## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Jere Godwin VAS3718

Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

Affidavit of James Casey [S9158]

The affiant being duly sworn sayeth that he is now seventy-four year of age, that he enlisted under Capt. Henry Pitt, in the Virginia Continental line, fifteenth regiment in the early part of the war; that the regiment was commanded by Colonel David Mason [VAS506]; that he served three years in the 15<sup>th</sup> regiment and was honorably discharged and now draws a pension from the United States of eighty dollars per year; that he was well acquainted with Ensign Jere Godwin who belonged to the fifth Continental Regiment under the Command of Colonel Josiah Parker [VAS130] and he went on to the north and served three years, as the affiant himself went on to the north soon after the said Ensign Jere Godwin, and saw him at the north in service; That he the said Ensign Jere Godwin, served the whole time of three years; that the said Eng'n Jere Godwin was from the County of Nansemond the adjoining County in which the affiant then lived and now lives in. Given under my hand & seal this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1833.

James hisXmark Casey