Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Elliott VAS3492

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

To his Exelency the Governor of virginia [27 May 1835]

The memorial of Susan Elliott of the county of King george and State of virginia respectfully represents that She is the child and only heir at law of the late John Elliott who was a soldier in the revolutionary war – that said Elliott entered Service in the year 76 in the revolution and served a considerable time as your memorialists have always understood and believed, But how long, in what company or regiment she is unable to say. She states that her father as she has understood resided in King george county when he enlisted in the service and that she is unacquainted with the manner of his leaving the service.

Susan Elliott

Report on the claim of the heirs of John Elliott, a soldier of the Continental line, for bounty land for his services.

To the Governor

Sir, The claimant, who states that she is the child and only heir of John Elliott, has not produced any proof of the enlistment & services of the said John Elliott. I have not seen, any where, proof of the term of his enlistment & services.

John Elliott [VAS3493], a soldier of [undeciphered], of the Cont'l line received (by Col Cropper [John Cropper W3781]) Nov'r 30th 1783 £24.19 the balance of his full pay &c (see Army Reg'ter of the Cont'l line.)

It appears, that John Elliott a sold'r of the Continental line, has received 100 acres of land for his services.

Respectfully submitted/ John H Smith Com'r &c/ August 1st 1835