Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Rice Bullock R12822

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To the Comr of Pensions Washington City

Sir

Some years since I contracted with Mr. Jos. C. Boxley, of Louisa County Va, who is the administrator of Rice Bullock, who was a Lieut in the Illinois service, to investigate his claims for his Revolutionary services.

The claims were laid before your office, and I shall be much obliged to you to have me informed whether they have been acted on & if so what was done & if the claims have been allowed, I will thank you to inform me what was the amount, when allowed, & to whom paid.

Very respty s/ Jno G. Mosby

P.S. I beg to refer you to Mr. Richd. Mc Rae of your office, in reference to whom I am [?]

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Richmond 9 August 1854

Sir

Your letter of the 1st inst was duly received, giving copy of a paper in reference to the service of Rice Bullock, which I suppose like the voucher in support of one of the payments appearing on the register of certificates issued by the auditors[?] under the act of November session of 1780 [?], to officers and soldiers of the State line, which is

Bullock Rice Asst. Q.M. himself July 8 1784 9-11-0

The executive allowance was for service from 25 June to 8th December 1781 5 mos & 13 days at []35 per mo, which would be

5 mo: 210/	1050		
10 days 1/3 mo	70		
3 days 3/10	21	1141	£ 57_1_0
cr 2 horses			47_10_0
		Balance	9 11 0

I have found nothing in the Audrs{? Auditor's} office, after a serious[?] search, and the examination of a good many vouchers, which would serve as a guide to the Executive allowance, but last night consulted the journals of the old Congress; if you will refer to the proceedings of July 15, 1780 regulating the pay of certain officers you will see the following Deputy Quarter Master, thirty-five dollars per month in addition to his pay on the line" this perhaps controlled the allowance by the Executive, and accounts for the pen being run through the word Genl [?] in the original paper.

I am very respectfully yours [To] J P Waldo Esq. Commr of Pensions s/ Joseph Jackson