

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of William Dollor (Dollar) W22965 Ruth Dollar VA
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

State of Indiana } Sct.
Union County } Union Circuit Court

On this 9th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty two being the second Juridicial day of the July Term of the Union Circuit Court personally appeared in open Court being a Court [of] Record within and for the County of Union & State of Indiana William Dollar aged seventy nine years, resident in said County of Union who being duly sworn according to Law doth on his oath declare that he enlisted into the service on the 15th day of October in the year 1776 and was discharged on the 7th of December 1779 that he received his discharge from Colo. Russel [sic: William Russell] in Trenton New Jersey, that he enlisted first under Captain Morgan Alexander [rifle company raised in Frederick County], that he served in the Revolutionary War in the company successively commanded by Captains Marcus Calmes [sic: Marquis Calmes, pension application S12674] then Thomas Collet [sic: Thomas Catlett] in the Second Virginia Regiment, General Greens [sic: Nathanael Greene's] division, General Woodfords [William Woodford's] Brigade Colonel Christian Febeger [sic: Christian Febiger] Major Benjamin Day.

And I William Dollor 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.

Sworn to in open Court this 9th day of July 1822 William Dollor

One old Horse foalded in the year 1792 (worth)	\$5.00
One Feather Bed worth	10.00
Two Common Chairs	1.00
One small chest worth	0.50
One Small Pot worth	0.50
one Skillet worth	1.00
one broken Dutch oven worth	0.25
Amounting in the whole to	\$18.25

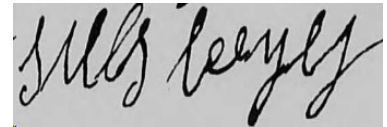
I am a farmer by occupation but not well able to pursue it being old and infirm. My wife lives with me who is upwards of sixty eight years old. William Dollar

The State of Ohio Clermont County, [4 March 1822]

Personally appeared before me Joseph Stockton one of the justics of the peace in and for s'd. County Susannah Lovell who being duly sworn according to Law deposeth and saith, that she knew William Dollar of Fredrick County Verginia, that some time in the Revolutionary War between Great Britton and the United States, she understood that the said William Dollar inlisted in the United States service for three years, at the same time the s'd. Dollar lived or made his home at the house of this Deponant and she done his washing, that a few days after he the s'd. Dollar had inlisted, her husband John Loval [John Lovell] inlisted also in the same Company, that this deponant parted with the s'd. William Dollar and shook hands hands with him when he was about to start as she understood into the service, he then having his knapsack on his back and his gun in his hand, and that after he the said William Dollar returned from the Armeý she saw his Discharge, heard it read and heard some men then present say that it was good; and further this Deponant saith not Susannah herXmark Lovell

The State of Ohio Clermont County,

Personally appeared before me Joseph Shelton one of the Justices of the peace in and for said County Silas Beezley who being duly sworn according to Law deposeth and saith that, to the best of his remembrance in the year of 1780 A Corporal of a Malitia Company in South Carolina, in Laurance [sic: Laurens] County, ordered or warned William Dollar to muster on a certain day, said Dollar refused and shewed him his discharge which discharge the said Deponant understood to be a discharge from the Service of three years in the Revolutionary war and the s'd. Dollar was ever after to the best of the knowledge of this Deponant exempt from military duty, and further this Deponant saith not Sworn & subscribed before me March 9th 1822

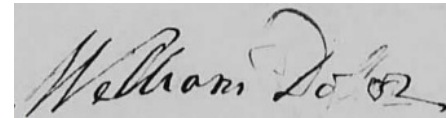


State of Ohio }

Clermont County } Before me the undersigned Justice of the peace within and for said appeared personally John Miles [pension application W2682] who being legally sworn upon his oath saith that in or about the year 1777 he was a soldier in the army of the revolution, that he then became acquainted with William Dollor who was then a soldier in the 2^d Regiment of the Virginia line on Continental Establishment, that he knew and saw the said William frequently for about the space of eighteen months part of which time the army lay at Middle Brook [Middlebrook] in New Jersey and that he frequently seen said William on parade and doing the duties of a soldier. And further saith not. Sworn to and subscribed before me the 11th day of March 1822 John hisXmark Miles

NOTES:

On 24 Oct 1828 William Dollor signed as shown a statement that he had moved to Fulton County IL.



On 16 Oct 1843 Matthew Tatum, son-in-law of William and Ruth Dollar, applied on behalf of their children for the pension due to Ruth Dollar. He stated that William Dollar married Ruth Beezley around 1780 and he died on 6 Sep 1838, and that his widow died on 19 Feb 1842. He stated that both William and Ruth Dollar were living with him at the time of their deaths. He listed the children surviving their mother as follows: Mary Logan of Indiana, wife of John Logan; Elisabeth Thorp of Arkansas, wife of John Thorp; William Dollar of Georgia; James Dollar of Indiana; Isaac Dollar of Missouri; Lydia Tatum of Fulton County, wife of Matthew Tatum. He submitted the family record transcribed below, which he certified was written about 29 years previously by Joseph Dollar, the second child of William and Ruth Dollar.

On 17 Oct 1843 Stephen Lindsey, 68, stated that he had lived as a child in Berkeley County VA, where his mother's sister, Ruth Beezley, also lived, and that he had lived with William and Ruth Dollar in 1782 or 1783, and that around 1789 or 1790 they had moved to Carolina and later to within 25 miles of where he then lived in Fulton County. A note in the file states that the older sister of Stephen Lindsey, a Mrs. Custard, had stated that William and Ruth Dollar were married near the border between Berkeley and Frederick counties.

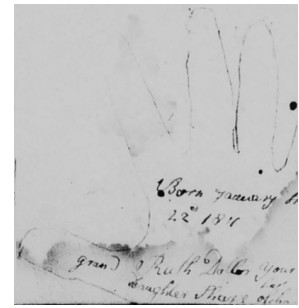
List of Children Born to William Dollar Sen'r in S

Mary Dollar was born in february 19th 1781

Joseph Dollar was born in September 6th 1785

Elizebeth Dollar was born in September 5th 1788
William Dollar Jun'r was born in December 2nd 1789
James Dollar was born in September 29th 1792
Jesse Dollar was born in October 6th 1797
Lyda Dollar was born in July 4th 1805

[Shown to right]
Born January the 22nd 1811
Ruth Dollar your grand Daughter [illegible] John



To Mrs Ruth Dollor
[Shown to right]
John William Dollar was Born the 4 of November 1813



[The following letter is part of the family record:]

Dear Mother} Lawrence Deidrick[?] September the 17th 1814

I received your Letter with joy on the 30th Day of August which was great satisfaction to hear of welfare and all being in a good state of health I begin to Address you with a few Lines to inform you that we are all well at this Present thanks be to god for his Mercies & Billy got married to Lin[?] Prat[?] on the 23rd of November Last and father had not a Eliane[?] to have or nor Could get any Company to come out I was offering to come out But was stopt on the Account of trial Between Mahon and Elmore about Wrights Land and Bound Over to Attend Court which wont be 'till the 14th of November We have Exceeding good Crops here as Ever was known for many years and the Draught is Over me and Billy got Clear I expect to Start next August out there. to see you all if keep my health I heard of your Brother Silas and is gone Over the Misippi Your Brother Joseph has been here to see us Aunt Polly Beezley is Dead Aunt Alse Young is going to Decay She has Lost the use of one Side with the Palsy you must Excuse my Short Writeing to you at this time So no more at Presen But Remains Your Loving Son and Daughter W. [page torn]