Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to William Reynolds VAS4200 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From rejected claims in the Library of Virginia in two files.]

I Hugh Hudgens [Hugh Hudgins S10884] of the County of Mathews & State of Virginia do hereby certify and declare that I was well acquainted with William Reynolds formerly of that part of Gloucester County called Kingston Parish now constituting Mathews County. The said William Reynolds did enlist in the Virginia State line in the year seventeen hundred and seventy six or seventeen hundred and seventy seven, as a Soldier but do not recollect who he enlisted under, but I recollect well he marched from the County and did not return until the end of the war. And I always understood and believed he continued in said service until the end of the war. As witness my hand and seal this 18th day of March 1834.

Hugh Hudgins

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia State Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session, 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 2nd day of July 783, in the name of William Reynolds as a Soldier of Infantry for £55.18.3, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to — Gathright[?] and was given for services prior to the 1st January, 1782.

Given under my hand at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 20th day of March 1834. Jas E. Heath AUDITOR.

Hugh Hicogin

To The Hounorable Littleton Waller Tazwell [sic: Tazewell] Governer of Virginia
The memorial of Thomas Reynolds of the County of Mathews and State of virginia that said Tho.
Reynolds is the grandson of William Reynolds and only Heir at Law of Wm. Reynolds and Jno. Reynolds that said Tho. Reynolds clames to be entitled to bounty Land in right of said William and Jno. Reynolds that said William and John Reynolds was Residents of Kingston parish then a part of Gloucester now constituting Mathews County that during the revorlutionary war in the year 1776 or 77 they enlisted in the servis of their cundery in the virginia State Line and marched marched from this County and did not return untill the end of the war as your memorialist allways understood and believed.

Your memorialists verily believe that Wm Reynolds and John Reynolds never received the Land Bounty to which they was entitled and pray that his claim to the same may be refered into by your Honour. In testimoney of the foregoing facts they have hereunto subscribed his name this 18 day of July in the year 1835

Thomas hisXmark Reynolds

The deposition of William Diggs [William Digges S8327] who says he is 75 years of age William Diggs was well acquainted with John Reynolds [VAS4199] and William Reynolds formaly of that part of Gloucester County caled Kingston parish now constituting Mathews County that said John and William Reynolds enlisted in the year 1776 or 1777 in the virginia State Line. the said John and Wm Reynolds was soldiers in the revolutionary war and served to the end of it given under my hand and seal this 21st day of July in the year 1835

The deposition of Josiah Pew [Josiah Pugh (Pew) W5586] who says he is 73 years of age. Josiah Pew was well acquainted with John Reynolds and William Reynolds formaly of that part of Gloucester County caled Kingston Parish now constituting Mathews County that said John and William Reynolds enlisted in the year 1776 or 77 in the virginia state line the said John and William Reynolds was soldiers in the revolutionary war and served to the end of it. Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of July in the year 1835