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Pension Application of Isaac Smith S6119

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State of Virginia Charlotte County Solicit            On this day of November 1832 personally appear'd before the County Court of Charlotte Isaac Smith Age'd years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his Oath make the following decleration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress pass'd June 7<sup>th</sup> 1832. That he substituted & enlisted in the service of the united states for the term of three years under William Porter Ensign of Powatan [sic: Powhatan] County as the substitute of Thos. Smith & John Cannon of said County in the Month of August 1777 I then march'd to the North and just before we reach'd Georgetown we were inoculated for the small pox then March'd into georgetown and their continued until we got well and fit for duty then we march'd to Whitemarsh Camp to Head Quarters and join'd the Second Virginia Redgiment William Tailor [sic: William Taylor] Capt William Porter Ensign Col Febaker [sic: Christian Febiger] was the Col. of our Regiment in Gen'l. Wedens [sic: George Weedon's] Brigade I serv'd under Gen'l Washington until the close of 1779 then we ware attach'd to Gen'l. [William] Woodford's Brigade And then march'd to reinforce Charlestown [Charleston SC] after a long cold & fatiguing march we reach'd Charlestown [8 Apr 1780] We had not Been their but a short time before the British surround'd us Both By Sea & Land and laid seage to the town which continued 28 days & nights [until 12 May 1780] Our Commander Gen'l. [Benjamin] Lincoln And the British Commander Clinton Came on terms of Capitulation we was sent under gard to the Barrox [sic: barracks] Our officers was allow'd to go to Hatswell point [sic: Haddrell Point] and carry their Bomans [sic: bowmen, i.e. waiters] I Continued prisoner about two month I then made my Escape And came to Charlotte County whare my friends & relatives resided at that time. I then went Down to Chesterfield Courthouse and got my Discharge from Col Davis My time being out agreeable to the Certificate of my enlistment then I went to Richmond and Drew my Land Warrant out of the Land office which was promised to us when we Enlisted. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pention or an annuity except the present and he declares that his name is not on the pention roll of any agency in any state  
[signed] Isaac Smith

I John Tompson [sic: John Thompson S41254] of the County of Campbell and State of Virginia do hereby certify that I served in the Revolution two years and four months with Isaac Smith of the County of Charlotte and state of virginia That he the said Smith join'd. the regular army at white marsh in Pennsylvania the last of November or first of December 1777 he was in Capt Taylors company and General Weadeans Bregade in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Virginia Redgiment near the close of the campaign of 1779 we were detach to General Woodfords Bregade and march'd from Trenton in Jearsy for Charlestowon in South Carrolina, I there parted with the Army about the 20<sup>th</sup> of March 1780 at Hunters tavern about 15 miles beyound Campden [sic: Camden]  
[signed 16 Oct 1832] John Thompson