

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Darius Grub S16838

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State of Virginia Frederick County Sct.

On this 6th day of July 1835 personally appeared in open Court before the County Court of Frederick County now sitting Darius Grub a resident of Frederick County in the State of Virginia, aged Seventy-two years the 5th day of September last past, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June the 7th 1832.

That in the fall of the year 1778 there was a draft made upon the militia of Frederick County in the State of Virginia, that he the said Darius Grub was drafted to serve a Tour of three months, that he was attached to a Company commanded by Captain George Bell from said County of Frederick, said Company marched from the County aforesaid by way of Fredericksburg in Virginia to Williamsburg in Virginia and was stationed at different places in the vicinity of Williamsburg aforesaid, Captain Bell's Company aforesaid as this affiant believes, was not immediately Joined to any Regiment, but as he understood was under the orders of General Morgan [presumably Daniel Morgan], and at the end of the Tour aforesaid was discharged in the neighborhood of Williamsburg aforesaid,

In the early part of the spring of the year 1781 there was a draft made upon the militia of Frederick County aforesaid, that he the said Darius Grub was drafted for three months, that he was attached to Captain Francis Berry's Company from the County of Frederick aforesaid, that as this affiant believes, Captain Berry's Company aforesaid, Joined Regiment at Fredericksburg in Virginia, Regiment marched to Richmond in Virginia, and that the whole of this Tour was served in the neighborhood of Richmond and Williamsburg in Virginia at the end of said Tour, the Regiment was discharged at the camp ground near Williamsburg aforesaid.

Immediately after the affiant returned to his home in the County of Frederick aforesaid, Captain Marcus Calmes [Marquis Calmes] raised a company of volunteers in the County of Frederick aforesaid, whose Term was for three months, that he the said Darius Grub enrolled himself in said Company, marched to Williamsburg in Virginia, there joined Regiment and was stationed at Williamsburg till the end of said Tour and was discharged, –

In the latter part of the winter or in the early part of the spring in the year 1782, he the said Darius Grub was drafted for a Tour of three months, and attached to Captain Joseph Longans [perhaps Joseph Looney's] Company and attached to the Regiment commanded by Colonel John Smith from Frederick County in the State of Virginia, Joined said Regiment at Winchester in Virginia, the Regiment took charge of British prisoners then stationed at Winchester aforesaid, and marched said Prisoners to Lancaster in Pennsylvania, there guarded

said Prisoners till the Regiment was discharged, this affiant believes that he was discharged from this Tour some short time before the end of said three months, though it was called a full Tour, this affiant states that he received discharges for each of the aforesaid for Tours of service, that he has not reserved them, therefore has no documentary evidence –

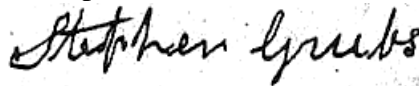
He the said Darius Grub hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or an annuity except the Present, and he declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of the agency of any state.

Sworn to in open Court July 6, 1835

S/ Darius Grub, X his mark

Deposition of Stephen Grub aged Sixty-five years testifies that he is well acquainted with Darius Grub who has subscribed and made oath to the declaration hereto annexed he well remembers that in the time of the Revolutionary War Humphrey Grub the Father of him the said Stephen Grub and Thomas Grub the Father of the said Darius Grub lived in the same neighborhood deponent being at that time of tender years but well remembers to have heard much said in the family of the said Humphrey Grub – and Thomas Grub about him the said Darius Grub being engaged in the said War. That he has often heard the said Darius Grub and others talk of the same service at the end of the said war, and from all the information this deponent is in possession of touching said Darius Grub's Service in the revolutionary War and from his knowledge of the said Darius Grub as a man of truth and veracity, he has no hesitation in stating that he believes the [that] Darius Grub did serve in said war as stated in the declaration hereto annexed.

S/ Stephen Grubs



[Attested in Frederick County Virginia July 4th, 1835]

[p. 6: Thomas Buck, Jr., a clergyman residing in Shenandoah County Virginia gave a standard supporting affidavit.]

[p 8: On July 4th, 1835 in Frederick County Virginia John Grub, 43, gave testimony that he is well acquainted with Darius Grub an applicant for a pension under the 1832 act; that Darius Grub is a man of truth and veracity; that he, affiant, has heard Darius Grub talk of his services in the Revolutionary War. The relationship, if any, of the affiant to the applicant is not stated.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$36.66 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for service as a private for 11 months in the Virginia militia.]