

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Henry C. Tucker R20440

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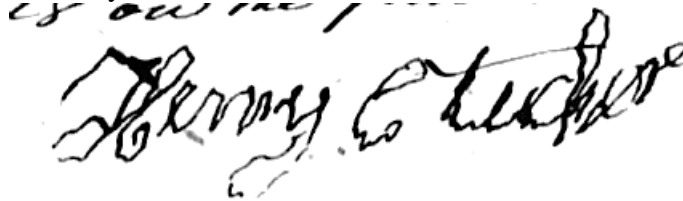
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I Henry C Tucker of Tallahassee in the County of Leone in the Territory of Florida do hereby declare that I enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution for and during the war, and continued in its service until its termination, at which period I was a private in Captain William Rogers' Company in the fourth Regiment of the Virginia line, And I also declare that I afterwards received a Certificate for the reward of \$80 which I was entitled under a resolve of Congress passed the 15th May 1778.

And I further declare that I was not on the 15th of March 1828 on the pension list of the United States.

S/ Henry C Tucker

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Henry C. Tucker". The signature is written in a cursive style with some flourishes.

[attested July 30th, 1828.]

Territory of Florida County of Leon

Before me John Y Gary a Justice of the Peace in the County of Leon and the Territory of Florida Personally appeared Henry C Tucker who made and subscribed to the following affidavit on oath that he has That this deponent enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution for and during the war, and continued in its service until its termination at which period this deponent was a private in Captain William Rogers' Company in the fourth Regiment of the Virginia line commanded by Colonel Dick, and was honorably discharged at the termination of the Revolution. This deponent further states on oath that his discharge and other papers were all unavoidably lost by fire, and that he is not at this time aware of, or have any knowledge of any person living who can testify to the foregoing facts, without the same be filed in the Public Archives of the nation.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of July in the year 1828

S/ John Y. Gary, JP

S/ Henry C Tucker

Revolutionary Claims

Treasury Department,

August 29, 1828

Henry C Tucker of Tallahassee in the County of Leon in the territory of Florida has

applied to the Secretary of the Treasury for the benefits of the act, entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution," approved the 15th of May, 1828. He states that he enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution, for and during the war, and continued until its termination, at which period he was a private in Captain Rogers's Company, in the fourth regiment of the Virginia line; and that he received a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars, provided by the resolve of the 15th of May, 1778; and further, that he was not on the 15th of May, 1828, on the pension list of the United States, and that he has received as a pensioner since the 3rd of March, 1826, nothing

The Third Auditor is requested to report how far the several statements are corroborated by the records in his Office.

By order of the Secretary
S/ F. A. Dickins

Treasury Department,
Third Auditor's Office,
fourth of September 1828

~~It appears by the records of this office, that a certificate for the reward of eighty dollars has been issued to ___ in the ___~~

It further appears that Henry C Tucker is not now on the pension list of any agency, and has not been so since the 3rd March 1826—~~at the rate of ___ dollars per month.~~

The name of Henry C Tucker cannot be found among those of the Virginia line to whom Certificates for the gratuity of \$80 were issued.

S/ Peter Hagner, Aud.

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War Department: Bounty Land Office
19th September 1828

Henry C Tucker, a private of the Virginia Line, is not returned, as entitled to land from the United States, nor has a warrant issued for him.

S/ E. Stephens

General Land Office
6 December 1830

The name of Henry C Tucker does not appear on the List of Warrants issued by the Register of the Land Office at Richmond Virginia so far as they have been received.

S/ Elijah Heyward, Commissioner

I Henry C Tucker of Lowndes County Georgia do hereby declare, that I enlisted in the Continental line of the Army of the Revolution, for and during the war, at which period I was a private in Captain Thomas Ridly's Company of the fourth Regiment of the Continental line.

And I also declare that I afterwards received a certificate (which have been destroyed by fire) for the reward of \$80, to which I was entitled under a resolve of Congress passed the 15th May 1778 –

And I further declare, that I was not on the 15th day of May 1828 on the Pension list of the United States. –

Witness my hand this 13th day of August in the year 1830.

S/ Henry C Tucker, X his mark