Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Thomas Jones S46053

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State of Kentucky } Sct. Bourbon County }

On this the 1st day of October in the year 1832 personally appeared in open Court now sitting Thomas Jones a resident of said County of Bourbon & State afores'd. aged 75 years the 6th day of March last past who being first duly sworn according to Law, doth on his Oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of an act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers & served as herein stated. He enlisted in the second regiment of Virginia Continental Troops in the fall of the year 1775 in Frederick County Virginia for the Term of one year. He was commanded by Capt. Morgan Alexander, his Lieutenant was Marquis Calmes [pension application S12674], whose deposition accompanies this declaration. Col [William] Woodford commanded the regiment. He marched from Frederick County to Hampden [sic: Hampton] then to Little York, then to Williamsburg at which place his term of service expired. He served the full term of one year. He lived at the time he enlisted in Frederick County Virginia in the fall of the year 1784 he moved to the said County of Bourbon & has been residing there ever since. He states that he did not receive a written discharge. He hereby 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 afores'd.

[signed] Thomas Jones

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Personally appear'd before me one of the Justices of the peace for said County Marquis Calmes and made the following statement upon oath That Thomas Jones enlisted as a soldier in Captain Morgan Alexanders company in the fall of the year 1775 which company said Calmes afterwards commanded and was discharged in the fall 1776 having served as a faithfull Soldier one year the term of his enlistment having expired General Calmes further states that he believes Thomas Jones to be seventy five or seventy six years of age and the Regiment which we belonged to was commanded by General Woodford then Collonel; afterwards by Collone Alexander Spottswood [sic: Alexander Spotswood] who continued to to command, it being the Second Regiment of Virginia Continental troops [signed] Marquis Calmes