

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William Duke Ga16
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State of Georgia County of Upson

On the twenty eighth day of August in the year of Lord eighteen hundred and thirty two personally appeared in open court before Christopher B. Strong, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Upson and State of Georgia and Flint Circuit in said now sitting William Duke, Senior a resident of the County of Upson in the State of Georgia aged seventy years who being 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 7, 1832. That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated. He entered the service under the Colonel John Stewart & Lieutenant Colonel Elijah Clark and Captain Henry Duke in the late part of the year 1776. The day and month not recollected that he left the service two years thereafter and he resided the County Wilkes and State of Georgia at the time he entered the service that he was a First Lieutenant in said company belonging to the regiment aforesaid in the State Troops of the State of Georgia. He was stationed and his marched was confined exclusively to the State of Georgia and that he has no documentary evidence.

He hereby relinquishes very claim whatever to a pension or annuity, except the present , and declared that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state. Sworn to and subscribed the and year foresaid.

Wm. P. onger, Clk, S.C.

S/ William Duke

[Note from Will Graves—If anyone has a more complete transcript of this application and related materials, please consider letting us post it in this database. This application somehow was never filed in the pension office in Washington.]

¹ viewed 12/8/14 at <http://files.usgwarchives.net/ga/upson/military/revwar/pensions/duke.txt>