

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John McCulloch (McCullock)<sup>1</sup> S7204

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State of Virginia, Washington County

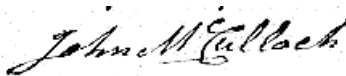
On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1832 personally appeared in open court before the justices of the court of Washington County aforesaid now sitting, being a court of record, John McCulloch a resident of said County, now in his seventy first year of his age, who being duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath make the following declaration in order to attain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

The said John McCulloch was born in Albemarle County in this State and is now in the seventy first year of his age. In the year 1769 his father removed to this part of Virginia, then a wilderness and settled on Mockinson [sic, Moccasin?] Creek: and the said John has continued to reside in this country ever since. In the year 1777, in April, when the said John was in his 15<sup>th</sup> year he volunteered to defend the frontiers against the Indian savages, and served one month under Captain John Campbell at the Rich Lands on Clinch [River]. The next year he served one month more being the month of July under Major Daniel Smith in defending the same frontier against the savages. He then volunteered for a tour to Kentucky, men having been ordered there, to defend Boone's Station. He marched on this tour under Captain George Adams & served upwards of four months, having been detained longer in service a week or two more then some of the other men. In 1780 he volunteered for the expedition to South Carolina which ended with the battle of King's Mountain [October 7, 1780] and capture of the Troops under Furguson [sic, Patrick Ferguson]. In this campaign he served under Col. William Campbell and in the Company commanded by Lieutenant McCulloch, his father -- was in the battle -- and near his father, who fell mortally wounded in the heat of the action. He marched on this expedition about the first of September and was discharged about the 20<sup>th</sup> of October making his time of service, some days over six weeks.

He the said John McCulloch hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.

S John McCulloch<sup>2</sup>



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State of Virginia Washington County: SS

On this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1832 personally came Michael Fleenor<sup>3</sup> before me a justice of the peace

<sup>1</sup> BLWt47666-160-55

<sup>2</sup> I am not sure that the signature is the actual signature of the veteran as the handwriting appears to me to be substantially identical to the handwriting of the application itself.

<sup>3</sup> [Michael Fleenor W7288](#)

in and for the County aforesaid and being duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare and state that he was a private in Captain George Adams' Company in the year 1778 on the expedition under Major Daniel Smith to Kentucky to defend Boones Station. That he served about 4 months from the first August to the last of November and that John McCulloch was a private in said company and served the same time or longer –

S/Michael Fleenor, X his mark

On this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1832 personally came Ezekiel Hobbs<sup>4</sup> before me a justice of the peace in & for the County aforesaid and being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, declare & state, that he was a private in Captain George Adams' Company on the expedition to Kentucky under Major Daniel Smith in the year 1778. That he served from the first of August to the last of November or about that time on said campaign and that John McCulloch was a private in the said company and served the whole time.

S/ Ezekiel Hobbs, H his mark

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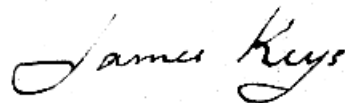
State of Virginia Washington County: SS

On this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1832 personally came Robert McCulloch before me a justice of the peace in and for the County aforesaid, and being duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare & state that he well recollects that during the Revolutionary War John McCulloch served one month on Clinch [River] as a soldier in guarding the frontiers against the Indians – He also knows that he went on the expedition to Kentucky in 1778 – And that he went to Kings Mountain in 1780.

S/ Robert McCulloch

This day came Captain James Keys<sup>5</sup> before me a justice of the peace in and for the County aforesaid and being duly sworn deposes That he was in service under Captain John Campbell at the Rich Lands on Clinch [River] and that he well recollects that John McCulloch was a private in said company and served one month. He further knows that John McCulloch was a private in the expedition which terminated in the battle of Kings mountain and that he served about 6 weeks or upwards. Sworn to & subscribed this 27<sup>th</sup> of November 1832.

S/ John Keys



[p 8: On October 1, 1856 in Washington County Virginia, John Morell, 70, and Jacob Morell, 64, gave testimony that they were well acquainted with John McCulloch Senior who resided in said County and died there in about April 1838; that said John McCulloch was married twice and had no children by his first marriage and only 2 by his second marriage; those children's names are Thomas and Sarah Ann W., both of whom are now living and were at the death of their father quite young; Thomas being about 2 or 3 years old and Sarah Ann about one year old; that the veteran left a widow whose name was Elizabeth and who has since the death of her husband intermarried with Augustin R. Mallicote and is now the wife of said Mallicote.]

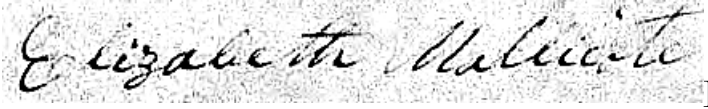
[p 9: On October 1, 1856 in Washington County Virginia, Elizabeth Mallicote gave testimony that she is the mother of Thomas J and Sarah Ann W. McCulloch who are the only 2 children of John

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<sup>4</sup> [Ezekiel Hobbs W8940](#)

<sup>5</sup> [James Keys \(Keyes\) S15907](#)

McCulloch deceased, a revolutionary war pensioner; that Thomas J was born August 4<sup>th</sup>, 1835 and that Sarah Ann W. was born the 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 1837; that her husband John McCulloch departed this life April 29, 1838 leaving the affiant and her 2 children his sole heirs; that on November 25, 1838 she married Augustin R. Mallicote.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Elizabeth Mallicote". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored, slightly textured paper. The name "Elizabeth" is written in a larger, more prominent hand than "Mallicote". The signature is enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.

[Veteran was pensioned at the rate of \$24.66 per annum commencing March 4<sup>th</sup>, 1831, for service as a private for 7 months & 12 days in the Virginia militia.]