

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Isaac Herrington W41630

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District of Edenton N. C. SS Camden County Circuit

On this 28th day of April 1819, before me, the subscriber, one of the Judges of the Superior Courts of North Carolina for the said district, personally appeared Isaac Herrington aged sixty years resident in the County of Camden, in the said district, who, being by me first duly sworn, according to law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provision made by the late 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:" That he, the said Isaac Herrington enlisted for the term of three years about the month of October in the year 1779 in Hertford County in the state of North Carolina in the ~~company commanded by Captain~~ in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Gideon Lamb & afterwards placed under command of Captain Spence West¹ in the line of the State of North Carolina on the Continental Establishment; that he continued to serve in the said Corps, or in the service of the United States, until the month of October 1780, when he was discharged from service in or at the 10 mile house in the state of South Carolina & afterwards entered again termed 12 months that he was in the battles of Stono near Charleston S. C. & in several skirmishes – and that he is in reduced circumstances, and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support; and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services except the annexed affidavit. Sworn to and declared before me, the day and year aforesaid

S/ Isaac Herrington, X his mark

S/ Ja. Iredell [James Iredell], JSCL&E

State of North Carolina Camden County: SS

James Overton maketh oath that he served during the Revolutionary War in Colonel Lamb's Regiment on the Continental Establishment in company with the within named Isaac Herrington that he believes he enlisted about the time within mentioned and knows that he served 12 months at one time.

S/ James Overton, X his mark

Sworn to before me the 28th of April 1819

S/ Ja. Iredell, JSCL&E

[fn p. 23: claim dated August 9, 1820, largely the same as below]

State of North Carolina Camden County: District of Edenton SS

¹ There was no such officer in the North Carolina Continental line

Camden Superior Court November Term 1821 –

Personally appeared in Open Court, being a Court of record for the County aforesaid, Isaac Herrington aged 67 years who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by act of Congress of the 18th of March 1818 and the 10th of May 1820 that he the said Isaac Herrington enlisted for the term of 3 years or during the war on the ___ day of April in the year 1779 in the State of North Carolina in the Company Commanded by Colonel Gidian Lamb [Gideon Lamb] in the line of the State of North Carolina on the Continental establishment – that he continued to serve in the said Corps until sometime in the fall season of the year 1781 when he was discharged from the said Service at a 10 mile House 10 miles from Charleston South Carolina by Colonel Armstrong – that he was in the battles at Stono and in several other Skirmishes &c and that he has no other evidence now in his power to prove his said Service at this time but by his own oath – and in pursuance of the act of the first of May 1820, I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner whatever disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself 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 I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property, or securities, contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed

15 head of hogs valued at \$3 each	\$45.00
9 pigs valued at .50 cents each	4.50
3 Iron pots	4.00
2 Tea Kittles \$1 each	2.00
2 Dutch ovens one dollar each	2.00
8 sitting chairs	8.00
2 tables \$1 each 2 woolen wheels \$2 each	6.00
1 Linen wheel	4.00
35 acres of land valued at \$2 per acre	70.00
117 acres of Swamp valued at 25 cents per acre	29.25
1 Cart tire valued \$1.50	<u>1.50</u>
	\$178.25
debts due me	<u>40.00</u>
	\$218.25
By debts Said Herrington owes to Sundry persons	
by notes, Judgments &c	<u>199.62</u>
	14.53
4 Steers valued at \$8 each	32.00
3 yearlings valued at \$4 each	12.00
13 head She at \$1.50 each	19.50
3 old hoes \$1 2 axes \$2 1 plow \$2	<u>5.00</u>
Balance in favor of Herrington	\$83.03

His Occupation as farmer, much afflicted and very unable to pursue it – his wife Amelia also much afflicted and has been for 3 years past – her age thirty-nine years – one son Miles aged thirteen years, son Willet aged eleven years, one daughter Polly aged nine years, daughter Chloe about seven years of age and Emma aged five years all very sickly and unable to contribute

anything towards their support & that he is a resident of Camden County & has been for 40 or 50 years.

S/ Jesse Herrington, X his mark

Test S/ Joseph Morgan, Clerk

State of North Carolina Camden County: Personally appeared James Overton,² before us Joseph Dozier & Willis Wilson two of the Justices of the Peace for Camden County and being duly sworn deposeth & saith that he was personally acquainted with Isaac Harrington & that he enlisted for the term of three years or during the war on the __day of one of the Spring months in the year of 1779 in the State of North Carolina in the Company commanded by Colonel Gideon Lamb in the line of the State of North Carolina on the Continental establishment that he continued to serve in the said Corps until sometime in the spring Season of 1782 when he was discharged from service.

Sworn to before us

S/ Joseph Dozier

S/ James Overton, X his mark

S/ W. Wilson

The Name of Isaac Herrington does not appear on the muster rolls of the North Carolina Continental line for the revolutionary war.

Given under my hand at Office in Raleigh this 24th of December 1821

S/ Wm Hill, Secretary of State

[fn p. 25: application dated May 14, 1823, largely the same as above]

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$8 per month commencing March 1, 1823, for 3 years service as a private in the North Carolina Continental line.]

² [James Overton S41927](#)