Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of James Heathcock S2613

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State Northcarolina } Court of pleas and quarter sessions

Chatham County } February Term AD 1833

On this 12 day of February personally appeared in open th Court before the Justices of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions for the County aforesaid now sitting. James Heathcock a resident of the County and State aforesaid aged ninty years who being first Duly Sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June the 7 1832 that he entered the servis of the united States and served as Herein stated

he was drafted in the County of North hampton [sic: Northampton] in the state of North Carolina (he has no recollection of the day month or year) He joined a Company of militia under the Command of Captain [John] Peterson. he was marched with his Company to North Hampton Court House where they were attached to a regiment of Northcarolina militia under the command of Colonel Hawken [sic: Joseph Hawkins] and Majar Wood he was marched across the river march with the ridgment across deep river thence to wards Southcarolina and stationed near drowning Creek and then returned to Halifax then marched to Northhampt Court House and was there discharged he received a written discharge Has long since bin lost or destroyed and he is now unable to procure the same

He further states that some time after his discharge as aforesaid he attached himself as a volunteer to a company of milisha in the County of Northhamton under the command of Captain Duprey [sic: Jesse Dupree] and marched with the Company to Halifax town and there joined the Northcarolina Ridgment of milisha under the Command of Colonel Lenton [sic: William Thomas Linton] and Magar Wood he marched with the ridgment a cross the Cape fear river thin he marched in various direction towards drowning Creek in pursute of the torys then he marched back a cross the Cape fear river and thin to Kings town [sic: Kinston] and there they were stationed some considerable lenth of time. then he was marched back to Halifax town where he was discharged after having served three Months he received a written Discharge which was signed by Captain Duprey and which is now lost or distroyed and he is unable to procure the same. he further states that he has no Documentary Evidence and knows of no person whose Testamoney he can procure who can testify to his servis

He hereby relinquishes Every Claim whatever to a pention and Declares that hs name is not on the pention roll of the agency of any state or Terratory in the Union Sworn to ad subscribe the day and year afore said

James hisXmark Heathcock

[Certified by John Brewer and Calvin Heathcock.]