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State of South Carolina Lancaster District

On this the 20th day of April in the year of our Lord 1830 personally appeared in open Court being a Court of record for the District of Lancaster in the State aforesaid Joseph Haile resident in said District, aged seventy-six years and two months who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the Acts of Congress of the 18th of March 1818 and the 1st May 1820 that the said Joseph Haile enlisted for the term of six months on the __ day of __ in the year 1777 in North Carolina in the Company commanded by Captain Simon Bright in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Howe. That he the said Haile enlisted on the __ day of __ in the year 1778 for three months in the State of North Carolina in the Company commanded by Captain Abraham Shepherd Junior in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Abraham Shepherd Senior in the line of the State of North Carolina.

That he the said Joseph Haile enlisted for the term of twelve months on the __ day of __ in the year 1778 & 1779 in the State of North Carolina in the Company commanded by Captain Benjamin Harrison in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Abraham Shepherd in the line of the State of North Carolina on the Continental establishment, that he continued to serve in all of said Corps until the expiration of the term for which he enlisted when he was discharged from the Service in the State of North Carolina, that he hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension, except the present; that his name is not on the roll of any State, and that the following all the reasons for not making earlier application for a pension, that he applied to the Honorable Stephen D Miller, when a representative in Congress from this State to obtain a pension for him that Mister Miller and require him to swear that he was unable to support himself, which he refused to do as he at that time was able to work that since that time from age and infirmity he has become too frail to support himself by his labor and therefore makes this application.

And in pursuance of the act of the first of May 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 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 That since the 18th of March 1818 the following are the only changes made in his property – to wit that he bought 8 claim to 67 acres of land and afterwards sold it for \$67.
 Sworn to and declared on the 22nd day of April 1832 before
 S/ Jn Adams, Clk



[Judge John B O'Neill and certify that the value of the veterans property is \$398.]

List of property of Joseph Hail 21st of April 1830

140 acres of land worth \$2 per acre	\$280
1 Mare and colt worth \$30	30
11 head of Cattle	33
10 head of hogs	10
8 head of sheep	<u>12</u>
	\$363
Household furniture etc. say worth	<u>35</u>
	\$398

State of North Carolina Secretary of State's Office

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State aforesaid, do certify, that it appears from the musterrolls of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary war, that Joseph Hale a private Soldier in Captain Quin's Company of the 10th Regiment enlisted on the 20th day of July 1778, for 9 months – nothing more is said of him on said rolls.

Given under my hand this 24th day of December 1830

S/ Wm Hill

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing January 13th, 1831, for 9 months service as a private in the North Carolina Continental line.]