Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Frederick Warneck W20540
Transcribed by Will Graves

Elizabeth Lugg

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State of Virginia Princess Anne County: to wit

On this 26 day of July 1837 personally appeared before me Jno Ingram a Justice of the peace for the County and State aforesaid Elizabeth Lugg a resident of the State of Virginia and County aforesaid aged 81 years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed July the 4th, 1836 and the Act explanatory of said Act passed March 3rd 1837, that she was married to Colonel Frederick Warneck on the __ day of August 1778 who was a Lieutenant Colonel in the Virginia Continental line in the War of the Revolution, he entered the service and or about the year 1777 or 78 and continued in Service in the engineers Department until the final end of the War that he was at the Siege of Yorktown at the time of the surrender and that after the final close of the War on the 14th of June 1783 he settled in closed his accounts with the State of Virginia and received his depreciated Certificate pay and also a warrant for 6000 acres of Bounty land, after he had thus closed his Revolutionary War transaction that he was taken sick and died from home and cannot say of what disease he died, and I never received any of his papers or records of his transactions, neither could I learned where we in or at what house he died in and she further declares that she was married to the said Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Warneck in the year 1778, that her husband the aforesaid Colonel Frederick Warneck died on the day of 1783, that she was afterwards married to the Reverend Peter Lugg who died on the 2nd day of October 1834 and that she was a widow on the 4th of July 1836 and still remains a Widow as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereunto annexed, subscribed and sworn to on the day and year first above written.

S/ Elizabeth Lugg, X her mark

[fn p. 7: Mary Jones gave testimony on July 26, 1837 that she was personally present at the marriage of Colonel Frederick Warneck to Elizabeth Normon [sic] in the year 1778; she also identifies the widow as the identical person who she solved married to Colonel Frederick Warneck.]

[fn p. 10: marriage bond issued to Frederick Warnick [sic] and Thomas Reynolds Walker on the 13th day of August 1778 in Princess Anne County Virginia to secure the marriage of Warnick to Elizabeth Norman. The signature states the name as Frederick Warneck.]

[Veteran's former widow was pensioned at the rate of \$600 per annum commencing March 4th, 1831, for her husband service as an officer in the Virginia Continental line.]

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Addendum to Frederick Warneck W20540

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

In the House of Delegates

Wednesday the 4th June 1783

Resolved that the Petition of Frederick Warneck is reasonable and that he ought to be allowed the same Bounty of Lands as is given by Law to a Lieutenant Colonel.

1783 June 7th

Teste/ John Beckley CHD

Agreed to by the Senate

Will Drew CS

A Copy/ Teste/ John Beckley CHD