Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Jeremiah McDade VAS580 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia]

Certificate of Robert Crouch¹ aged 64 years

Maryland Cecil County SS}

Be it remembered that on this 18th day of September 1822 personally appeared before the subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for said County Robert Crouch of Cecil County State of Maryland late a Trumpeter in the second Troop of Lieutenant Colonel Henry Lee's Legion who being duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith that he was well acquainted with Jeremiah McDade and about the year 1778 he enrolled in the Legion commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Henry Lee in the service of the United States and continued in the first Troop of said Legion to the Close of the Revolutionary War and was honorably discharged at Elkton by Captain Rudolph the 23rd of August A.D. 1783.

Subscribed and sworn before me S/ Robert Hart

S/ Robert Crouch

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¹ Robert Crouch S34717