

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

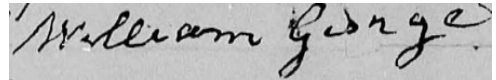
Pension Application of William George R20373

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Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

For the purpose of obtaining the benefits of an Act entitled "an act for the relief of certain surviving Officers and Soldiers of the Army of the Revolution" approved on the 15th of May 1828 I William George of Augusta in the County of Bracken in the State of Kentucky do declare that I was an Officer in the Continental line of the Army of the revolution and served as such, until taken prisoner in the year 1776 where I remained prisoner until exchanged in the year 1780 from thence continued in service to the end of the War at which period I was a Captain in the Rifle Regiment commanded by [Daniel] Morgan of Virginia of the Continental line. And I also declare that I afterwards received a certificate (commonly called a commutation certificate) for a sum equal to the amount of five years full pay which sum was offered by the Resolve of Congress of the 22nd of March 1783 instead of half pay for life to which I was entitled under the resolve of the 21st of October 1780 I do further declare that I have received of the United States, as a pensioner since the 3rd day of March 1826 no money

[14 Aug 1828]

A rectangular box containing a handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William George".

NOTE: The claim was denied for lack of any record of William George.