Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Abraham Forsythe VAS3615 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

Kentucky Fleming County Sct. [4 Aug 1821]

Abraham Forsythe appeared before me a Justice of the Peace for said County and made Oath that he Enlisted in June 1779 for during the war in a Detachment commanded by Lieutenant McGuire in the 2^d Virginia Rigiment Commanded by Col. Hawes [Samuel Hawes BLWt1066-450] and afterwards by Col. Mathews and that he served in said Reg't and in the service of the United States in other Regiments until the year 1783 at which time he was honorably discharged by Major or Col. Finley [Samuel Finley W10026] and that he has never rec'd his Land bounty for said service.

Abraham hisXmark Forsythe

Kentucky Fayette County (to wit) [6 Sep 1821]

James Fletcher [S35941] came before me a Justice of the Peace for said county and made oath that he was well acquainted with the within named Abraham Forsythe in the Revolutionary War and was in the army with him and well knows that said Forsythe did enlist for during the war about the year 1779 in the 2^d Virginia Reg't [undeciphered word] Continental line & said Forsythe did serve until the end of the War in 1782 or 1783 and was honorably discharged and returned home James hisXmark Fletcher