Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of David Flenniken (Flannagan) [Flanagan] \$10154 f21NC Transcribed by Will Graves 12/29/08 rev'd 2/20/15

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State of North Carolina Mecklenburg County

This day David Flennek [sic] came before me William Davidson one of the Justices of the Peace for said County and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he is the same person that he represents himself to be -- that he has lived in the said County since the year 1764. That he entered the militia service of this State and was out several times previous to the year 1780. That on the 5th day of August 1780 He was under the command of Captain Samuel Flennekin [Samuel Flanagan] and served as a Lieutenant, that the said company was attached to Major Davie's [William Richardson Davie's] Command, that on the said fifth day of August 1780 [sic, the Second Battle of Hanging Rock occurred on August 6, 1780], an engagement took place between the enemy composed of British & Tories and the American Army at the Hanging Rock in South Carolina, That during that Battle he the said David Flenniken was wounded that he had been examined according to act of Congress by physicians and their certificate stated the disability at three fourths, which certificate was forwarded to the Pension office at Fayetteville and That he was placed on the pension list of North Carolina by act of the Legislature that he received his pension from the State regularly for some years, that he has been informed he was transferred from the State list to the United States list that he so received his pension was regularly for many years, that he never had a pension Certificate. That he forwarded his papers to the pension office at Fayetteville as usual, and was informed that by a late regulation it required a pension Certificate from the war office. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of November 1821.

Test: S/Wm Davidson, JP

S/David Flenniken

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[Facts in the file: This veteran was pensioned from September 4, 1808 as "David Flanagan." The veteran died September 26, 1826. The files for pensions granted under acts prior to 1818 were destroyed by fires at the War Office in 1800 and 1814. The file contains no family data.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$4 per month.]