

State of South Carolina, Greenville District, Court of General Sessions.

10 October 1832, Newman (X his mark) Wilson, age 76, a resident of Spartanburg Dist., made the following statements to secure the benefits of the Act of 7 June 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States about 2 years before Gates' defeat at Camden. He served 4 tours; the first under Captain Roundtree and General Ashe for 3 months; rendezvoused at Kingston, N.C., marched to Cross Creek Tavern, thence to Cheraw Hills on PeeDee River thence to Camden and on to Orangeburg. The second tour he served under Col. William Bratteny, Lt. Col. John Marphet, Capt. William Copeland on the Congaree in S.C., in the forts at Orangeburg, Wampras Fort, Fridays Fort, for about 2 months. The third tour he served about 3 months and marched from Orangeburg to Monks Corner, then to Quarterhouse, then to Monks Corner, then to church between Monks Corner and Huger's Bridge where a party of British and Tories were lying, thence to Hunger's Bridge and had a battle with them, then retreated back to Nelson's Ferry at the mouth of the Eutaws, thence to where Gen. Sumter had lived. He was under Gen. Sumter through the whole of this expedition. His fourth tour, he served 3 months, the time Savannah was evacuated by the British, at Orangeburg under Bratteny and Moffett.

He lived in Bute County, N.C. when he entered the service, was drafted every time and was in no general engagement. Served with Colonels Washington and Lee at the takin of the forts at Orangeburg and Wampons and Fridays.

That he was born in Richmond County, Va. In the year '56 and has no record of his age. He has no papers or documentary evidence. That Colonel Brockman, Mr. Kilgore and Mr. Westmoreland lived in his neighborhood and can testify as to his character.

Thomas Hutchings, Clergyman, and Thomas P. Brockman, residents of Greenville Dist., said that Newman Wilson was reputed to be a Revolutionary Soldier in the neighborhood in which he lived.

4 June 1833, Newman Wilson claims a pension as a private.

16.532 at \$40 per annum S.C. Roll to commence 4 March 1831. Certificate of pension issued 31 Aug 1833 and sent to B.F. Perry, Greenville, S.C. Last paid to 4 March 1844.