

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Feazle John                                      VA                                      S4284                                      f18VA  
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Ohio certificate 7760  
John Feazle of Licking County  
Private under Capt Rouse, Col Neville  
Virginia militia for 21 months  
Issued 25Mar1833 @ \$70/annum

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The state of Ohio, Licking County  
Court of Common Pleas, October Term 1832

On this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October 1832 personally appeared in open court John Feazle aged about eighty years, a resident of said county, who being first duly sworn doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1832. That he was born in the state of Virginia, and believes in the year 1752. Has no record of his age. That in 1777 (as he now believes, but of which he is not certain) He was drafted on a three month tour of Militia duty in Shenandoah County Virginia under Captain Rouse or Roush [*John Roush*] and joined the regular troops of the United States army at Chestnut Hill near Philadelphia and served his full term under Col Neville [*probably John Neville, possibly Presley Neville*] and was discharged and does not now remember where he was discharged. He however returned home to Virginia and in about four weeks afterwards being at Sto\_\_\_\_<sup>1</sup> Town he was drafted for a term of one year (1778) in a company of militia commanded by Captain Cooper [*probably George Cooper*] and with the company joined the main army at Valley Forge the commanded by Gen Washington in person. His company was attached to a regiment of the line commanded by Col Neville. Deponent not being certain about dates. Stated that he recollected that Philadelphia was evacuated soon after he joined the army on this tour. And the American Army marched in and took possession of the city. Deponent stated that he lay sick unable to perform duty at the Valley Forge from the first of June to the month of October. Being then restored he joined the army at White Plains New Jersey and was shortly after discharged, his term having expired. Does not recollect where he was discharged. Discharge long since lost or destroyed.

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Deponent stated he served a term of three months militia duty in 1779 as he thinks was drafted at Millerstown Shenandoah County Virginia and served under Captain Thomas Marshall in the militia of Virginia and was attached to Virginia line under Gen Stevens [*Edward Stevens*]. Was as above at the end of his term. Recollects that he was afterwards drafted for a *three* months tour of Militia duty. Cannot state at what time but that it was for the purpose of guarding the prisoners taken at the defeat of Cornwallis at Yorktown [*October 19, 1781*]. Was stationed at Winchester during the whole of his term and was discharged. Cannot recollect the names of his captain.

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Thinks he received a written but if so it is now lost or destroyed. Was in no fighting during his services. Has no documentary evidence nor does he know of any person by whom he can at this later period prove or further substantiate his services. Deponent that age and infirmity his memory is too defective to particulars in regard to his services but is very sure however that he served in the cause of his county the several tours of duty faithfully by one term of three months believed to be in in 1777, one tour one year in 1778-9, one tour of three months 1779, one of three after Cornwallis was taken making in all one year and nine months for which he claims a pension.

He hereby relinquishes every claim to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the roll of any agency in any state.

John Feazle x his mark  
s/A. H. Coffee, clk

Sworn and subscribed in open court.

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Routine county certification

William Quick and Joshua Armstrong, neighbors

A. H. Coffee, clerk

*[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$70 per annum commencing March 4<sup>th</sup>, 1831, for service as a private for 21 months in the Virginia militia.]*