

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of Daniel Long S13773

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State of Alabama } On this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1833 personally appeared before the  
Madison County S.S. } Hon'ble W J Adair Judge of the Circuit court of said County Daniel Long  
a resident of the County and State aforesaid aged about seventy eight years, who first being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1832. That agreeable to his fathers record he was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 1756 in the County of Culpeper State of Virginia and that he was seventy seven years old on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April last That he enlisted in the army of the United States in the year 1778 as well as he can remember with Armestead Long [VAS968] and several others in the first regiment, of the cavelry line under the following named officers, Colonel Bland [Theodorick Bland VAS1859] of the first Regiment, Lieutent Lewis Yancy of Captain Whites Company That he enlisted and served for three years, at the time he enlisted he was a resident of the County of Culpeper State of Virginia. After he enlisted he went to Staunton to winter quarters, from thence he was sent under command of Lieutenant Scott to Albemarl [sic: Albemarle] Barracks there we remained until the Virginia troops were marched to Charleston South Carolina whence we were also marched, at which time we were transferred to Colonel William Washingtons Corps of horse, which as well as I now remember was the 3<sup>rd</sup> Regement. He further states that he was at the battle of Guilford [Guilford Courthouse NC, 15 Mar 1781] and Utaw Springs [sic: Eutaw Springs SC, 8 Sep 1781]. That he was regularly discharged by Major White in North Carolina, which discharge he has long since lost. He also states that he only enlisted for the term of three years at which time he quit the service. For further proof of his services the said Long begs leave to refer to the affidavet of James Hughes Marked A and to that of Robert Gaines marked B both of which accompany this declaration. The said Daniel Long further states that after he was discharged as aforesaid he went out as a volunteer and was at the surrender of lord Cornwallis [19 Oct 1781]. He the said Daniel Long hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to any pension or an annuity except the present, and he declares that his name is not on the pension roll of any agency in any state. Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.  
Daniel hisXmark Long

[From [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

December 22 1781

I do hereby Certifie that Daniel Long a Sold in the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment Light Dragoons has not drawn any pay from the 1<sup>st</sup> February One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty to the 22 December 1781 except One hundred Dollars which was advanced him in the State of Virg'a in August last.

J. Belfield [John Belfield BLWt254-400] Paym[aste]r 1<sup>st</sup> RLD

I do hereby Certify that Dan'l Long Inlisted in the fourth Troop of the 1<sup>st</sup> Reg Light Dragoons for three years 22 Feb'y 1779. Rob't Yancey [Robert Yancey S35752] Cap LD

[several undeciphered words] a Copy from the Originals lodged in this Office.

Aud. Office May 31 1784/ Edmund B Lacy J. Pendleton

NOTE: On 4 May 1839 Martha Long made affidavit that she was the widow of Daniel Long. A Treasury-Department document states that he died on 11 May 1838.