## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Buller Claiborne VAS3007 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from <u>bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia</u>. One document is not legible enough for transcription.]

I do Certify that Bullar Claiborne was apointed a Lieutenant in thee 2<sup>nd</sup> Virg'a Continantial Regt in the year 1775 and Continued in said Reg't till he became a Captain, that in the months of June or July 1777 he went with Gen'l Linkcoln to Seritoga [sic: Benjamin Lincoln to Saratoga NY] with the Rank of Maj'r and Continued in that Service until Early in the year 1780 but how long he continued in Sarvice after I am unable to say

John Crawford

Feb'y 4<sup>th</sup> AD 1807 [several undeciphered words]

John Fauford

I do hereby Certify that I was well acquainted with Maj Buller Claiborne who was formerly an Officer in the United States Army – my first acquaintance with him was in the year 1776, when he was a Lieutenant in the Virginia line on Continental Establishment, and belonging to the second Regiment commanded by Colo. Alexander Spotswood [R18089] after which he received the appointment of Aid Decamp to General Lincoln, and in the Capacity I believe he acted during the time that General Lincoln had a Command in the Army and I believe was in Office till the [end?] of the War. Given under my Hand this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of

February 1807.HenryTestformerP. BairdReg't aHill Cogbillof theWm W [illegible]to the a

Henry Tatum Lieut [W6242] formerly of the 5<sup>th</sup> Virginia Reg't afterwards on the Reduction of the Virginia line annexed to the 3<sup>d</sup>.



Petersburg 13 February 1807. Being called on by the Representatives of the late Maj'r Buller Claiborne dec'd [I] do Certify that the said Buller Claiborne at the time of the commencement of the American Revolution lived [several illegible words] and did business as an assistant in the same Mercantile house of Taylor Newman[?] & Wray with myself. That about that time he left the said [undeciphered word] perhaps some time in the year 1775 and I think, to the best of my recollection he was appointed an officer in a Company raised by Capt Richard Kidder Meade [VAS625] of Prince George County of the first Regular troops that were raised in the State of Virginia and I suppose he entered into this service perhaps in the latter end of the year 1775 or in the year 1776. J Grammar

I do hereby Certify that Buller Claiborne was appointed a Lieutenant in the second Virginia Continental Regiment in the year 1775 and after some time being in the service He was appointed an aid to General Lincoln and acted as such I believe untill the end of the Revolutionary War. Given under my hand this 16<sup>th</sup>[?] February 1807. Joseph Jones

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No Warrant to Buller Claiborne as an officer in the Revolutionary Army Wm Price Regr