## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Francis Lapense VAS3934 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From <u>bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia</u> indexed as Lapeure, Francis. The file also contains a power of attorney executed on 10 Sep 1834 in St. Clair County IL by Francis Lapense, John B. Parady (or Paradys), and Julie Parady, is wife, as heirs of Francis Lapense.]

State of Illinois }

Monroe County } [12 Sep 1834]

I, David Nowlin, Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County do certify that it is proven in open court, to the satisfaction of said Court that the within named Francis Lapense was a private in the revolutionary war, in the Illinois Regiment commanded by Col George Rogers Clarke [sic: George Rogers Clark VAS269], that he served between three & four years, when the regiment was discharged and that he never received a warrant for the Bounty Land promised him, either on the part of the united States or the State of Virginia; nor did he ever transfer his claim to it in any manner whatsoever. It is further provven that the said Francis Lapense died intestate, and that the within named parties to this instrument, are his only Heirs.

1835 July 14 Rejected

1838 March 2. Rejected again