

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Andrew Philips S32442

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South Carolina Charles Town [Charleston]

These are to Certify that the bearer Andrew Philips formerly a private soldier on Captain Joseph Philips' company of the fourth North Carolina Regiment, and transferred January 8th 1778 to Captain James Read of the first North Carolina Regiment has served in said Companies and Regiments for the term of three years and no longer and is for the reasons below mentioned Discharged from said Regiments he having received his pay, arrears of pay, all his Clothes except such as are mentioned on the back of his Discharge, all just demands from the Time of his Enlisting into the said Regiments to this day of his Discharge he is Discharged, having Enlisted on the 1st day of April 1777 for the Term of three years only as appears by the Record on the Muster Rolls and to prevent any ill use, that may be made of this Discharge by its falling into the hands of any person here follows a Description of the above Andrew Philips, aged Twenty-one years five feet six inches high Gray Eyes light brown hair born in Virginia Orange County by occupation a Farmer. Given under my hand this 20th day of April 1780 –

[signature too faint to discern]

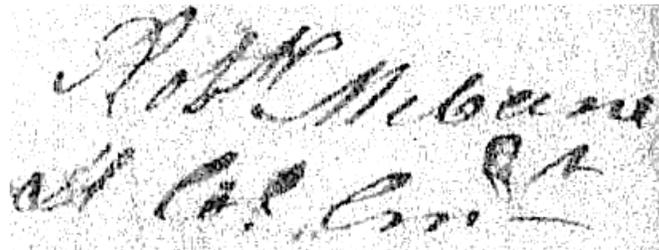
Williamsburg July 27th 1780

The Commissarys of Issues are directed to furnish the bearer with provisions from this place

to his reputed [?] home

S/ Robt. Mebane

Lt. Col. Comt.

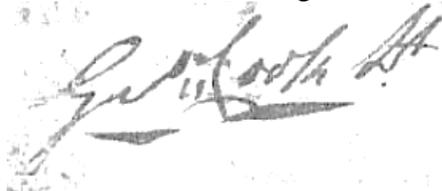


[reverse side]

These are to Certify that there is due Andrew Philips, Two hats—
Two pair of Linen overHalls [sic], one Blankett, Two hunting shirts to—
Compleat the allowance of Clothing pr Year agreeable to his Oath &

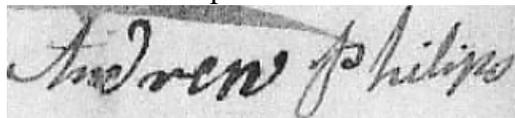
My Accompts [?]

S/ Geo Cook Lt. [George Cook Lieutenant]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Geo Cook Lt".

I Andrew Philips do acknowledge to have Received my pay arrears of pay Clothing of all sorts there above mentioned Except and all other Just demands from the day of any Enlisting in the Said Regt. to this day of my discharge.

S/ Andrew Philips

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Andrew Philips".

Geo Cook, Lt.

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State of Alabama Pickens County}

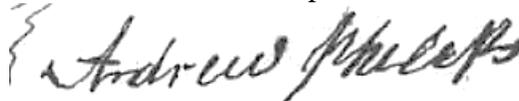
On this 20th day of August A.D. 1832 Personally appeared before the Judges of the County of the County of Pickens and State of Alabama Andrew Philips a resident citizen of the County and State aforesaid aged Seventy-three years -- who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the Provision made by the act of Congress passed June the 7th 1832.

That he entered in the Army of the United States on the first day of April in the year 1777, with Joseph Phillips Captain and served in the 4th Regiment of the North Carolina line under the following named officers, Colonel Thomas Polk, Lieutenant Colonel William Thacker¹ [sic, James Thackston?], Major not recollected, And that he was transferred in the year 1778 to Captain James Reed of the first North Carolina line commanded by Colonel Thomas Clark & Lieutenant Colonel Robert Mebane -- Major not recollected --

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or an annuity except the present.

And he declares, that his name is not on the Pension Roll of any agency in any State. Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid

S/ Andrew Philips

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Andrew Philips".

S/ George H. Flournoy, Judge

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State of North Carolina Secretary of State's Office

¹ No Continental officer by this name served in the North Carolina line. Lt. Col James Thackston was an officer in the 4th NC Regiment.

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State aforesaid, do certify, that it appears from the musterrolls of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary war that Andrew Philips a private Soldier in Captain Joseph Phillips's Company of the 4th Regiment enlisted on the first day of April 1777 for 3 years, and that nothing more is said of him on said rolls.

Given under my hand this 16th day of April 1833

S/ W. Hill

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State of Alabama Pickens County: County Court July Term 1834 July 7th 1834

This day personally appeared in open Court Susan Phillips and made oath that she is the widow of Andrew Phillips late of said County deceased who departed this life on the 14th day of October 1833, and who was the rightful owner of the Certificate issued from the pension office and a copy of said Certificate is hereto annexed

[pension certificate copied here]

S/ Susan Phillips, X her mark

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$80 per annum commencing March 4, 1831, for service as a private for 2 years in the North Carolina Continental line.]