Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Thomas Maupin W9920 Margaret Maupin VA Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. Revised 30 Sep 2014.

State of Kentucky }
County of Madison } S.S.

On this 13th day of August [1832] personally appeared in open Court before the County Court of Madison now sitting Thomas Maupin a resident of the County of Madison aged about 68 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 7th 1832

that he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated he volunteered & served three months in his Fathers place he marched from Albemarl [sic: Albemarle] County Virginia under Capt'n John Willis to Charlottsville [sic: Charlottsville] from thence to Richmond Va also to near Williamsburgh [sic: Williamsburg] & from point to point as we were ordered Col. [Reuben] Lindsay was our Col. and Gen'l. Richardson [Holt Richeson] our General. after this he served Two other Tours of three months each one of these under Capt'n. John Martin & the other he does not recollect his Capt'ns name he served during the year preceding the Capture of Lord Cornwallace [sic: Cornwallis, 19 Oct 1781] in all 9 months he was verry young when he entered the service but during the troubles we experienced at that particular time he freely aided his Country he has no regular discharges but in aid of his claim he expects to prove & send on with his application satisfactorily to the department that he is entitled to a pension he never served as a substitute but the one Tour as above the other two Tours was for him self. he removed to Kentucky about 35 years past & has resided in Madison County ever since

he hereby relinquishes every claim what ever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the Pension Rool of the agency of any State Sworn to and Subscribed the day & year aforesaid

NOTE: On 12 April 1856 Margaret Maupin applied for a pension stating that as Margaret Burnsides she was married by Christy Gentry on 10 July 1825 in Madison County KY to Thomas Maupin, who died 25 Feb 1855. Her application was witnessed by William Chase and Jesse R. Maupin. On an application for bounty land dated 28 April 1856 she was said to be 56. On 19 Feb 1859 Margaret Maupin charged that L. B. True, claiming to be her attorney, had fraudulently collected her pension. She was said to be 73 on an application for an increase in pension dated 4 May 1871, which was witnessed by Clay Maupin and James McWilliams.