Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William S. White R107

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[cover sheet] Va Sea Service Surgeon's Mate

White, William S.

R107 Va half pay See Acc 837 Virginia State Navy Y S File William S. White

Pension Office October 24, 1845

I certify that I have examined the claim of Littleton S White, son and only heir at law of William S White, deceased, who was a Surgeon's Mate in the Virginia State Navy; and I find that in 1834, half pay was allowed in this case under the act of July 5 1832, entitled "an act to provide for liquidating and paying certain claims of the State of Virginia," from the 22nd of April 1783, in the said Littleton S White now claims half pay from the first of July 1781, when his father left the service. The claim in my opinion should be allowed. I therefore certify that under the above mentioned act half pay is due said Littleton at the rate of \$91.25 per annum from the 31st July 1781 to the 29th of April 1783; and that the amount is payable to Henry Nathup, attorney of Littleton S White, son and only heir of William S White deceased.

Commissioner of Pensions

Approved Secretary of War

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 26th day of April 1785, in the name of William White as Surgs Mate Navy for £101.2.2 which Certificate appears to have been delivered to Colonel Cropper and was given for services prior to the 1st January 1782.

Given under my hand, at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 3rd day of

June, 1834.

S/ Jas E. Heath, AUDITOR

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