

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Little B. [Littleberry] Hunt S18047

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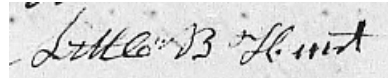
State of Missouri County of Franklin Sct.

On this 22<sup>nd</sup> of July in the year of our Lord 1833 personally appeared in open Court before the Honorable Charles H Allen Judge of the Circuit Court of said County now in Session Littleberry Hunt a resident of the Town of Union in said County of Franklin and state aforesaid aged Seventy-two years and upwards 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 7<sup>th</sup> 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated viz. Bowen Price Captain, either Charles Callaway or Archibald Moon as he believes was first Lieutenant, commanded by Colonel Charles Lynch, and attached to General Lawson's [Robert Lawson's] brigade. This applicant states that he entered the service as he believes in the month of January or February in the year 1781, that his first rendezvous was at New London in the State of Virginia but owing to some circumstance not now recollected, the troop did not then march, but a few days thereafter the Company again Rendezvoused at Wards in Bedford County Virginia and marched from thence to North Carolina & South Carolina and this applicant was at the battle of Guilford [March 15, 1781] and received there a Wound in the foot. This applicant recollects that a Captain Jones commanded a Company from Bedford County and that said Captain Jones and Archibald Moon and others all recollected by this applicant as having fallen at the battle of Guilford. And this applicant further states that in consequence of the Wound he received he obtained a Furlough and went home, and he further states that he was drafted into the service for a tour of six months and that he received a discharge for a tour of six months, but does not recollect by whom the discharge was signed, but knows that it is lost. And this Applicant states that sometime in the summer of the year 1781 he was again drafted into the service for a tour of six months, that he entered the service as he believes under the command of Captain Charles Callaway and he thinks Colonel John Callaway commanded the Regiment, the names of the lieutenants are not recollected, the Company Rendezvoused at New London in the State of Virginia in the County of Bedford and marched to York by the way of Williamsburg and there halted for several days, crossed James River at Jamestown. This applicant continued in the service until after the Surrender of Cornwallis and was discharged on the way from York to Fredericksburg owing to sickness, but the Company to which this applicant belonged went to Fredericksburg as he believes to guard some Prisoners, that for the last mentioned Tour he received a discharge for six months service and he believes the discharge was signed by Colonel Callaway. And he knows that it is lost, and he further states

that in both tours of duty he served as a private in the militia – that the names of the officers in the regular service have principally escaped his recollection, that he recollects General Green [Nathanael Greene] had the command at the battle of Guilford & Generals Washington & Lafayette at the Siege of York. And he further states that he was born in Bedford County in the State of Virginia in the month of June in the year 1761, he resided in Bedford County when he was called into service and since the Revolutionary War has lived in the States of Kentucky, Louisiana & Missouri, that he has a Record of his age at his former place of residence and he further states that he is known to Peter Williams, John J Porter & Jesse McDonald who are citizens of his neighborhood and who can testify to his character for veracity and their belief of his Services as a soldier of the revolution and he hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the Agency of any State, and that he declares that he has no documentary evidence neither does he know any person whose testimony he can procure that can testify to his service.

S/ Little B. Hunt

A rectangular stamp containing a handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Little B. Hunt".

[Alvin Peter Williams, a clergyman, and John J Porter and Jesse McDonald gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$40 per annum commencing March 4<sup>th</sup>, 1831, for service as a private for one-year in the Virginia service.]