

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Littleberry Roach SC2392
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Petition of Littleberry Roach praying for a Pension

Littleberry Roach Petition

Pensions

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina Your Petitioner Humbly Sheweth that he were a Soldier in the Militia during the Revolutionary war on the Liberty Side he were Drafted and attached to Captain William Jones² Company in Colonel Wade's Regiment and Sent to South Carolina at & Near the Cheraw Hills in General Greens [Nathanael Greene's] Army he the Deponent were Drafted in Orange County North Carolina and Came on to this State and served a three months Tour above Stated then he Returned home to North Carolina and turned out Volunteer under Captain Nathaniel Christmas in Colonel Pacey's [John Paisley's a/k/a John Peasley's] Regiment and Served a three months Tour then were Drafted for another three months Tour and Peace were made before the date of Rendezvous your Petitioner being old and infirm not able to Labor for a Support Gives you a Schedule of his Property viz. an old still and Vessels which I formally Rum [sic, ran? or was he distilling rum?] But now are too infirm to attend to them with my Clothes and some few other Articles and lives with my Daughter as one of the Family and your Petitioner Humbly Prayeth your Honorable Body will take his Case into consideration and allow him what you in your Judgments may think he merits and he will ever Pray Given under my hand this 21st of November, 1831

Test

S/ William Berry

S/ Littleberry Roach, X his mark

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² Captain William Jones of the Orange County Regiment of North Carolina militia served under Colonel Hugh Tinnen, Major William Gholson, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Mebane and Major Bennett Crofton. https://www.carolana.com/NC/Revolution/nc_patriot_military_captains.htmlv

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State of South Carolina Anderson District } Personally Came Littleberry Roach before me and makes oath in due form of Law & Saith on said oath that the Contents of the foregoing Services Together with the Schedule are Just and true. Sworn to and Subscribed this 21st November 1831
S/ William Berry, JP S/ Littleberry Roach, X his mark

State of South Carolina Anderson District } Personally came Mary Partan before me and makes oath in due form of Law and Saith on said oath that she were well acquainted with Littleberry Roach before During & after the Revolutionary War were present and did see him start from North Carolina Orange County to serve a three months Tour in South Carolina under Captain William Jones and saw him shortly after he returned and frequently heard him and my Husband say he served the Tour at and near the Cheraw Hills in General Greens Army. Sworn to and subscribed this 21st of November 1831
S/ William Berry, JP S/ Mary Partan, X her mark

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The Committee on pensions to whom was referred the petition of Littleberry Roach for a pension –

Report and recommend the prayer thereof be rejected – December 2nd, 1831
S/ T. Richardson, Chairman