Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Bounty-Land Application of Larkin Beasley VAS1073 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

[From bounty-warrant records in the Library of Virginia]

Corporation of Fredericksburg SS.

Came LeRoy Beazley before me one of the Justices of the Peace for the said Corporation and made Oath that Larkin Beazley his Brother enlisted as a Soldier in the Continental line for three years or during the war, that his Brother the said Larkin Beazley was killed in the time of his service or died, that he the said LeRoy Beazley is the Legal Heir of the said Larkin Beazley and of right is entitled to the Land granted the Soldiers under Continental establishment, that his brother went from the County of Essex in the State of Virginia, Certified under my hand this twenty-third day of April 1786.

G. Weedon

Larkin Beasley of the 7th Regiment was killed by accident the 1st of August 1778 but when he enlisted I do not know but I recollect that he was a substitute & joined the Army early in the spring of 1778 & was in Colo. Jno. Webb's [John Webb's] Company

18 Octo. 1784

entitled to depreciation [pay] from 1st Ap'l to 1st Aug't 78

F. Young

18 Nov [year illegible]

T. Meriwether Comm's.

Essex Sep. 27 1784

Larkin Beasley entered as well as I can recollect about the 7th of february 1778 as a Regular Soldier. Thos. Upshaw Capt./ S.G.R. [Thomas Upshaw; State Garrison Regiment]

Essex Sep'r Court 1784

It appearing to the Court by the oath of Witness that Larkin Beazley a Cont. Soldier enlisted for three years was killed at White Plains in the month of July 1778 & that LeRoy Beasley is heir at Law to the s'd. Larkin Beazley which is ordered to be certified

Test [illegible name] Clk