Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Lewis Hammond R4535
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State of Indiana Switzerland County Sct.

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned a justice of the peace within and for said County Lewis Hammond, of said County aged eighty-three years, on the 14th of last October, who after being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he served as a private in the Militia of the State of Virginia in 1781 for three months under the command of Captain Reynolds under Colonel Holmes at Winchester in the State of Virginia. The company was employed at that place to guard the prisoners taken by General Morgan &c – and, he also served as a private in the said militia for two months under Captain Samuel Glass = the company to which he was attached during this tour, was employed in guarding the prisoners on their route to Fredericktown in Maryland. Again he served in a company of Militia, and served three months, under Captain Nighswanger [probably Captain John Niscwanger]. All of which service was performed in the militia of the State of Virginia in the Revolutionary War. The Lieutenant under Nighswanger was named Jenkins, and further saith not.

S/ Lewis Hammond, X his mark
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of May A.D. 1843
S/ Wm T. Wiley, JP