Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Nathan Wren VAS5102 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

I certify that I belonged to the 15th Va. Regiment on Continental Establishment in the Revolutionary War commanded by Colo. David Mason [VAS506] & Nathan Wren was ensign in a company of said Regiment commanded, to the best of my recollection by Capt Thomas Edmonds [BLWt997-300] & while said Regiment was on its march to the north said Nathan Wren died in service in the City of Baltimore. John Goodrum [S8589]

I am Goodness

Greensville County to wit.

This day John Goodrum, aged 76, appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in & for the county afores'd. and made oath to the truth of the above statement. Given under my hand & seal this 15th day of May 1832. John J. Hinton JP

The Petition of the heirs of Nathan Wren respectfully state that he was Ensign in the 15th Va. Continental Regiment and died in service; and no land Bounty has ever been rec'd. for his services.

The Enclosed affidavit of John Goodrum a highly respectable and intelligent gentleman of Greensville County states positively that said Nathan Wren died in Baltimore on his march to the North with the Regiment and was in service at the time.

The death of an officer under such circumstances could not well be misunderstood and a witness professing to recollect the event well, is not likely to be mistaken.

Your petitioners ask that they may be allowed the Bounty due an Ensign who died in service. T Green atto. for the paties[?]