

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Size Roll taken at Hyde County September 3, 1778 of men who enlisted in the NC Continental Line for Nine Months B254

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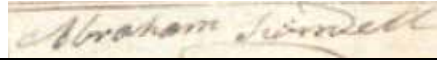
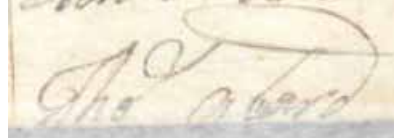
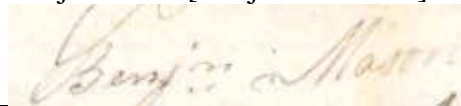
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State No. Carolina

Hide [Hyde] County

Halifax September 3rd, 1778

We the Subscribers Balloted Men and Volunteers from the County of Hide do hereby bind and Oblige Ourselves to Serve as Continental Soldiers for the term of Nine Months after the first day of March next, and do each of us bind and Oblige Ourselves to meet our Officers at whatever place in the said State may be Appointed for our Rendezvous on the aforesaid first day of March next, and in case we or Either of us do fail to appear on these said first day of March next, Sickness or some other Accident as may be deemed sufficient by a board of Officers Excepted, in Each of us so failing do Oblige Ourselves to serve as Continental Soldiers for the term of three Years or during the present war, and as such to obey the lawful Commands of the Officers that May be placed over us and in all things to demean ourselves as good and faithful Soldiers –

Men's Names	Place of Abode	Where Born	Height	Age	Hair	Eyes
Abraham Swindell 	Hyde	Do	5-7	23	fair	Blue
Thos [indecipherable] 	Hyde	Do	5-10	39	Sandy	Blue
Benjn Mason [Benjamin Mason] 	Hyde	Do	6	23	fair	Blue
Robert Mackey, X [his mark]	Hyde	Do	5/9	22	Dark	Black
John Brinn, X [his mark]	Do	Do	5-8	20	Dark	Black
Benjn Neals [Benjamin Neals or Benjamin Neal?], X [his mark]	Do	Kent Mariland [Maryland]	5:9	20	Dark	Black
Timothy Murey [Timothy Murray?], X [his mark]	Do	Hyde	5-10	21	Dark	Black
Solomon Baker, X [his mark]	Do	Hyde	5-6	23	Dark	Black
Abel Harriss, X [his mark]	Do	Do	5-9	17	fair	blue
Elija Harriss [Elijah Harriss], X [his	Do	Do	5.5	17	Do	Do

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James Harvey, X his mark	Beauf. [Beaufort]	Beauf.	5..3	17	Do	Do
Ross Thomas, X [his mark] ¹	Hyde	Hyde	5.7	19	Black	Black & skin
Abel Ross 	Beauford [sic, Beaufort]	Beau'd	5..5	42	Dark	Dark
Gabriel Coley, X his mark	No. Hampton [Northampton]	C. City Virginia	6-0	49	Dark	Grey
Peleg Brightman, X his mark	Craven	Boston	5.10	21	Brown	Grey

¹ He is listed in Bobby Gilmer Moss and Michael C. Scoggins. *African-American Patriots in the Southern Campaign of the American Revolution*. Blacksburg, SC: Scotia-Hibernia Press, 2004, 231 as a 'free man of color' from Hyde County, NC