## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of James Bonwell S42626

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The State of Ohio Brown County Ss

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 1818 before me the subscriber one of the associate Judges of the court for Common within and for the County aforesaid personally appeared James Bonwell about sixty eight and somewhere about eight months resident in the County aforesaid who being by me first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following decleration in order to obtain the provisions 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 the said James Bonwell enlisted at Accomack court house in the State of Virginia in the Company commanded by Captain Leaven Joines [Levin Joynes] of the ninth Virginia Regiment on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1776 That he continued to serve in the said corps or in the service of the United States untill the month of February 1778 when he was discharged from service at Valley forge in the State of Pensylvania and that he was in the battle of Brandywine [11 Sep 1777] and that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of assistance of his Country for support and that he has no other evidence in his power of his said services I am also satisfied that he needs the assistance of his country for support

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| Brown County      | Before me Jos N Campbell associate Judge for said county came Abraham          |
|                   | Brookbank who deposeth and sayeth that James Bonwell the foregoing applicant   |
| for a pention has | ut one mear and colt 4 head of sheep 1 milk cow and Heafer 9 head of hogs & no |
| other property o  | ny Description worth mentioning excepting some house hold property worth say   |
| twelve or fifteen | ollars and further sayeth not Abraham hisXmark Brookbank                       |