

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Daniel Campbell R1624

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Territory of Florida Walton County: Personally appeared David Campbell before me Richard J Compton a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, and made oath that agreeable to the Law of the United States granting pensions, that he is a Revolutionary Soldier – that he served in the Revolutionary war as a private for the term of six months, in compliance with a draft which took place in the State of North Carolina Cumberland County, which the said Campbell was then a resident of – drafted for the term of six months, in the latter part of September 1781. Served & was discharged the first of March 1782 – under command of General Green [sic, Nathanael Greene], & Captain Neill McCraney [sic, Neill McCranie] – was in no Battles during the time, got a legal discharge from Captain McCraney, which discharge is fillally [sic, ?] lost. – After the war remained in North Carolina for several years, thence moved to South Carolina Merrian [sic, Marion] District, thence to Kershaw District thence to the State of Alabama in the year 1816, thence to Florida Walton County where I now reside and has since the year 1821. – I now am in my 104th year. – I have never received any pension or arrears of pension, in any state or Territory, neither have I transferred, called to be transferred my right of pension to any person whatsoever. –

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this fourth day of March 1836

S/ Richard J Compton, JP

S/ Daniel Campbell, X his mark

[Peter Campbell, relationship if any not disclosed, gave a supporting affidavit in which he states that he has been personally acquainted with the applicant for 40 years or more and that the applicant has always born the reputation of having been a revolutionary war soldier.]

[Daniel a Wilkinson, John L Wikimore [?], and Donald M district of clean also gave supporting affidavits as to reputation and character of the applicant

[Neill McMillan, a Minister of the Gospel, also gave a supporting affidavit as to the reputation and character of the applicant.]

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"Printed list of 1852 shows cause of rejection: – 'Not six months service.'"