Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Archibald Armstrong VAS2281 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from <u>bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia</u>. The file also contains a document signed by Maj. John Hays that is otherwise undeciphered.]

Bath County September Court 1798

James Elliott, Ann Elliott and James Scott Sen'r came into Court and after being duly qualified sayeth that the within mentioned Archibald Armstrong [many undeciphered words] fall from a horse which killed him and that it happened some time in the Month of December 1777 or the first of January 1778 which is ordered to be Certified

Test [illegible signature] D. C. B. County

It is necessary that the time and manner of Mr. Armstrong's death should be ascertained by testimony in Court certified by the Clerk in order to a decision whether he is entitled to land or not.

Sam. Coleman

The Certificate of the services of Archibald Armstrong is insufficient. if the Officer can Certify that he Actually died in Service, or that he served upwards of three years, his representatives will be entitled to the Bounty; but not otherwise.

James Wood