## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## Pension application of William McCue VAS577 Transcribed by Will Graves

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## [From pension records in the Library of Virginia]

Agreeable to an order of Berkeley Court to me Directed I have proceeded to examine William McCue a [illegible] soldier who stands upon the list of pensioners and find, that he has been Shot through the wrest by which he lost his hand of a [illegible] that it renders him and that he is [paper damage, text illegible] hard labour the list of [illegible] proper object to Stand upon this 20<sup>th</sup> April 17[illegible], Given under my hand Charles Greer [?] Surgt.

I do hereby Certify that William McCue was a [paper damaged, text illegible] Soldier in 177 [illegible] Hugh Stephenson under whom I acted as Lieutenant and Certify that while in Actual Service he Rec'd a wound in his hand which caused it to be taken off Given under my hand this 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1787

Graham Shepherd [??]

Capt in the [illegible] Virga. Troops

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I do hereby Certify that William McCue as a Continental Soldier in the year 1775 under Captain Hugh Stepenson [Hugh Stephenson] under whom I acted as Lieutenant and I do certify while in actual service he received a wound in his left hand which caused it to be taken off. Given under my hand this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1787

S/ George Scott