Pension Application of Morres Ader S44289

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Morres Ades

Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

Morris Adaer of Madison Township in the county of Guernsey, & State of Ohio, farmer, upon oath maketh the following declaration:

That the said Morris Adaer on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight (or nine – this declarant doth not exactly remember which) enlisted for the term of the war, or so long as the war should continue, in Capt. Aaron Ogden's [pension application S19013] company of foot, in Col. [Matthias] Ogden's regiment, in the New Jersey line – that the declarant saith, fully served in said regiment until the end of the war, and was at the termination thereof, (the precise day this declarant doth not now remember) honorably discharged. That the declarant received written certificates of his discharge, and that he has lost the same by time and accident. That the declarant will be sixty three years of age on the 12th day of March next; infirm and from his reduced circumstances in life, he needs the assistance of his country for support. And that he hereby relinquishes his claim to every pension heretofore allowed him by the laws of the United States.

[27 Jan 1819]

The State of Ohio Guernsey County Ss.

On this 20th day of July eighteen hundred and twenty, personally appeared in open Court, being a Court of record for said county Morris Ader aged sixty three years a resident of Madison Township in said county, who being first duly sworn according to Law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows: In the first Regiment of the Jersey line under Captains Aaron Ogden, Jonathan Firman [sic: Jonathan Forman], John Howel [sic: John Howell W666], and discharged under Captain Alexander Mitchell and was at the battle of the Greenspring [Green Springs Plantation in VA, 6 Jul 1781] and at the taking of the Cornwallace [sic: Cornwallis at Yorktown, 19 Oct 1781], Original Declaration dated on the twenty seventh day of January one thousand eight hundred and nineteen. The number of the pension certificate is 11.549. 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 disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions 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.

Schedule

2 Horses	\$40.00	1 Table	\$1.00
2 Cows	25.00	1 Spinning wheel	3.00
2 Sows & thirteen pigs	10.00	Household furniture	8.00
	\$75.00		\$12.00

The declarant is indebted to the following persons to wit to

John Hanna	\$30.00
John Weller	18.50
Thomas Hanna	9.00
William Carlisle	15.00
James M. Bell	10.00
Thomas Lenfesty	20.00

The declarant is by occupation a farmer. The number of my family is two besides myself. Viz. Rebecca

my wife aged sixty seven years crippled a good deal in her back William Ader a grand child aged five years old. (signed) Morres Ader

NOTE: This Morres Ader is apparently the same person listed as Moses Ader on several rosters for the 1^{st} New Jersey Regiment.