## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Robert Mabry VAS448 Transcribed by Will Graves

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## [From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

I hereby certify that Robert Mabry was a first Lieutenant in Captain James Mason's company of the 15<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment for 3 years – marched in the early part of the year 1777 to Dumfries where we had the smallpox from thence to Philadelphia where we joined a part of the grand Army – from thence to New Jersey where we joined General Washington – and that the said Robert Mabry faithfully served his three years out – Certified this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1831 S/ John Goodrum, Senr. <sup>1</sup>

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## Greensville County Court

George Mason, of Alabama, as the Executive to direct a warrant issued to him as sole devisee of the late Robert Mabry of Southampton County. He exhibits a copy of Major Mabry's Will – and the affidavit of Mr. John Goodrum Senr. of Greensville who was a private in Captain James Mason's Company of the 15<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Virginia Troops on Continental establishment, to prove that he served three years as a Lieutenant in that company. He also exhibits the Register's certificate to prove that no warrant ever issued from the Land Office, for the Bounty Land to which Lieutenant Mabry was entitled. He also exhibits the auditor's Certificate securing [paper damaged, text indecipherable] of the Revolutionary Army –

No one is interested in this application except the devisee himself – & I add my testimony to the highly respectable character of Mr. Goodrum.

S/ J. B. Mason March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1831

March 3. 1831.

Auditors Office 3 March 1831

Robert Mabry a Lieutenant in the Virginia Line on Continental establishment appears to have

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> FPA S8589

received on the  $31^{st}$  of July 1783 a Certificate for £84.0.2 – being for the balance of his full pay or depreciation, which certificate was received by himself in person. S/ Jas. E. Heath, Audr.