

United States

4th Judicial District

of Pennsylvania Huntingdon County pp

at the Courts of Common

Please holden this day /twaity the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1820 at  
Huntingdon before the Honourable Charles Huston Esquire  
his Associate David Stewart and Joseph McCune Esquires  
Judges of the said Courts being a Court of Record Personally  
Appeared in open Court Joseph Geddes who being duly sworn  
deposes and saith and on his oath aforesaid doth declare  
that he enlisted as a soldier in the Revolutionary war for  
the term of One year and Nine Months in a Company  
Commanded by Captain Green afterwards commanded  
by Captain Alexander 6<sup>th</sup> Regiment in the Pennsylvania  
line Commanded by Colonel Irvin as set forth in his ori-  
ginal Declaration the date of which he doth not now re-  
collect but believes it was some time in May 1815 which  
said declaration was forwarded to the War Department  
and on which a Pension Certificate issued to the said  
Joseph Geddes dated the nineteenth day of April 1820 signed  
J. C. Calhoun Secretary of the War which certificate is  
numbered 16,733 and is now in the possession of the De-  
clarant which in pursuance of the Act of Congress of  
the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 1820 makes the following declarations  
on oath (to wit) I. Joseph Geddes do swear that I  
was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1815 and that I have not since that time by gift  
Sales or in any other manner disposed of my property  
or any part thereof with an intent thereto 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 18<sup>th</sup> day of  
March 1815 and that I have not nor has any person  
or persons in trust for me any property or securities  
contracts or debts due me nor have I any incomes other  
than which is contained in the Schedule hereto annexed  
and by me subscribed the said declarant also states that  
he is seventy five years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March