



his mother after the death of his father. That he received a discharge from Colonel John Liles, which was burnt up in his house, which was burnt in 1786 or 1787. That during the latter part of the year 1780 & the year 1781 he was almost constantly in the Service and chiefly under the same General officers, that were mentioned in the former declaration, but that he was so frequently out in small scouting parties he cannot recollect the particular officers under whom he was -- That he was in the year 1781 at the taking of the Congaree Fort -- there was a party of militia among whom he was, they lay around the Fort for two weeks, until General Lee upon his return from the battle of Eutaw Springs, came with his cannon & took the Fort. That by reason of loss of memory, he cannot State the precise periods & length of times he served but according to the best of his recollection he served not less than 12 months in addition to the four tours of three months each, which he served & which is mentioned in the former declaration -- and all not less than two years & for which he claims a pension. That he is known to General John J. Dyer, Thomas Wadlington, Blake Baker & David Mitchell also the honorable Chittenden Lyon member of Congress from this district of his neighborhood, who can testify as to his general character or veracity and their belief of his Services as a Soldier in the Revolution.

Sworn to & subscribed the day & year first written.

S/ John Grasty

S/ Thos. McFarland, JP

[On February 8, 1847, in Trigg County, Ky, Sashal Grasty, son of John Grasty filed under the 1838 act stating that his father was a pensioner at the rate of \$60 per annum for his revolutionary services; that his father married his mother Lucy Litchpatrick [?] in 1791 in Newberry District SC; that his father died November 17, 1833; and that his mother died October 6, 1839]

[facts in file: John Grasty married Frances [maiden name not given] November 15, 1785; she died November 17, 1786; he then married July 7, 1791 in Newberry District Lucy Fitchpatrick [?]; John and Frances had one child, Polley, born August 21, 1786; Lucy died survived by the following children:

Sashel; John M.; William and Harvey Grasty.]