Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of William Baber (Babor) S10333 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

County of Mecklenburg [VA] to wit

on this 2nd day of December 1822 before me the Subscriber, a Justice of the peace for the said County of Mecklenburg Personally appeared William Baber who on his oath declares that he is the same person who formally belonged to the Company Commanded by Captain Elijah Graves in the Regiment Commanded by Colonel Lewis Burwell in the Service of the united states during the revolutionary war, that his name was placed on the Pension Roll of the State of Virginia that he has never Received a Certificate from the war department

William hisXmark Baber

[The following are from the Rev. War Pensions records of the Library of Virginia http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us/F/?func=file&file_name=find-b-clas62&local_base=CLAS62]
This is to certifie that William Babor of Colo. Lewis Burrels Reg't. of Virginia Militia did in the service of his Country loose the sight of Both of his Eyes, as appears from the testimony given the Respectful of Mecklenburg It is my fully opinion that the said Babor ought to be on the pension list given under hand this 3^d. of August AD 1788

Lodowick Brodie

I do with the advice of the Council hereby certify that William Babor, aged about [blank] years, Late a private in the militia of Mecklenburg whose pay was at the rate of £24 per annum, was disabled in the service of the United States, by an illness, which deprived him of his sight, and that he is allowed the sum of Twelve Pounds yearly, to commence from the 1^{st} of Jan'y 1786.

Given under my hand as Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, at Richmond, this 20th of August 1788.

Edm. Randolph [Edmund Randolph]

T. Meriwether