Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Daniel Butler [no number] G2¹ Transcribed by Will Graves

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"No Papers"

"Butler, Daniel

His name appears on a list of applicants for invalid pension returned by the District Court of the District of Georgia submitted to the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on March 2, 1795 and printed in the American State Papers class 9, page 169.

Rank: Private

Regiment: Col Clarke's militia

Disability: Wounded in the right hip, right arm and in his testicles, by musket balls

When and where disabled: 1780, South Carolina

Remarks: Militia

Evidence incomplete, viz.: 1st, the examining physicians in their report, do not precisely state the degree of his disability. 2nd, No evidence of three freeholders, and two credible witnesses, to prove the fourth and fifth requisites of the law. 3rd No cause is shown why application was not made prior to December 11, 1788."

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