

Georgia. 23.710.

Recd to Pension Agents 8 May 1834
to B. ... 6 July 1834

George Norwood
of Campbell in the State of Geo.
who was a private in the Company commanded
by Captain Richards of the ...
by ... in the ...
line for ...
1 m. o. 1 1/2 days

Enrolled on the Roll of Georgia
at the rate of \$... Dollars ... Cents per annum
to commence on the 4th day of March, 1834.

Certificate of Pension issued the 24th day of March 1834
and ...
Foster. 1812.

Arrears to the 4th of March 1834. 81 -
Pension allowance ending Sept. 11, 1834. 13.50
\$ 94.50

Revolutionary Claim,
Act June 7, 1832.

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Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of
the act of Congress, passed June 7, 1838
State of Georgia. } On this 23rd day of October
Campbell County } in the year eighteen hundred &
thirty three, personally appeared in open Court before
me Wm. C. Thomas one of the judges of the Superior
Court of said State, now sitting, George Norwood
a resident of Georgia, in Campbell County, and said
state aged twenty years, who being first duly sworn
according to law, doth on his oath make the follow-
ing declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the
Act of Congress passed June 7, 1838, that he entered
the Service of the United States under the following
named officers, and served as herein stated. That
he volunteered under Captain James Richards in March
in the month of July 1780, that he cannot recollect the
day he went into service, that he thought our sharp
was acting as Major, and Benjamin Sawell Colonel,
that he volunteered in the County of Transylvania, North
Carolina, that he marched directly to Funder River by
the way of Ramsey's Mills, Deep River, intending to
join Genl Gates who was in command of the Southern
Army, that he was halted near Funder River, hoping
to obtain arms, that whilst ~~there~~ ^{there} was halted, he
was in hearing of the Cannon fired at or near
Camden at the time of Gates' ^{was} defeat, that
after Gates' defeat he was marched directly to Salis-
bury, North Carolina passing through Charlotte, N. C.
where he was halted a few days, where Genl Dav-
idson or Davidson, who took the command.
That after reaching Salisbury, he remained there
until regularly discharged, which discharge
is lost for Missaid. That in the above mentioned
campaign he served three months at least.
That about the first of January 1781, in Transylvania
County, N. Carolina, he was substituted for a third

Months from under Capt. James Richards in the
place of one James Poff. That he marched to
Warrenton, Warren County, N.C. from Warrenton
they marching to Hillsboro, N.C. between
which last mentioned places his Captains were
changed, and Col. Daniels took the place of
of Capt. Richards, that in this expedition, John
Storwood, brother to this applicant, was Lieutenant
he does not now recollect the name of his Chaplain.
That he went on to Guilford Court House, N.C.
where he was in an engagement against the
British, that Col. Paul Williams had command
of the Company and one Butler was his Lieut.
at the time of said Battle, from Guilford
Battle ground, he marched directly to Ramsey
Quills on Deep River after staying a short time
at a place called the Iron Works after reaching
Ramsey's Quills, he remained there until discharged
that his discharge is lost, that he was discharged
about the first of April 1781. That he served
in the last mentioned expedition not less than
three months, that after returning home, about
the 1st of August 1781, he again volunteered for
three months, that he does not recollect the
names of Company officers nor of the Field officers
except of Col. John Donnell, Thos. Franklin & C.
he marched to Wallfax, N.C. where he remained
~~for~~ ^{for} ~~two~~ ^{two} weeks and then went home on
a furlow, being sick, and soon after was
discharged, hostilities having ceased in that
quarter, that during the last mentioned service
he acted as orderly Sergeant, that he has no
documentary evidence, and that he knows of no person
whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his
service. He hereby relinquishes every claim to a
pension or gratuity except the present, and

declares that his name is not on the Pension
roll of the Agency of any State.

Known to and subscribed the day and year
above mentioned aforesaid.

Gregory E. Thomas
Judge of Super Courts
St. Ga.

Geo. Norwood

Rev. Martin D. Rogers a Clergyman

Residing in the County of Campbell, and Harrison
McLain residing in the same County, the County

certify that we are well acquainted with George
Norwood, who has subscribed and sworn to the
above declaration, that we believe him to be seventy
years of age; that he is reputed and believed, in the
neighborhood where he resides, to have been a Soldier
of the Revolution, and that we concur in that
opinion.

Sworn and subscribed the day }
M. D. Rogers
Clergyman
Harrison & McLain

Now aforesaid.

Gregory E. Thomas
Judge of Super Courts

And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion
after the investigation of the matter, and after putting
the interrogations presented by the War Department,
that the above named applicant was a Revolu-
tionary Soldier, and served as he states. And the
Court further ~~states~~ certifies that it appears to them
that Martin D. Rogers who has signed the pre-
ceding Certificate, is a Clergyman, resident in the
County of Campbell, and find that Wm. McLain
who has also signed the same is a resident in the
aforesaid County of Campbell and is a Credible Person
and their statement is entitled to Credit.

Gregory E. Thomas
Judge of Super Courts

Campbellton Ga June 29 1837

Dear Sir

I received a communication directed to George W. Norwood or his heirs in relation to back pay he stated that George W. Norwood's heirs was intitled to his pension and that it was not necessary for all of the heirs to make application any one or a part of them could do it. George W. Norwood died at his Daughters residence in this County he was an old revolution Soldier and drew a pension up to the time of his death. The letter that I received from the Department I have mislaid or lost and have forgotten the name of the agent. So if you are the man you can give me all of the facts and if you are not you will please hand it over to some one that will. W. B. Swann
I remain your

Rev. & 1812 Wars Section.
AWP

July 23, 1929.

George Norwood
S. 31865

Mrs. C. D. Blackwelder,
Box 1516,
Greenville, South Carolina.

Dear Madam:

I advise you that from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S. 31885, it appears that George Norwood enlisted in Franklin County, North Carolina and served in the North Carolina Troops, as follows:

From July 1780, three months as private in Captain James Richards' Company, Colonel Benjamin Seawell's Regiment.

From January 1, 1781, three months as private in Captains James Richards' and Joel Parish's Company, Colonel Ben Williams' Regiment, and was in the battle of Guilford.

From August 1, 1781, six or seven weeks as orderly sergeant in Colonel William Brickell's Regiment.

He was allowed pension on his application executed October 23, 1833, while a resident of Campbell County, Georgia, aged seventy years.

Soldier stated that his brother John, was lieutenant

in the three months service from January 1, 1781, but it does not appear that pension was ever claimed on account of the services of said John Norwood.

In 1854 it is stated that George Norwood died at his daughter's residence in Campbell County, Georgia, the date of his death is not given, nor is the name of his daughter mentioned. There are no further family data.

Very truly yours,

EARL D. CHURCH,
Commissioner.