Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Cleon Moore VAS2037 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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To the Honorable the Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Delegates

The Petition of Cleon Moore of the County of Fairfax humbly sheweth

That your Petitioner was appointed to the command of a Company in Colo. Graysons [William Grayson's] Regiment in the year 1777 that at a considerable expence to himself he raised a number of men for that Company – that he marched the Company to the north, and in the Battle of Brandywine [11 Sep 1777] received a wound through his Body which disable him from service until the year follow'g when he joined the Regiment and was in the Battle of Monmouth [28 Jun 1778]. But finding himself unable to undergo the fatigue of another Campaign was obliged to resign his commission and retire from the service

Your Petitioner humbly hopes that this honorable House will in consideration of his services and sufferings, grant him a bounty in Land. and your Petitioner as in Duty bound shall Pray.

June 12th 1784 Ref'd to Prop[osition]s/ reasonable allowed/ Captains portion of land.