## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia Pension Application of William Hubard (Hubbard) VAS1725 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. Revised 10 Apr 2015.

[From Revolutionary pension records in the Library of Virginia as Hubbard, William.]

I do certify that a discharge was put into my hands by William Hubbard late a Serjeant in the 1<sup>st</sup> Virginia Reg't. signd by Brigadier General [Charles] Scott certifying his having servd three years in the s'd. Reg't. and having rec'd. a wound in the Battle of German Town [Germantown, 4 Oct 1777] was of course entitled to half pay; – Which said discharge was accidentally lost out of my possession. Given under my Hand the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of March 1784.

[Robert Lawson Brigadier General Militia]

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battle of German Town he rec'd. a wound in one of his legs in consequence of which he was obliged to leave the service, that at several times the wound hath inflamed, and endangered the loss of his leg, to the great injury and expence of your Petitioner. That he is now, and hath been for several months confined to his bed, and a Physician attending him. He conceives that besides a reimbursment of his Expences, he is entitled to a compensation for the injury the hath already sustained and is likely hereafter to sustain by the loss of his labour, the only means of his support. He therefore Prays he may receive an adequate allowance & be put on the list of Pensioners.

I DO, with the advice of the Council, hereby certify that William Hubbard late a Serjeant in the first Virg'a. Regiment appears to have been disabled in such a manner while in the service of The Continent as to entitle him to the sum of Eighteen Pounds yearly, which allowance is accordingly made him, to commence from the Twenty second day of December 1785

GIVEN under my hand at Richmond, this Second day of January 1786. [Gov. Patrick Henry]

Prince Edward – April [illegible word] Court 1787

Ordered that the Sherif pay William Hubbard Serjant in the first Regiment a pensioner Eighteen pounds.

Indorsed on the pension Certificate in Court April 1787

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April 10<sup>th</sup> 1788 Rec'd. the within from John Holcombe D[?]

[The last document in the above file is a receipt signed by Hubard on 25 Aug 1794.]

[From <u>Library of Virginia Legislative Petitions Digital Collection</u>/ Campbell County – Hubbard, William]

To the Hon'ble Speaker and Members of the General Assembly of Virginia

The Humble petition of William Hubbard, late a soldier in the first Virginia Regiment of Continental troops in the service of the United States in the Revolutionary War Humbly sheweth that your petitioner was wounded in the leg at the battle of German Town on the 4<sup>th</sup> of October 1777 that the wound continued painfull to your petitioner so as to prevent him from Labour in very great degree ever since. That on or about the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year 1785 your petitioner had the ball extracted with a hope of its restoring him to his health and strength, but to his great mortification received but a temporary relief therefrom. That he became nearly exhausted by the unabateing pain so that at length on or about the 7<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year 1804 he was obliged to have his Legg cut off; in order to save his life, that the expence of which and that attending his long and painfull Illness previous thereto far exceeded the pension of sixty Dollars allowed your petitioner for his support & that of his family

You petitioner therefore Humbly prays that your Hon'ble house will take his case into consideration and so ogment his pension or otherwise so as to enable him to precure for his famley the common ordinary necessaries of life and your petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray &c.

We the subscribers are well acquainted with the petitioner and do know that he is a man of probity and Industry when able to Labour; that he has a wife and Eight Children none of which is able to Labour but in a very small degree; and that he is an object Worthy of relief

J Scott [Joseph Scott W5993], late a capt. in the  $1^{\text{st}}$  Va Regt in the Revolutionary War

Robert Campbell Rich'd E. Booker J. Wimbish

I have every reason to believe the above representation is correct Geo. Carrington

Claims Ref'd Dec'r. 12 1805/ Rejected/ reported Dec'r 27<sup>th</sup> 1805