Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to William Radford VAS4158

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[From rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.]

Henrico County towit

The affidavit of Joseph Radford of Henrico County taken before me a Magistrate for the said County who being duly sworn saith, That he was well acquainted with William Radford [undeciphered word] a Soldier of the Revolution and with his father's family. that his father and mother both died before he did. That said William never married, and left when he died two brothers Mecham[?] and John and one sister Elizabeth who intermarried with Abraham Sharp, and Sharp and his wife are dead and they have only one surviving child Price Sharp who is the sole heir at law of the said Mecham & Elizabeth Sharpe deceased. Given under my hand this 2nd day of November 1841.

Henrico County 13th June 1842

Sir We are induced to believe, that we, as the heirs of Wm. Radford deceased, are entitled to receive bounty land for the said Radfords service as a Soldier of the revolution. John H Smith having reported favorably of the claim. We ask that the Reg[iste]r of the L[and] Office may be directed to issue a Warrant in our favor for the quantity of acres due him.

Yrs &c/ Price Sharp & others
The Executive of Va.