Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Pension Claim of Richard Booker VAS1223 Sarah Booker Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

[From Revolutionary pension records in the Library of Virginia.]

I do with the advice of the Council, hereby certify, that Sarah Booker, who appears to be the Widow of Richard Booker late a private in the third Virginia Regiment and died in the Service of the United States, is put on the Pension List with an allowance of eight Pounds yearly, from the first day of January One thousand seven hundred and eighty nine.

Given under my hand as Governor of the Commonwealth at Richmond this 28th day of July 1789 Sam'l Coleman. Beverley Randolph

I certify that Sarah Booker a resident of Mecklenburg County is in indigent circumstances & does not appear to me to be of bodily ability to support herself by labour. Given under my hand this 7th day of May 1793. Rich'd. Kennon

To the worshipfull court of Mecklenburg

This is hereby to certifye to you that Thomas Mason is my atto. to receive my pention for the present year. Witness my hand this 28th June 1794. Sarah herXmark Booker Test/ Jno. Vaughan/ Jonath Knight/ J Coleman £8. for '93 Wm. Starling – Meck'g/ Ent'd. 1st Nov'r '94

NOTE: The file includes several documents similar to the above, the last dated December 1801.