Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Charles Moorman VAS2031 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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To the Hon'ble the Speaker & Gentlemen of the House of Delegates

The petition of Charles Moorman humbly sheweth that your petitioner had in his possession a Certificate for his services as a Militia Man for seven thousand four hundred & forty nine pounds twelve shillings & six pence in paper Money which Certificate y'r petitioner unfortunately lost & that he entered into Bond with security according to law before the Court Bedford on the 22^d day of march 1784 which Bond y'r petitioner through Inadvertency neglected to transmit to the auditors of publick accounts till after the law was repeal'd directing them to give Duplicates in Case of lost Certificates. Y'r petitioner w'd. therefore humbly hope that y'r hon'ble house will direct the Auditor to issue a Duplicate for seven pounds eight shillings & six pence this being the s'd amount in Specie of the above mentiond sum of paper Money As it will appear by the date of the s'd Bond that I was given indication & y'r petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray

Aud'rs Office Nov. 19 '87

The act which authorized granting duplicate warrants of Certificates was repealed by an act passed at the Oct'r. Session '86 J. Pendleton

19th November 1787 Rejected