Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Robert Ward VAS4864

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[From bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

May 21st 1776 Kemps Land-g [Kemps Landing]

Mr. Robt. Ward has serv'd in the Comp'y of Minnett [Minuteman] Battalion till Discharge & since has serv'd with the Regular Trops at this place During which time from Nov'r last untill now I have bin Eye witness to his Conduct I can with great justness say he is Truly Deserving. he has done his Duty like a Soilder & [several illegible words] as a Vollenteer.

Frank Eppes [Francis Eppes VAS1942]

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I also wish to Recommend Mr. Ward Chs. Scott [Charles Scott BLWt2055-850]

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This is to [illegible] that Mr. [illegible] Ward has [illegible] the Virginia forces as a soldier since the first of January, and that he has conducted himself as an [illegible] and willing soldier, hazarded his life on several occasions attempting with uncommon [illegible], and born every [undeciphered] the enemy, and sending them to their shipping.

Kemp's [illegible] 16 1776. R'd James [Richard James] Frank Eppes

William Davies Lew's Jones [Lewis Jones] Josiah Carrington Samuel Hanaway

Jno Fleming [John Fleming] [undeciphered signature] Robert Ballard

Jno Hickham [John Hickham] John Ruffin Thomas Ridley Thos Edmunds [Thomas Edmunds]

Thos. R. Walker [Thomas R. Walker] Thomas [undeciphered] Chs. Scott