

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Anthony Fullilove S31045

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State of Kentucky, } Sct
Madison County } }

On this 1st day of April 1833 personally appeared in open Court before the Justices of the Madison County Court aforesaid, now sitting, Anthony Fullylove a resident of said County of Madison aged 73 years, 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 7th 1832. That he entered the Service of the United States under the following named officers & served as herein stated.

That in 1780, he thinks in the Spring, he volunteered in the Militia for a three months Tour from Lunenburg County in the State of Virginia. He was in a company commanded by Capt. Joseph Billups, Colo David Stokes commanded the Regiment. Gen'l. Mulenburg [sic: Peter Muhlenberg] was the Gen'l. We were marched down to Petersburg & there stationed for some time. We were then marched down below Petersburg & were stationed near James River. we were afterward marched back to Petersburg & remained stationed there till the tour was out & was there discharged.

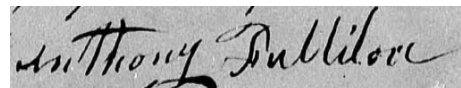
In 1781 in the winter season he went out as a Substitute for his Brother William Fullylove [William Fullilove] & served a tour of three months – went from same County as before. His Brother had been drafted. In this Tour he served in a company commanded by Capt. Francis De Graffenridge [Francis DeGraffenreidt] – Obediah Clay was Lieutenant – Gen'l. [Robert] Lawson's Brigade – he does not recollect his Colonel's name. We were marched down near York Town & were there when the Battle at Guilford [Guilford Courthouse NC, 15 Mar 1781] was fought & were stationed within a few miles of York Town till the three months tour was out & were there discharged. He recollects marching home on Saturday the 11th April. On the 13th he recollects that it snowed a good part of the day. He recollects the circumstance as it was unusual for it to snow at that season. – In same year the 1st of August he was drafted from Lunenburg County & served a third Tour in the Militia of three months. Thomas Jones was was Capt. Fred'k Nance [Frederick Nance] was his Lieutenant on this Tour. He does not recollect his Colonel's name, but he knows he was again in Gen'l. Lawson's Brigade. We were marched down to York & were there during the Siege [Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct 1781]. We were stationed on the Gloucester side of the River. As we marched up the River York to cross over we met Gen'l. Washington & La Fayette [Lafayette] coming down towards York with their Baggage & Artillery. We were stationed on the Gloucester side of the River till the Surrender of Cornwallis. That he was then detached as one of the Guard to guard the Refugees to Richmond & was there discharged. His Tour of three months was out when he was discharged. He served as a private in the Militia during the Revolutionary war nine months & for such service he claims a pension.

He does not recollect that he ever received any written discharge – he has none now.

He was born in King William County Virginia, in Nov'r. the 20th 1760 – he has no record of his age – was moved to Lunenburg County when quite young. was residing in the latter County when he went into the service he resided in Lunenburg till he removed to Madison County Ken'y. about thirty years since where he has since resided – does not recollect the names of other Regular officers than he has stated – He can prove his services in part by his sister Nancy Davis & knows of no other person whose testimony he can procure to establish them now. Thomas S. Branston & Daniel Breck are his neighbours & have [illegible word] known him & can testify concerning his character & the belief of his services.

He has no documentary evidence in relation to his services.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a Pension or annuity except the present & declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state.



NOTE: Nancy Davis, 65, stated that she was living with her father and distinctly remembered her brother's two last tours, and that her father was out in service about the same time.