Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Pension Claim of Charles (Stewart) Bloxom VAS1218 Comfort Bloxom Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

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

At a Court held in Accomack County January 26th 1791

Comfort Bloxom (widow of Charles) presented her Certificate from his Excellency Beverly Randolph Esquire Governor of the Common Wealth allowing her eight pounds per year as a Pension, which Certificate follows in these words. to wit.

"I do with the advice of Council hereby certify that Comfort Bloxom widow of Charles Alias Stewart Bloxom late a Soldier who died in the service of the United States is put on the list of Pensioners with an allowance of Eight pounds per annum, commencing the first day of January one thousand seven hundred and ninety.

Given under my hand as Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia at Richmond the Thirtieth day of November one thousand seven hundred and ninety. Beverly Randolph.

Samuel Coleman

Ordered that the Sherif Collect the above Pension and pay the same unto the said Comfort Bloxom as her pension for the year one thousand seven hundred & ninety

Cert'd 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov'r 1791 Test Littleton Savage CAC

Rec'd. of John Custis Esq'r this 13<sup>th</sup> day July 1793 the within mentioned sum of Eight pounds for the year one thousand seven hundred ninety two Test/ Wm. Drummond Comfort herXmark Bloxom

At a Court held in accomack County november the first 1796

Ordered that it be certified to the Executive that Comfort Bloxom relict of Charles alias Stewart Bloxom a poor Soldier who died in the Continental Service is still a widow and in indigent circumstances and that the Sherif pay her the allowance formerly made her by the Executive

Test Littleton Savage CAC

NOTE: The file contains other documents similar to the above, the last dated 7 Jan 1804.