

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Jeremiah Buzby R1566

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State of South Carolina, District of Edgefield

On this Seventh day of March 1825 personally appeared in open court being the circuit court of common pleas of said State and District, and a regular court of record, Jeremiah Buzby aged sixty years and a resident in the aforesaid District of Edgefield who being first duly sworn according to Law, doth on his [oath] make the following declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by Acts of Congress of the eighteenth of March 1818 and the first May 1820.

He the said Jeremiah Buzby enlisted for the term of three years or during the war on the __ day of October in the year 1781 in the State Troops in the company commanded by Captain Felix Warley in the regiment commanded by Colonel Thompson [William Thomson] in the Line of the State of South Carolina the continental establishment, that he continued to serve in said Corps, until peace was made, when he was discharged from the said service, __ in August 1783 in the State of South Carolina in the City of Charleston. Deponent further swears he received when discharged an undated Furlough and that he was never called into service again; that his furlough was burnt in his house in the year 1800. That he was in the battles at St. Johns Island [Nov. 4, 1782]¹ where they took a British Ship of war, and that he has no other evidence of said service except the evidence of Miles Buzby's affidavit which is hereunto annexed. And in pursuance of the Act of the first May 1820, I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the eighteenth day of March 1818, and that I have not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an Act of Congress entitled an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the Land and Naval Service of the United States in the Revolutionary War past on the eighteenth day of March 1818, and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or Security Contracts or Debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in schedule hereto annexed, and by me Subscribed (Viz)

Two sows & seven shots valued at.....	\$10.00
2 pots and one oven.....	5.00
	\$15.00

S/ Jeremiah Buzby, X his mark

Declarant further swears that he is very infirm by reason of pains, was bedridden for two years in 1822 & 3, not able to cut a fire of wood, was by occupation a farmer, but since has been so afflicted, has done something at the Shoemaker's trade, has a wife about seventy years of age, who has been blind about nine years. She has a small pittance allowed her by the Commissioners of the poor for said District. That he made application through the Hon. W. Simkins in 1822, but

¹ http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_johns_island.html

the declaration was lost or mislaid. That he would of applied at an early date but was at that time able to support himself and wife, but is now compelled to look to the bounty of his Country for a pittance to Support on the remainder of his days on earth.

S/ Jeremiah Busby, X his mark

Sworn to this 15th March 1825 before me.

S/ J. S. Richardson
Associate Judge

South Carolina, Edgefield County

Before me Jesse Blocker one of the Justices of the Quorum for said State and District Miles Buzby, and after being duly sworn on the holy evangelist of Almighty God saith on his oath that he was personally acquainted with Jeremiah Buzby in 1781, and knows that he enlisted under Captain Warley, and in Colonel Thompson's State Troops in 1781 and served until August 1783, and believes he served his Country faithfully. Deponent further states Jeremiah Buzby's house was burnt in 1800.

S/ Miles Buzbee

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th March 1825.

S/ Jesse Blocker J. Q.

South Carolina Audited Accounts ² relating to Jeremiah Busby	AA3
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No. 254 Lib. [Book] O Jeremh. Busby Stg. £11.17.5

Received Columbia 23rd December 1790 from Commissioner of Treasury an Indent No. 254 Book O for Eleven Pounds 17/5 Stg. in full for the within £11.17.5

S/ Alexr. Bolls Stark [Alexander Bolls Stark]



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Messrs. Commissioners of the Treasury of the State of South Carolina -
Gentlemen/

Please deliver to Robert Stark Esquire or order Indents to the amount of my Account against this State for Services under Colonel Thompson as a regular & Colonel Hunte as a Militia man for value received this 20th December 90

Test.

Alexr. Bolls Stark

S/ Jeremiah Buzbee, X his mark

I Assigned over to Robert Stark Esquire my Indent due me from the State of South Carolina for

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services done as a regular Soldier & a private in the militia this 20th December 90
S/ Jeremiah Buzbee, X his mark