

20347

Robert Tucker
Lighter Cropper

of Adams Co. in the State of Kentucky
who was a Private in the Company commanded
by Captain Roberts - of the Regiment commanded
by Colonel Taylor in the Virginia
line, for the term of 2 years
from 1778 to 1780

Inscribed on the roll of Kentucky
at the rate of \$2.00 Dollars per month, to
commence on the 27 day of July 1832

Certificate of Pension issued the 29 of July
1831 and sent to the Hon.
W. J. Barry, P. M. Bank

Arrears to 4th of
Semi-ann'l all'ce ending 4 Sep 1832 \$10.35
\$10.35

Revolutionary Claim,
Acts March 18, 1818,
and May 1, 1920.

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Order given, See letter
to J. Telford, P. O. P.
Fr. Co. sent to head of P. Mag. //
1834 - order to pay 30 Nov. 1836 -
relaters to P. O. P. & Hon. J. R. Henderson
Dec. 24. 1836 -

Date of receipt in 1836

State of Kentucky, Adair County, on this 11th day of
September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and twenty nine, personally appeared
Leaton Cooper in open court being a holder of record
for the County of Adair and State aforesaid
resident in said County aged about 72 years
who being first duly sworn according to law doth
in his oath make the following declaration in
order to obtain the provisions made by the act
of Congress of the 18th March 1818 and the first of
May 1820 that he the said Leaton Cooper entered for
the term of as long as certain prisoners taken in the
Kent States remained, as the States prisoners in the
State of Virginia stationed in Albemarle County
having entered about the year 1778 and con-
tinued in the service of the State until the
said prisoners was removed to the State of
Maryland making the term of my service
about 2 or 3 years under Captain John Roberts
and believe the 22nd Regiment commanded
by Col J Taylor in the Virginia line on the
Continental establishment and was regularly
discharged by Col J Taylor at Winchester Va
he states that he is by occupation a farmer
but that he is now in such indigent circum-
stances and infirm that he is not able to sup-
port himself without the assistance of his
Country he states that he has no family and
in pursuance of the act of Congress on the
1st of May 1820 he the said Leaton Cooper
does solemnly swear that he was a resident, citi-
zen and free white male on the 1st day of
March 1818 and that he has not since that
time by gift sale or in any manner disposed
of my property or any part thereof with intent
thereby to disannul it as to being myself with
in the provision of an act of Congress enti-
tled an act to provide for certain persons
engaged in the land and naval service of

of the United States in the Revolutionary war
 signed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that
 I have not nor has any person in trust of me
 any property or securities or debts due me nor have
 any income other than what is mentioned
 in the schedule here annexed and by me
 subscribed. The following is a list of all my
 property. one horse worth about fifty dollars
 one bed worth about \$20 in all \$75
 Leaton & Cooper
 make

The following is a list of the changes in my
 property since the 18th of March 1818.

Disposition of property	Names of persons to whom disposed	Time of sale	Amount of money & description of property received in return
I had some stocks	consumed by myself		
house hold furniture	fairly in our support		

The reason I did not make an earlier applica-
 tion for a pension was because I was now
 able to work than I now am and had some
 small quantity of stock and family of
 children to help work Leaton & Cooper
 make

Sworn to and declared on the 17th day of June 1829
 September 1829 before the Adair Circuit Court
 being a court of record

I William Caldwell Clerk of the Adair Circuit
 Court do certify that the foregoing Oath and
 Schedule annexed are truly copied
 from the records of said Court and I do further
 certify that it is the opinion of the said Court
 that the total amount in value of the property
 exhibited in the aforesaid Schedule is Seventy
 five dollars

In testimony

August 23, 1932

BA-J/AWF
Leighton Cooper
S.35867

Mrs. Leo Schultheis
803 Buntin Street
Vincennes, Indiana

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter requesting information in regard to Leighton Cooper, a soldier of the War of the Revolution.

The data furnished herein were obtained from the papers on file in pension claim, S.35867, based upon the Revolutionary War service of Leighton or Leaton Cooper.

He enlisted in Albemarle County, Virginia, sometime in 1778 and served as a private in Captain John Roberts' company and in Colonel Francis Taylor's Virginia regiment, and was discharged at Winchester, Virginia, having served about two years.

He was allowed pension on his application executed September 14, 1829, at which time he was seventy-two years of age and living in Adair County, Kentucky.

He referred to his children but did not give any names nor is the name of his wife shown.

In order to obtain the date of last payment of pension, the name of person paid and possibly the date of death of the above mentioned Revolutionary War pensioner, you should apply to The Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, Washington, D. C., citing all of the following data:

Leighton Cooper, certificate number 20347, issued July 29, 1831, rate \$8.00 per month, to commence July 27,

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Section

1831, Act of March 18, 1818, Kentucky Agency:

Very truly yours

A. D. HILLER
Assistant to Administrator