

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Pension Application of Francis Coombs (Coombe) VAS537
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[From [pension records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I DO, with the advice of the Council, hereby certify that Francis Coombs of Caroline, about 30 years of age, late a Private in the 10th Virginia Regiment, appears to have been disabled in such a manner while in the service of The United States as to entitle him to the sum of Fifteen Pounds yearly; which allowance is accordingly made him, to commence from the first day of January 1786

GIVEN under my hand at Richmond, this 13th day of June 1786 P. Henry [Patrick Henry]

I do hereby Certifie that Francis Coombs enlisted himself as a soldier in the 10th Virg'a Regiment December 1776 to serve for the term of three years & before the Expiration of that term, the said Francis Coombs reenlisted to serve during the war. Thos. Fox Capt. [Thomas Fox]/ 11th June 1782

I do Certifie that the last pay Francis Coombe Received was for the month of December 1779 except two Dollars whilst he was a Prisoner at Haddrels Point [Haddrell Point on Cooper River opposite Charleston SC]

Gus't B. Wallace [Gustavus Brown Wallace]
Lt Colo. 2^d V. R.

Aud[ito]rs office 13 June 1786/ a Copy

The above soldier was wounded During the Seige of Charles Town [28 Mar - 12 May 1780].

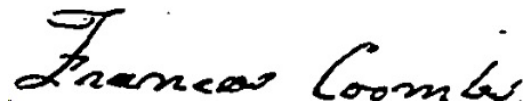
James Wood Late B. G.

Caroline February Court 1789

Ordered that the Sheriff pay unto Francis Combs fifteen pounds the amount of his pension Warrant
J Pendleton

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7th 1789 Rec'd the within in full/ Francis Coombs

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Francis Coombs". The ink is dark and the handwriting is fluid, with a large initial 'F'.