Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Dixon VAS3384

Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following is from rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.]

Northampton County Virginia}

October 25th 1831 } The Deposition of Rachael Costin aged 7[?] years deposeth & saith that John Dixon enlisted as a soldier during the Revolutionary war from this County in the 9th Virginia Regment & after serving three years returned to this County. Further this Deponent Saith not

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

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session, 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 21st day of April 1783, in the name of John Dixon as a Soldier of Infantry for £15.17.4, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to Eustis Hyslop and was given for services prior to the 1st January, 1782.

Given under my hand at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 5th day of February 1834. Jas E. Heath AUDITOR.

Robert Russell Sen'r [W5753] a Revolutionary pensioner & a man of truth & veracity came before me & made oath that he was well acquainted with John Dixon in the adjoining county of Northampton – that said Dixon was in the same regiment with [the rest mostly undeciphered]

I certify that Southey Spady aged 77 years this day appeared before me a justice of the peace in & for the County of northampton & made oath that John Dixon of this county enlisted in one of the companies belonging to the 9th Va Regiment & was absent two or three years. And I certify that he is a man of the strictest truth & veracity & entitled to full confidence in all his statements.

Daniel Fitchell JP Sept. 11, 1832

Northampton County Va.

I certify that Wm Parsons aged 73 years this day appeared before me a Justice of the peace in & for the County of Northampton & made oath that Jno Dixon of this county enlisted in one of the companies of the 9th Va Regiment & was absent two or three years & in Service at least three years. And I certify that he is a man of the strictest truth & veracity & entitled to full confidence in all his statements Sept 11, 1832

Daniel Fitchell J.P./ of Northampton Co.

I certify that Rachael Castin aged 75 years this day appeared before me a Justice of the peace in & for the County of Northampton & made oath that Jno Dixon of this county enlisted in one of the companies of the 9th Virginia Regiment & was absent from this county & in service at least three years. And I certify that she is a woman of the strictest truth & veracity & entitled to full confidence in all his statements Sept 11, 1832

Daniel Fitchell J.P./ of Northampton Co.