Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Thomas Davis VAS3309 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

The following printed discharge has illegible hand-written entries transcribed here in italics from a copy misfiled with the federal pension application R2755 of the widow of a different Thomas Davis.]

THIS is to certify that *Thomas Davis a Corporal in the Chasseur* in the First Partisan Legion, under my Command, has served faithfully, bravely & honestly to this Day, is hereby discharged from the Service of the United States, in Pursuance of Orders received from the Commander in Chief, bearing Date the third instant.

I farther certify that Thomas Davis a Corporal in the Chasseur having been enlisted in the State of Virginia is intituled by the Resolution of Congress, of the 13th February, 1779, to the Benefits that have been, or hereafter shall be, granted by the said State to the Noncommissioned Officers and Soldiers of the said Line.

Given under my Hand and Seal at York Town [probably York PA], this fifteenth Day of November, 1783.

> Armand M'qis de la Roueris Brigadier General. [Charles Armand, Marquis de Rouerie BLWt2291-850

> > There Bear get

Entered in the Books of the Legion.

Attest.

Godfried Swartz

The above soldier was enlisted for the War

Adjutant of the Legion.

June 11th 1785 Henry Bedinger [S8059] late

Capt 5th Virg'a Reg't.

[other side]

I do here Sign over my Rights of this discharge unto George wikle[?] as witness my hand this foarth day Thos Davis Cop'l

of March in the year 1784

Witness

in the presents

of John Fitzgerald