

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements

Pension application of Cadwallader Jones BLWt2308

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State of South Carolina, Richland District

We, F. G. Pride & Lucy P. Green heirs at law of Captain Cadwallader Jones do, upon oath, testify and declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the said Cadwallader Jones did entered the service in 17__, for the term of __ and served as a Captain in the Regiment No. three of dragoons under the command of Colonel Baylor, of the Virginia line; and that he continued in the service aforesaid until the close of the war.

We further declare that we have never received a warrant for the bounty land promised to the said Cadwallader Jones on the part of the United States; nor do I believe that he ever received it, or transferred his claim to it in any manner whatsoever: therefore

S/ Fredk L. G. Pride [Frederick L. G. Pride]

S/ Lucy P. Green

No all men by these presents,, We F. L. J. Pride & Lucy Green aforesaid, do hereby constitute and appoint our brother Cadwallader Jones to be our true and lawful attorney, for And in our name to demand and receive from the Secretary of War of the United States, a warrant warrants for the quantity of land due to us as aforesaid; 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.

S/ Fredk L. G. Pride

S/ Lucy P. Green

Attest: S/ Jos A. Black

Haw River, NC 30th of August 1839

Sir

At the request of Colonel Cadwalader Jones of Hillsboro I enclose his memorandum to you for the purpose of ascertaining if there is not bounty land due the heirs of his Deceased father Colonel Cadwalader Jones of the Virginia Line.

The Colonel informs me that some years ago, his father's heirs obtained lands in the State of Ohio, but he is under the impression it was a gratuity from the State of Virginia, and not from the United States, and that that bounty was as Captain in Baylor's Regiment. Subsequently his father was appointed aide-de-camp to Marquis De La Fayette and was his aid in 1781 at the taking of Little York.

Has Cadwalader Jones of the Virginia Line received any grant of lands from the Federal Government for his Services as Captain in Baylor's Regiment?

Any for his Services as aide-de-camp to General Lafayette?

If he has not, is any due his heirs?

Be so good as to cause examination to be made & write me the result of the examination

I remain Sir,

Very respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
S/ James A. Craig

Wm Gordon, Esqr.
Bounty Land office
Washington City

[facts in file: Frederick L. G. Pride lived in Chester District, SC in 1839; Lucy P. Green lived in Columbia, SC in 1839 and Calwallader Jones (JR) lived in Orange County, NC in 1839.]