Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Simeon Moore S41960 Transcribed by Will Graves

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To the honorable the Secretary of War of the United States.

The Petition of Simeon Moore a Citizen of the United States and a resident of the County of Craven and State of North Carolina respectfully Showeth that your Petitioner enlisted as a Soldier in the regular Army of the United States under Captain Benjamin Coleman as well as he recollects some time in the year 1779. Your Petitioner continued to do duty as a private soldier in said Company in the 10th North Carolina Regiment commanded by Col. Archibald Lytle for nearly 18 months when the said Regiment which was part of the Southern Army was disbanded near Charleston South Carolina about the close of the war. Your Petitioner, as he believes was the case with his Brother Soldiers, received no discharge but a furlough until called on, which furlough he has lost. Your Petitioner is about 78 years of age, he is poor, and needs the assistance of his Country for Support.

Sworn to in open court June 12, 1818.

S/ Simeon Moore

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S/J. G. Stanley, Clk

Levi Kent¹ maketh oath that to his knowledge Simeon Moore was a private soldier in Colonel Archibald Lytle's Regiment during the revolutionary War and did duty as such about 17 months – The said Moore and this Deponent entered the Army at the same time, served together in the same Regiment, were with the same Regiment when it was disbanded near Charleston at the close of the War, and returned together to Craven County North Carolina in which neighborhood they have both ever since lived.

Sworn to in open court June 12th, 1818.

S/ Levi Kent, 1 his mark

S/J. G. Stanley, JP

10th Regiment

Simeon Moore private 1782. 18 months

The above is a true abstract from the Muster roll of the North Carolina Continental line in the revolutionary war.

Given under my hand 10th of July 1818. S/Wm Hill, Secretary of State

¹ Levi Kent S41714

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing June 12, 1818, for service as a private in the North Carolina Continental line.]