

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of George Turner S39110

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State of South Carolina Edgefield District:

I Waddy Thompson Esquire one of the Judges of the Court of Equity in the State aforesaid

To All to whom these presents shall come

Greeting --

Know ye that George Turner citizen of the District and State aforesaid A.D. Laborer, did this day appeared before me and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he entered in the Army of the United States in the revolutionary war in the year 1776 under Captain Isaac Hix of the Infantry of 3rd Georgia Regiment commanded by Colonel Scriven [sic, Screven] that he fought at the fall of Savannah was with General Elbert at the defeat at Briar Creek and that he was with General Linkhorn [sic, Benjamin Lincoln] at the [indecipherable word or words] and at the Battle at Stono. That he served faithfully for the term of 3 years and was discharged by Colonel Malventry [sic, Malmedy?] Which discharge is lost or destroyed he further deposes and saith that from his reduced circumstances in life he needs the aid of his Country for support

S/ George Turner, X his mark

In testimony that the above named George Turner did this day make oath before me of the truth of the above affidavit I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Court to be affixed this 2nd day of June in the year of our Lord 1818 and of the independence of the United States of America in the 42nd.

S/ W. Thompson

State of South Carolina Edgefield District: on this 4th day of October 1820

Personally appeared in open Court, being a Court of record for said district and State George Turner, aged upwards of seventy-five years, resident of Stephens Creek in said district and State, who being first duly sworn, according to law, doth on his oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows, in the 3rd Regiment of Georgia, commanded by Colonel James Screven, in a company commanded by Captain Isaac Hix, and that he is now on the pension Roll by virtue of the act of the 18th March 1818 that his pension Certificate is dated on the 18th day of September 1818 that the pension having commenced on 2nd day of June 1818 and that he has already received his pension from the last mentioned time, till the 4th of March 1820 and he said declarant doth solemnly swear that he was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that he has not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner whatever disposed of his property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring

himself within the provision of an act of Congress entitled “an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war” passed on the 18th day of March 1818, and that h has not nor has any person in trust for me any property, or securities, contracts or debts due to him nor has he any Estate real or personal or mixed except the property contained in the following Schedule viz.

100 acres of 3rd quality land worth	\$300.00
one Negro woman	300.00
6 head of hogs	6.00
10 head of sheep	20.00
2 Dutch ovens and 4 pots	8.50
half dozen plates half dozen knives & forks	1.50
2 dishes & 2 basons	2.00
2 pales 2 piggens & 1 Tub	2.00
and some poultry	1.00
half dozen chairs & one table	3.75
2 Chests	2.00
1 pair Cart Wheels	10.00

That he is at this time very infirm and has a wife who is more so, that he has 6 children all of age and acting for themselves exclusively, that he is unable to pursue his former occupation of a [illegible word] that there is no one whom he can depend for support or to whom he can look or from whom he can expect any succor.

Sworn to and declared before me in open Court the day and year above written

S/ W. Mines, C. C.

S/ George Turner, X his mark

South Carolina Edgefield District: Personally came Richard Burton¹ before me and after being sworn on the holy evangelist of Almighty God deposeth and saith that he was well acquainted with George Turner and that he served faithfully in the revolutionary war in the 3rd Regiment under the command of Colonel James Screven more than 9 months.

Sworn to before me this 2nd day of June 1818

S/ Richard Erdmann

S/ Wm Hagens, JP

¹ [Richard Burton S40761](#)