

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of William Blaikley S46753

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The State of South Carolina } By the Honb'e Waddy Thompson Esq'r one of the Judges of the
Edgefield District } Court of Equity in the State aforesaid

To All to whom these presents shall come. Greeting.

Know ye that William Blaikley citizen resident in the District and State aforesaid labourer, did this day appear before me and made Oath on the holy Evangelist of Almity God that he entered in the Army of the United States in the revolutionary war in the year 1775 under Captain Lew Jones in the Virginia Line commanded by Col. Nash faught the Battles at Norfolk [possibly Battle of Great Bridge, 9 Dec 1775] thence at the new distilary and thence at the Battle at Kemps landing [14 Nov 1775] and thence the Battle at Garmintown [sic: Germantown, 4 Oct 1777] and at the Battle at Little York [Siege of Yorktown, 28 Sep – 19 Oct 1781] – and that he served faithfully for the term of three years and was discharged by General Washington which discharge is lost or mislaid so he can not procure it. and he further deposeseth and saith that from his reduced circumstances in life he needs the aid of his Country for support.

[signed] W Blaikley