

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Dulany Smith VAS4537
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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

State of Virginia, Fauquier County to wit

Pursonally appeared John Barbee [W24626] before me a justice of the peace in and for the said county; who being first sworn according to law, deposeth and sayeth, that he was well acquainted with Dulanaï Smith from his childhood; that he enlisted under ensign James Withers [W4399], in the County of Fauquier marched to Williamsburg. Joined the grand army at that place, marched from thence to Hampton.

I never saw him again during the war. [illegible] the full term of enlistment [several lines mostly illegible]

Given from under my hand this first day of August 1834 Cam T Page

The deposition of Spencer Withers [S6400] aged seventy two years; Testifies that he was well acquainted with Dulany Smith, that Lieutenant James Withers enlisted the said Dulany for the Term of three years to serve in the Virginia line in the Revolutionary war, and that the said Dulany Smith marched after his enlistment to Hampton where he remained near twelve months, after which went to Alexandria where the army was Vaccinated for the Small pox and from thence to the north, and that affiant verily believes that the said Dulany Smith did serve to the end of his enlistment aforesaid in the war aforesaid and that he was the same Dulany Smith who was the father of Benjamin Smith, Mary Ciple who intermarried with Isaac Ciple, Dulany Smith, Thomas Smith, and Russel Smith, that he was well acquainted with the said Dulany Smith before the Revolution and to the time of his death.

[Rappahannock County, 27 June 1838]



At a Court held for the County of Warren on Thursday the 28th day of June 1838.

It is ordered to be Certified that it appears to the Court by satisfactory evidence adduced in open Court that Dulany Smith who was a Soldier of the Virginia line in the Revolutionary War died since the year 1787 that the said Dulany Smith died in the County of Fauquier in the State of Virginia in the year 1811 leaving Jane Smith his widow, James Smith, John Smith, Benjamin Smith, Dulany Smith, Thomas Smith and Russell Smith his sons and Mary Ciple his daughter who intermarried with Isaac Ciple who were all and the only heirs at law of the said Dulany Smith at the time of his death. That the said Jane Smith hath since died without further issue than by him the said Dulany Smith as aforesaid. That the said James Smith and John Smith have since died without issue and that the aforementioned, Benjamin Smith, Dulany Smith, Thomas Smith, Russell Smith and Mary Ciple are now all and the only heirs at law of the said Dulany Smith who was a Soldier as aforesaid. It is further ordered to be Certified that the said Dulany Smith died intestate in the County of Fauquier in the state of Virginia and that the said James Smith who was an adult died in the State of Missouri intestate as is believed and that the said John Smith who was an adult died intestate in the County of Fauquier aforesaid A Copy/ Teste/ Robt Turner CWC

Virginia – Fauquier County Sct.

This day Benjamin D Smith Mary Siple Dulany Smith, Thomas T Smith Rusel Smith personally appeared before me Th. M. Ambler a Justice of the peace in and for the county aforesaid, and made oath, that they are the heirs of Dulany Smith, whose land bounty they are claiming, and that they are the identical persons whom the county court of Warren County Virginia, hath certified to be the Heirs of Dulany Smith, who was a soldier of the Virginia Line in the Revolutionary War. Given under my hand and seal this 2^d day of December 1840

Th. M. Ambler

Rejected T. W. G. [Gov. Thomas Walker Gilmer] Jany 12 1841