Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Hardy Robinson S41992 fn14NC Transcribed by Will Graves 1/14/10

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State of North Carolina Beaufort County

S/ Jno. Hall

On this 3rd day of November in the year of our Lord 1818 before me the Subscriber one of the Judges of the Superior Courts of Law and Equity for the State aforesaid personally appeared Hardy Robinson aged fifty-seven years resident in the County of Pitt and State aforesaid also being by me first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain 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 Hardy Robinson enlisted in Bertie County in the State of North Carolina in the company commanded by Captain Redding Blount of the 10th Regiment of North Carolina on the 20th day of July 1778. That he continued to serve in said Corps eleven months and fifteen days when he was discharged at Halifax in the State of North Carolina that is to say on this 5th day of July 1779. That he was in no Battle while in the Regular Service but was employed the greater part of the above time in working on a Fort at West point. That he is in reduced circumstances and needs the assistance of his Country for support; and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services.

S/ Hardy Robinson, X his mark Sworn to and declared before me the day and year aforesaid

[William and Thomas Spain gave an affidavit as to the reduced circumstances of the veteran.]

Schedule of Hardy Robinson's Property

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one Horse bridle & saddle	\$70	One pair of scissors	\$0.10		
One Cow & calf	15	two chunk Bottles	.20		
One Sow and Eight Shotes Seven or eight		A ½ doz. Knves & forks	.40		
months old	8				
one wheel and cards	1	Two Benches			
one Small pot	.50	Fifteen Dollars owing	15.00		
one dutch oven	1.25	one Axe	1		
one skilet	.50	Two weeding hoes	1		
Two Cutter plows	2	Two Baskets	.50		
one scouter plow	.75	Corn standing in the			
		field say about 20 barrels			
		out of which \$40 Rent			

		is to be paid	\$5
one shovel plow	.75	½ Barrel flour	1.50
one gimblet	.05	15 or 20 lbs of salted Beef	
		.50	
half Dozen spoons	.25		
half dozen earthen plates	.25		
1 Pail 1 Piggin	.50		
	100.60		\$125.50

I certify that the above Schedule contains a true account of the whole of my property of every description.

S/ Hardy Robinson, X his mark

Anson County North Carolina: Courts of Pleas & Quarter Sessions October Term 1820 On this 10th day of October, 1820, personally appeared in open Court, being a court of Record for said County, receiving according to the course of the, and Law, with a jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount, keeping a record of its proceedings, & having the Seal, Hardy Robeson [sic] aged sixty years, resident in said County of Anson, late of the County of Pitt, and the said State of North Carolina, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows: That he enlisted at the town of Halifax in the State of North Carolina, on or about the first of June, in the year 1778, in the company commanded by Captain Blount in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Hogan [sic, James Hogun], in the line of the State of North Carolina, on the Continental Establishment, that he marched with said Regiment as far North as the Hudson River and the State of North Carolina, that he continued to serve in said Regiment until the 6th or about the 6th day of May in the year 1779, when he was discharged at the aforesaid town of Halifax by major Mebane who had succeeded Colonel Hogun in the command of said Regiment; that the said Hardy Robeson further declares that he has received a Pension under the Act of the 18th March 1818 & by virtue of Pension Certificate (No. 6373).

And the said Hardy Robeson doth solemnly swear that he was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that he has not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner whatever disposed of his property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring himself 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 h has not nor has any person in trust for me any property, or securities, contracts or debts due to him nor has he any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by him subscribed. And the said Hardy Robeson further declares that he is by profession a farmer, but that he is disqualified to pursue that occupation, to advantage, in consequence of a Rheumatic Affliction, that his family residing with him, consist of his wife Betsy 40 years of age, who is capable of, and employed in, spinning & weaving; and his 3 daughters Henrietta 12 years of age, Alec 9 years of age, and Tabathy 3 years old.

Sworn to and subscribed by the said Hardy Robinson on the 10th day of October 1820 before

S/A. Little, D. Clk

S/ Hardy Robinson, X his mark

And the said Hardy Robinson doth further declare on oath, that his original declaration was made

in the town of Washington in the County of Beaufort North Carolina before the judge Hall, one of the Judges of the Superior Courts of the said State of North Carolina, on or about the 3rd day of November 1818.

Witness: S/ Tod Robinson, Clerk

S/ Hardy Robinson, X his mark