

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Dobey S31652

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Georgia Jasper County: On this 21st day of January 1833 Personally appeared in open Court before Reuben C. Shorter, John C. Gibson & Edward Price Justices of the Inferior Court of said County now sitting it being a Court of Record John Dobey a resident of said County & State aged about seventy-eight 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 7th of June 1832. This deponent entered the service of the United States under the command of Captain Drew Cade about the year 1778 as a volunteer at that time he resided in Wake County North Carolina & served under Captain Cade about 12 months -- he was afterwards drafted in Wake County NC as a militia man & entered the service under the command of Colonel Kenan & Major Taylor & was then marched to Charleston. He was present when the city was taken by the British -- this deponent afterwards served under Captain [name is overwritten and illegible] in said County & State in the Commissary department -- this deponent states that when he first entered the service of Captain Cade he marched through South Carolina to the frontiers of Georgia & afterwards through the same State to Charleston where he was captured by the British -- this deponent was born in Sussex County Virginia -- he has no record of his age -- he lived as before stated in Wake County North Carolina at the time he entered the service -- he lived in the same County about 20 years after the War -- thence moved to Spartanburg SC & from thence to this County & State -- he recollects that General Lincoln commanded the American Forces at Charleston at the time it was captured with this deponent. The Reverend Cyrus White a clergyman & Charles F. Walthall Esquire are known to this deponent & can testify as to his character for veracity and their belief of his services as a Soldier of the revolution -- this deponent further states that his discharges from the service have long since been lost -- & that he is not acquainted with any person in Georgia knowing of his performing service in the Revolutionary War -- this deponent further relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present & declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any State.

Sworn to & subscribed the day & year aforesaid

S/ John Dobey, X his mark

[Cyrus White, a clergyman, and Charles F. Walthall Esquire gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$40 per annum.]