Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of Jacob Teague S41235

VA

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I do hereby certify that Jacob Teague inlisted a soldier with Captain Thomas Parker, in the war of the Revolution, that he marched to the Southward, and I have understood and believe that this man of color was a good soldier and that he is now a meritorious honest laborer in the same county in which I dwell.

Given under my hand in Accomack the 27th day of July 1818.

J W. Cropper [John Cropper, pension application W3781] formerly Lt. Colo. Comm'dt 11th Virg'a. Regim't in the War of the Revolution

[On the same paper:]

The above named Jacob Teggue served in my company in the revolutionary war as above stated & is now in needy circumstances I believe. Given under my hand this 14th October 1818.

Thos. Parker formerly Capt. in the 9th Virg'a Regiment

District of Virginia

on this fifth day of May 1819 before me the subscriber one of the Judges of the General Court of Virginia for the said district personally appeared Jacob Teague aged sixty three years resident in Accomack County in the s'd district who being by me first duly sworn according to Law doth on his Oath make the following declaration in order to Obtain the provision made by the Late act of Congress entitled an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval service of the united States in the revolutionary war. that he the said Jacob Teague enlisted for the term of eighteen months on the [blank] day of [blank] in the year 1781 in accomack in the state of virginia in the Company Commanded by Captain Thomas Parker of the eleventh Regiment Commanded by Colo Arthur Campbell [sic: see endnote] in the line of the State of virginia on the Continental establishment that he Continued to serve in the s'd Corps or in the service of the united States until the year 1783 about the end of the war when he was discharged from service in Accomack Cty State of Virginia that he was in the Battles of [blank] and that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support and that he has no other Evidence now in his power of his s'd services

Commonwealth of Virginia Accomack County to wit

on this 2nd day of August 1820 personally appeared in open Court being a Court of Record (the said Court proceeding according to the course of the Common law with a jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount and keeping a record of its proceedings and having the power of fine and imprisonment: Jacob Teague aged sixty three years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows that he the said Jacob enlisted as a soldier to serve Eighteen months in a Company Commanded by Capt. Thomas Parker of the Eleventh Virginia Regiment (on Continental establishment) Commanded by Colo Arthur Campbell & that he served the said Eighteen months and that he made his declaration before George Parker Judge of the Superior Court of law of Accomack County on the 5th day of May 1819 which was his original application and he solemnly swears that he was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 8th day of March 1818 and that he has not since that time by Gift sale or in any manner disposed of his property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring himself within the provision of an act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the united states in the Revolutionary war passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that he has not nor has any person in trust for him any property or securities contracts or debts due to him nor has he any income other that what is contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed and by him subscribed, the said Jacob further states on oath that his family consists of himself a wife and two step children. That he has no trade but is healthy his wife is named

Alicia who is about 29 years of age and is healthy, one step son named Arthur Harrison who is very infirm and in the 11th year of his age the other step child is a son about seven years of age and is healthy he is a tenant on about a half acre of land on which he lives. It is ordered to be certified that it is the Opinion of the Court that the total amount in value of the property Scheduled in the aforesaid Schedule is \$16.50.

Schedule of the property of Jacob Teague	August 2 nd 1820
1 Broad axe 2 logwood axes	\$5.00
1 Table 1 old chest 2 grub hoes	2.50
1 weeding hoe 1 small hilling hoe	1.00
1 Iron Pott 1 scythe 1 plough	4.00
1 Pig	
1 spinning wheel ½ Dozen Cups & saucers	s 3.00
½ Dozen plates 1 old Spider	1.00
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At a Quarterly Sessions Court held for Accomack County on the 30th day of August 1820. Jacob Teague aged sixty three years who on the 2nd day of August 1820 appeared in this Court and made on oath his declaration, that he served in the Revolutionary war & this day produced before the Court John Charnock [S38598] aged sixty four years who on oath declared that the said Jacob Teague enlisted at the same time that he did and served in the Revolutionary army on continental establishment in the same company that he the said John did, and that they served in the said army Eighteen months which was the time they enlisted for and then were discharged.

At a Quarterly Sessions Court held for Accomack County on the 26th day of March 1822 Solomon Parks [S5486] aged about fifty eight years and Zadock Bayly [Zadock Bailey VAS931] aged about sixty three years who being first duly sworn depose and say that Jacob Teague aged about sixty three years (the same Jacob Teague that has heretofore made application in this Court) enlisted in the Revolutionary war in the same Company with them, that the said Jacob Teague served Eighteen months as a soldier. The Company in which they enlisted were commanded by Capt. Thomas Parker which company was in the 11th Virginia Regiment which said Regiment was commanded by a Col. Campbell, the same that was killed at the battle of Eutaw Springs [8 Sep 1781].

NOTE: Col. Arthur Campbell was in the militia of Washington County VA. There was no Col. Campbell in the 11th Virginia Regiment. The Col. Campbell who was killed at the Battle of Eutaw Springs SC, as stated by Parks and Bailey, was Lt. Col. Richard Campbell of the 4th Virginia Regiment. I could find no record of a Capt. Thomas Parker in that regiment.