

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Randolph Stallard S6165

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[Note: The handwriting and quality of the digital images posted on both Fold3.com and HeritageQuest.com are all very poor. Use the following transcription with more than the normal caution.]

State of Virginia Culpeper County: Sct.

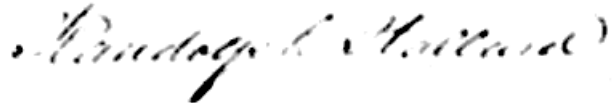
On this 13th day of August 1832 personally appeared in open Court, before the justices of the Court of Culpeper now sitting Randolph Stallard a resident of the County of Culpeper State of Virginia aged seventy-six years, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed the 7th June 1832. That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served as herein stated.

That he entered the militia minute service in the year 1775 from the County of Culpeper State of Virginia, in the Company commanded by Captain William McClanahan, from said County, Colonel Taliaferro from Orange County, Colonel Stephen's from Culpeper and a Major Thomas a Marshall from Fauquier County, were the commanding officers of the Regiment. That he and marched from Culpeper County to Williamsburg Virginia that he volunteered in Captain Bluford's Company, upon an expedition to Hampton Virginia and assisted in taking a British tender at that place, continued in the same two months and was discharged from the service at Williamsburg Virginia and returned home. That he was detailed in August 1776 together with the Company of Captain McClanahan from the County of Culpeper Virginia, and was marched to old James Town on James River and garrisoned a post on said River, during the tour of three months, after which term he was discharged at the post at old James Town and returned home together with Captain McClanahan's Company, which constituted [one or more indecipherable words]; That he was an orderly Sergeant Bowen both of those tours, which amounted to 4 months service. That in the year 1777 he volunteered as a private in Captain Pendleton's Company of Militia, and marched from the County of Culpeper to the Bowling Green in Caroline County Virginia, received orders at that place to return to Culpeper County and marched from there [several indecipherable words: being out of service to the North in the said Company commanded by Captain Pendleton, that upon arriving at Brown's Mill [??] in the State of Maryland that he was transferred to the company commanded by Captain Hill [perhaps Henry Hill] from the County of Culpeper, and marched for Head Quarters under the command of a Major William Roberts, and joined the Regiment commanded by Colonel Crawford of the Regular Army. The name of the place at which General Washington was at the time he joined him was called Skippack [?] in Pennsylvania on the retreat of General Washington from the Battle of Germantown [October 4, 1777]. That he served four months in that tour, and was

discharged the service and returned home. That he was in the month of May 1781 detailed in the service of the Militia in the year as above stated, as Lieutenant in the militia service in the company commanded by Captain William Green and marched from the County of Culpeper to the Malvern Hills in the Regiment commanded by Colonel John Thornton of said County, A Major DeCloman [Christian Charles de Klauman] a French officer who belonged to said Regiment, and continued in the service for three months at the said place, and was discharged there after the term of service had expired, That previous to the last named service he discharged and performed a tour of service as Ensign in a Company of militia commanded by Captain Conn of said County and Cadd Slaughter [Cadwallader Slaughter ?] as [indecipherable word or words] for said Command, to guard the British prisoners at the Albemarle Barracks Virginia and performed [several indecipherable words] months as a guard of the same. That he served five months as an orderly Sergeant, four months as a private and served three months as Ensign and Lieutenant in all twelve months. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not inscribed on the pension Roll of the agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court the day and year aforesaid.

S/ Randolph Stallard

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Randolph Stallard".

[David Jameson, Reuben Moore and George Cortin gave the standard supporting affidavit.]

[Note: Frankly the handwriting and poor quality of the images in this file lead me to quit transcribing at this point. If anyone has a better and/or more complete transcription and is willing to share it with us, it will be greatly appreciated.]

Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$88.33 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for service for four months as a private; five months as a Sergeant; one month as an Ensign and three months as a Lieutenant in the Virginia service.]