Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Thomas Booth S10383

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Application for a new Certificate

County of Franklin [Virginia] to Wit -

On this 5th day of February 1825 before me Benjamin Booth a Justice of the peace for the said County, personally appeared Thomas Booth, who, on his Oath, Declares that he is the same person who formerly belonged to the company Commanded by Capt Gross Scrugs [sic: Gross Scrugss] – in the regiment commanded by Col. Muhlenburg [sic: Peter Muhlenberg] in the service of the United States, during the revolution, that his name was placed on the pension Roll, of the State of Virginia – that he has never received a pension certificate from the War department. Sworn and Subscribed to before me the day and date aforesaid –

[Pension files in the Library of Virginia contain the following document.]

I DO, with the advice of Council, hereby certify that Thomas Booth of Franklin about [blank] years of age late a Private in the 5th Virginia Regiment, appears to have been disabled in such a manner while in the service of The United States as to entitle him to the sum of Six pounds yearly; which allowance is accordingly made him, to commence from the first day of January 1786 GIVEN under my hand at Richmond, this 28th day of October 1786.

P Henry [Patrick Henry, Governor]