Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Frederick Reed (Reid) R8689

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State of North Carolina Secretary's Office 7th February 1820

I William Hill Secretary of State in & for the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that it appears from the musterrolls of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary war, that Frederick Reed a private in Captain Baker's Company of the 10th Regiment was mustered on the 20th of July 1778 for 9 months -- nothing is said of his discharge --

Given under my hand the date above

S/Wm Hill

District of North Carolina

On this 7th day of February 1820, before me the subscriber, one of the Judges of the United States for the district aforesaid, personally appeared Frederick Reid aged 68 years, or thereabout, resident in Orange County, in the said district, who being by me first duly sworn, according to law, doth on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provision made by the Act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War:" That in or about the month of May in the year 1778, to the best of his recollection, he the said Frederick Reid turned out from Captain Horn's Company of militia, at Nash Courthouse in the State of North Carolina, & took the bounty to serve as a soldier in the North Carolina line on the Continental establishment, for the term of 9 months; that he received his said County of Colonel Hunter or by his orders; that he was marched to Halifax & was then put into the company commanded by Captain John Baker, of the 10th Regiment of the said line & establishment as well as recollected. That he was then marched to the vicinity of Petersburg, Virginia, and his time of service was not permitted to commence until he arrived at the place last mentioned, which was in or about the month of July of the year last aforesaid; that he continued to serve in the said company until the full end of 9 months from the time his service commenced as last aforesaid, and until about the last of May in the year 1779 when to the best of his recollection & believed, he obtained his discharge from said service in the Philadelphia barracks, Pennsylvania; that he was in no battles; and that he is in reduced circumstances & stands in need of the assistance of his country for support

S/H. Potter. DJUSNC

Elisha Boon¹ maketh oath that he served with the aforesaid Frederick Reid in the company commanded by Captain John Baker of the 10th Regiment in the North Carolina line on the Continental establishment for the term of 9 months, in the revolutionary war, -- that said

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¹ FPA S35196

Frederick entered said service in Nash County, North Carolina, marched to Halifax & thence to the neighborhood of Petersburg, where his said service commenced, which was in or about July 1778, and that he served fully 9 months in said company when deponent left him in the Philadelphia hospital in April 1779 -- that said Frederic was then sick & unable to travel.

Sworn to before me the 7th February 1820.

S/H. Potter, DJUSNC

State of North Carolina

Be it remembered that on the 25th day of March A.D. 1820 appeared before me Zachariah Herndon a Justice of the peace in and for the County of Orange within the State aforesaid David Carlton, Thomas Marcom, Richard Marcom, Sullivan Leigh, & Joseph Dickson and they being sworn upon the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frederick Reed, that he is an honest man and in very reduced Circumstances and that he stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support.

Sworn to & subscribed before me

S/ Zachariah Herndon, JP

S/ Daniel Carlton

S/ Thomas Marcom, X his mark

S/ Richard Marcom, X his mark

S/ Sullivan Leigh

S/ Joseph Dickson