

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

In the Court of Common Pleas of Delaware County, being a Court of Record.

I John Griffitht aged about Seventy two years do solemnly Swear That I served as a private Soldier in the Revolutionary War in the Company commanded by Captain Faylat in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Johnson of the Pennsylvania Line as set forth in my original declaration dated as I believe on the twenty first day of April 1818 - Also that I am the same person to whom a Pension Certificate N^o 4691 hath been granted - And I do further Swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States of America 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 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 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 or property other than the following, The necessary clothing and bedding for myself and family excepted
To wit.

One Garden hoe . . . Value . . . \$. 60

And I do further Swear that I am by Occupation a Shoemaker, but am unable to do much labor owing to age and debility - though I work some at tending a garden - Making hay &c &c - Also that I have no family under my care being a Widower, and my children (five Daughters, living) all being of age and providing for themselves. -