

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Application of Thomas Pearson Va6 [Va State Claim]

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Pension Application of THOMAS PEARSON: Virginia State Pension [Act of General Assembly 30 Nov 1812, Chapter 160, page 134]

ACTS passed at a GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA begun and held at the Capitol on the city of Richmond, on Monday the thirtieth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Commonwealth the thirty-seventh.

Richmond

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[134]

CHAP. CLX

An Act granting present relief to Thomas Pearson, and also placing him on the pension list.  
[Passed January 12th, 1813]

[Preamble.]

Whereas it is represented to the General Assembly, that Thos Pearson, a soldier in the revolutionary war, belonging to the VA Line on continental establishment, and attached to the regiment commanded by Col. Abraham Buford, received in an action with the British troops, fought in SC in the month of May 1780, sundry wounds in his head and arms, which have rendered him, in his present advanced stage of life, (being sixty two years of age.) incapable of maintaining himself by labour;

[Thos Pearson allowed \$50 for present relief;]

1. Be it therefore enacted, That the aforesaid Thos Pearson shall be allowed \$50 for his present relief; and the auditor by public accounts is authorized and required to issue a warrant on the treasury for the same to the said Thos Pearson, in person or by attorney, to be paid out of monies therein.

[and a pension of \$60 per annum.]

2. And be it further enacted, That the aforesaid Thos Pearson shall be placed on the pension list by the auditor, and be allowed annually \$60, to be paid as other pensions are paid.

[Commencement.]

3. This Act shall be in force from the passing thereof.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

**SOURCE: DAR Record as of Oct 2008**

PEARSON, THOS: Ancestor #: A087212

Service: VA Rank: PRIVATE



hereunto set my hand and seal this day & year last mentioned.

J Early, JP {seal}

I Thomas Pearson of Franklin County (formerly of Bedford Co) State of Virginia do hereby constitute and appoint Samuel Hale delegate of the County of Franklin now in Richmond my lawful attorney to receive in my behalf of the Auditor of public accounts his warrant on the Treasury for the amount of my Pension for twelve months ending the 12<sup>th</sup> of January 1834 agreeable to an act of the general assembly passed the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1813 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25<sup>th</sup> January 1834

Teste  
Thomas Pearson  
Benjamin Betts

Thomas Pearson

Be it known that on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1834 before me came the above named Thomas Pearson and acknowledged the above title of attorney to be his act and deed in Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day & year last mentioned

J. Early