

4th Judicial District of Penn^a }
Huntingdon County } 1820

On the sixteenth day of August 1820, personally appeared in Court, being a Court of Record in and for the County aforesaid, James Steed, aged sixty five years, and upwards, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the acts of Congress of the 18th March 1813 and the 1st of July 1820, that he the said James Steed, enlisted for the term of One year and nine Months, in the Month of May 1776, in Hancock Town in the State of Maryland (the said Hancock Town being on the border of the State of Pennsylvania) in the Company commanded by Captain Richard Brown, of the Regiment commanded by ^{Major} ~~Colonel~~ Miles in the line of the State of Pennsylvania, on the Continental establishment that he continued to serve in said Regiment, and in the 13th Pennsylvania Regiment to which he was transferred in the Company of Captain James Francis Moore, of said 13th Pennsylvania Regiment commanded by Colonel Walter Stewart, the said 13th Regiment being composed of a part of Colonel Miles Regiment after the Battle of Long Island, that he continued to serve in said Regiment until the ninth of April 1783, after Lord Cornwallis was taken when he left the said service and that he was not afterwards required to join his Regiment again; that he was among the reinforcement of Troops at the Battle of Long Island, and was in the Battle of Trenton, Brandywine and Germantown; also the Battle of the Clouds and in sundry skirmishes with the Enemy and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said service, except the Deposition of James Anderson, Esquire taken before Henry Linder Esquire of Bedford County, and the Deposition of Elyas Cook Booklet taken before Jacob Radabaugh Esquire both of which state that Deposition served in the Revolutionary War on the Continental establishment, against the Common Enemy, and are now exhibited to the Court, Marked A & B. And in pursuance of the act of the 1st May 1820, I James Steed, do solemnly swear, that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March One thousand Eight Hundred and eighteen and that I have not since, 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 the 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 One thousand eight hundred and Eighteen, 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 ^{or} what is contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and by me subscribed. Declarant also states his occupation to be that of a Chair Maker, and that his family consists of his Wife Ann, aged seventy nine years, and himself that they are both very infirm and not much able to contribute by their labour to their support.

Sworn to & Subscribed }
this 17th August 1820.

William Steel Provy

James Steed

Schedule of Declarant's property of every kind, Cattle & Bedding excepted.

1 Cow
1 Silver Watch
a few tools for making split Bottom chairs

James Steed