Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to William Riggan (Riggon) VAS4231 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From <u>bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia</u> indexed as Riggan, William. The relevance of the first item is not explained.]

Mr McDonald's contract for supplying the Establishment at the Point of Fork with provisions [undeciphered word] on the 1st Instant. Shall the Superintend'ts be directed to renew the Contract with Mr McDonald, or endeavour to [undeciphered word] one for longer terms?

I Enclosed [undeciphered] the Superintendants Report respecting the ordnance he has examined. The Muster Rolls being of no [undeciphered]

As the Muster Rolls of the [undeciphered] line will not be of [several undeciphered words]

The Superintend's having [undeciphered] inspected the Ordnance and made Reports thereon [document ends here]

I do hereby Certify that Wm. Riggan enlisted under me in Feb'y 1777 to serve the term of three years, and that James Guthrie is the heir to the s'd Wm Riggan dec'd. Given under my hand 29 Sep 87.

Phil. Taliaferro Capt [Philip Taliaferro]

2^d V. S. Reg't [2nd Virginia State Regiment]

entitled to depret' [depreciation] from 1st Mar 77 to 1st Dec'r 1778 if not Setled Oct 9 87 T. Meriwether

I assign the pay Land &c due for Wm Riggin decd given to Wm Reynolds

Jes. Munday

Copy J Carter jn'r

Auditors of public Acc'tsGent. Please to deliver the pay Due Wm Riggan from the bounty &Land to Wm Reynolds & Oblige Yr. Ob Serv'tJas GuthrieTest Jas. GardnerCopy J. Carter [undeciphered]/ Aud. Off/ Octo. 15 81

[From rejected claims in the Library of Virginia indexed as Riggon, William.]

I Alexander C. Shackelford [Alexander Shackelford S7506] of King & Queen County State of Virginia, being now in my 74th year of age, do upon Oath testify and declare, that I was well acquainted with William Riggin of said County, and that he enlisted under Capt Phillip Taliaferro and that he served in the Revolutionary war three years in succession as a private, and that I believe he was honourably discharged As witness my hand and seal this 7th day of February 1833. Alexander hisXmark C. Shackelford

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