Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to James Rodgers (Rogers) VAS2107 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from pension records in the Library of Virginia.]

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in my company [several missing words] Regiment in the month of February [undeciphered word] that on the 4th of October 1777 he received a wound at the Battle of German Town of which it is said he is not yet recovered that his occupation before & since his being in the Continental Service was that of a Planter or farmer

Given under my hand September 26, 1785 Levin Joynes formerly Capt. Continental Army

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Dr Currie presents his very respectful comp'ts to his Excellency the Governor. has examin'd. James Rogers Leg & from the man's information & the Drs own observations of the present state of his Leg is of opinion that till nature exfoliates, more of the bone, art cannot avail, in confirming a Cure & that this will be a work of some time is beyond a doubt/ Wednesday Oct'r 5th 1785

At a Court held in Accomack County February the 28th 1787

Ordered that it be certified to the Executive that James Rodgers of the County of Accomack and Parish of St. George, who had formerly been a Soldier in the Continental army, and was wounded in the Battle at Germantown, still continues unable to get his Livelihood in consequence of his Wounds. Littleton Savage CAC

I Hereby certify that James Rodgers formerly a private soldier of the Ninth Virginia Regiment in service of the United States received a wound in his Leg at the battle of German Town on the 4th Day of October 1777 of which wound he has not yet recovered.

Given under my hand May 3 1787 Levin Joynes formerly Major said 9th Reg't.

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On Examination find the within mentioned Person has evident marks of great Injury on his right Leg, an open ulcer still continuing & from every appearance will in all probability remain for years – have no doubt of the mans disability to obtain a Living by hard Labor. W. Foushee. May 21 1787

I do with the advice of the Council hereby Certify That James Rodgers, aged about 29 years, late a Private in the 9th Virginia Regiment, and whose pay was at the rate of £24 per annum, Was disabled in the service of The United States by a wound received in his right leg; and that he is allowed the sum of Twelve Pounds yearly to commence from the first day of January 1786.

Given under my hand as Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia at Richmond this 21st day of May 1787.

T Meriwether

[signed[Beverley Randolph