Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Archibald Gorman XOX Transcribed by Will Graves

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[The application indexed under "John Gorland W3011" (sic, see John Garland W3011) on the Fold3.com site actually is the application of "Archibald Gorman S1204" who, at age 78, filed under the 1832 Act in Fleming County, Kentucky for services rendered when living in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Briefly, he says he first entered in September 1776 under Capt. William Porter in the Regiment commanded by Col. Crawford and marched to New Jersey. He then describes other services in the Northern Campaign. His application does not meet the criteria for inclusion in this database, but I've included this reference here so that folks interested in Archibald Gorman can find his application. On the Fold3.com site, it is the application which appears when you click on the listing for "Gorland, John" under the North Carolina index of Rev War pension applications.]