## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## Pension application of Albert Roux BLWt1818-300 Transcribed by Will Graves

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State of South Carolina Charleston District: In the Court of Ordinary Office, May 29th 1830

I certify, that satisfactory evidence was adduced to me, to prove that Lewis Roux is the brother and only heir at law in fee to Captain Albert Roux late a soldier in the Second Regiment of the South Carolina line.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office, this 29th day of May 1830 S/ James D. Mitchell, Ordinary

State of South Carolina County of Charleston District

I, Lewis Roux heir at law of Captain Albert Roux do, upon oath, testify and declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that Albert Roux did enlist in 1776, for the term of during the war, and served in the Regiment No. two under the command of Colonel Moultrie [William Moultrie] & Marion [Francis Marion] of the South Carolina line; and that he continued in the service aforesaid until the end of the War.

I further declare, that I have never received a warrant for the bounty land promised to Albert Roux on the part of the United States; nor do I believe that he ever received it, or transferred his claim to it in any manner whatsoever; therefore,

Know all men by these presents, that I Lewis Roux aforesaid, do hereby constitute and appoint Robert Y. Hayne to be my true and lawful attorney, for me and in my name to demand and receive from the Secretary of War of the United States, a warrant for the quantity of land due to me as aforesaid; and my said attorney is hereby fully authorized and empowered to constitute and appoint one or more substitutes or attorneys under him, for the special purposes above expressed.

Attest: S/J. H. Mitchell, QU

S/ Lewis Roux

Anvis Roux

State of South Carolina

We the undersigned, hereby certify that we knew the late Albert Roux, who was a Captain in the South Carolina, Second Regiment of Regulars, commanded by Colonel Moultrie afterwards Marion & during the Revolution. Also are well acquainted with Lewis Roux of this City, who is generally known and reputed as the brother of the said Captain Albert Roux deceased -- and from our knowledge of the parties fully believes they are Brothers --Charleston this 28th May 1830 S/ Sam<sup>1</sup>. Wragz

S/ Keat<sup>g</sup> Simons S/Tho. W. Bacot S/ William Read<sup>1</sup>

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>2</sup> relating to Albert Roux Audited Account No. 6640

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To the Honorable the President, and the Members of the Senate -

Gentlemen,

I am an Officer in the Second Regiment of the State of South Carolina, on the Continental Establishment, And one of those that received a wound on the 9<sup>th</sup> October 1779,<sup>3</sup> at the unfortunate Attack of Savannah, which was in a great measure deprived me of the use of my right Arm, I have not the least prospect of getting the perfect use of my fractured Limb, and shall of course be a cripple as long as I live –

By the Small number of Troops, we have in our Line, I am turned out of the Service, without any provision being made; neither have I an immediate expectation of receiving the three Years and two Months pay that is due me; And my situation will be truly distressing, unless this Honorable House will take my case into consideration, and make such provision for me, as to enable me to subsist.

This, Gentlemen, is my reason for thus addressing you, for which, I hope my disabled situation will be a Sufficient Apology: My circumstances require your immediate Assistance;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> William Read S4766

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at <u>http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/</u>. The file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Siege of Savannah September 16-October 9, 1779 <u>http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/790916-savannah/</u>

Therefore, I beg leave to [indecipherable word]<sup>4</sup> the Benefit of a resolution of this House made for the relief of Officers and Soldiers wounded in the Service –

I have the Honor to be with the greatest respect

Mr. President & Gentlemen,

Your most Obedient Servant S/ Albert Roux, Capt. South Carolina Line

Chs Town [Charleston] February 19, 1783

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In the House of Representatives February 22, 1783

The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Albert Roux, a Captain in the South Carolina Line

Report, he be put on the same footing – with the rest of the Officers of the said Line, as is mentioned in a Report of your Committee of the  $19^{\text{th}}$  Instant, with respect to the pay and Subsistence, that shall be found due him, – And they further recommend that he be entitled to the benefits of the Resolution of this House, making provision for officers & Soldiers – who may be disabled in the Service, –

Resolved,

That this House do agree to the foregoing report.

Ordered,

That the above report, and Resolution be sent to the Honorable the Senate for their Concurrence,

By Order of the House S/ John Sanford Dark, CHR In the Senate the 27<sup>th</sup> February 1783,

Resolved that this House do concur with the House of Representatives in the above Report and Resolution.

Ordered that the above Report and Resolution be sent to the House of Representatives.

By order of the House

S/ Peter Bounetheau, C. S. [Clerk of the Senate]

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