Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Pension Application of Drewry Jeffrey S7067 NC
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State of Georgia }
Paulding County } S.S.

On this the fifth day of November Eighteen Hundred and thirty Eight Personally appeared before the Court of ordinary now seting Drewry Jeffrey a resident of the County of Paulding and State of Georgia aged seventy eight years who being first duly Sworn according to Law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the provision made by the act of Congress Past June the Seventh Eighteen Hundred and thirty Two – That he inlisted in the Army of the United States and served until the Twenty sixth day of June Seventeen Hundred and Eighty two in the tenth Redgement of the North Carolina line under the following named officers to wit Col. Dixon or Dickson [Henry Dixon] Maj. McCrea [sic: Griffith John McRee] Capt'n Lytles [sic: probably William Lytle] and Lieutenant Wynn Dickson [sic: Wynne Dixon] and General Green [sic: Nathanael Greene] Commanded That at the time he enlisted he resided in Burke County North Carolina that he was Engaged in no battels that he marched from Rutherford County North Carolina to the High Hills of Santee in the State of South Carolina and from thence to Camden and from thence to the eutaw springs in said State of South Carolina He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or an anuity except the present and he declares that his name is not on the pension Roll of any agency of any state

State of North Carolina/ Secretary of State's Office

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State aforesaid, do hereby certify, that it appears from the musterrolls of the continental line of this State in the revolutionary war that Drewry Jeffrey a private Soldier in Cap. Lytle's Company of the 10th Regiment enlisted on the 9th day of July 1781 for the term of 12 months and left service 26th June 1782.

Given under my hand this 24th day of July 1838.

W. Hill Sec'ry.

NOTE:

A letter dated 14 June 1839 from Jeffrey's agent reads in part as follows: "Drewry Jeffries during the revolutionary war served as a regular Soldier 12 months in the N. Carolina line part of the time in Captain Littles company & part of the time in Capt Wm Waltons [William Walton's] company. while in the regular service he was as one of the waggon guard at the battle of Eautaw Spring. jeffries also served in the militia three month against the Cherokee indians."

Undated letters state that Jeffrey died in Cobb County GA.