## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Bounty Land Claim for Thomas Warman BLWt1789-300

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[In the following, the name of Francis Warman has been inserted and "my" changed to "our," "He" to "We," and so on, indicated here in italics.]

State of Kentucky } We John Maddox Dyson, Eldest son of Elizabeth Dyson, alias Warman, County of Union Sct } and Francis Warman Dyson an heir at Law of the late Captain Thomas

Warman do, upon oath, testify and declare, to the best of our knowledge,

and belief that the said Thomas Warman did Engage as an Ensign, or Lieutenant in 1775 for the "term of during the war", and served in the Regiment No (not known) under the Command of (say) Colonel Henry Lee (not certain) of the Virginia Line [see endnote]; and that he continued in the Service aforesaid until the year (say 1782) or when the war was closed. We further declare that we have never received a warrant for the Bounty Land promised to said Captain Thomas Warman on the part of the United States; nor do We believe that he ever received it, or transferred his claim to it in any manner whatsoever; Therefore, know all men by these presents, that we John Maddox Dyson & Francis Dyson aforesaid do hereby constitute and appoint John Boyle of Henderson County, in the State of Kentucky aforesaid to be our true, and lawful Attorney for us, and in our names to demand, and receive from the Secretary of War of the Untied States a warrant for the quantity of land due to us, and aforesaid & also all arrears of pay due to him; and our said Attorney is hereby fully authorized, and empowered to constitute, and appoint one or more substitutes, or Attorneys under him for the special purposes above expressed.

Tabular acct of descent {Th's. Warman – only 2 sisters no brother}

Elisabeth Dyson, alias Warman 2<sup>d</sup> sister Nancy Vincent alias Warman 1<sup>st</sup> Sister

6 Children 4 Children

1 John Maddox Dyson 1 Thomas Vincent, young, single

2 Th's Warman Dyson 2 Harriet Wallace alias Vincent or cin

3 Francis Warman D'o 3 Nancy Bell alias Vincent or cin

4 Jane Clealand D'o single 4 Betsey Belt alias V't. or cin

5 Anne Clealand Belmaire, alias Dyson

6 William Dyson

[From bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia indexed as Wawman, Thomas.]

## Fauguier County

I do certify that Capt Thomas Wawman of the Va. Cont. line served to the end of the war. I know it positively and any evidence to the contrary is delusive. I was intimately acquainted with him. Witness my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1822.

Jo. Blackwell Late Capt [Joseph Blackwell S37781] 6<sup>th</sup> Va cont'l Reg't

I concur in the above certificate 22 oct. 22 Francis Brooke

Captain Thomas Wawman's Heirs claim to additional Bounty.

He has rec'd 4000 acres upon the certificate of Gen'l. Mughlenburg [sic: Peter Muhlenberg BLWt1495-850]

that he entered the service 17 July 1776 & became a supernumerary in Jan'y 1783.

It now appears he continued in service till the end of the war, which from 17 July 76 was 7 years 3½

months. Capt Wawman is dead – the [illegible] 15 months additional service.

This claim appears to be well supported if any of the Council know Col Blackwells hand writing.

Jno. Campbell

NOTE: The following summary is from published sources of Warman's service: 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. in Col. Moses Rawlings's [VAS683] Continental Regiment Feb 1777 Captain Lieut. 23 Sep 1777 Captured at Germantown 4 Oct 1777; exchanged 8 Dec 1780 In 3<sup>rd</sup> Virginia Continental Regiment in Jan 1781 In Col. Thomas Gaskins's [BLWt867-450] Virginia Regiment on Oct 1781 Served to end of war, Nov 1783 Awarded land bounty of 4777 acres.