

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Frederick Heimberger VAS1477 [vsl 2](#)
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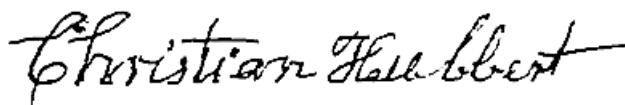
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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

State of Pennsylvania County of Philadelphia

On this 18th day of April A.D. 1838 personally appeared before me an Alderman and Justice of the peace in and for said County and state aforesaid, Christian Hubbert a Resident of the Northern Liberties, County aforesaid aged Eighty years who being duly sworn according to law doth depose and say that he was personally acquainted with Frederick Heimberger who was a Surgeon during the War of the Revolution, and served in the Virginia State Line, the number of the Regiment to which he the said Surgeon Frederick Heimberger was attached the Deponent is at this time unable to state, and further states that he the said Surgeon Frederick Heimberger died in Philadelphia in the year 1806.

S/ Christian Hubbert



[From [rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

State of Pennsylvania City of Philadelphia

On this [too faint to discern] day of January A.D. 1839 personally appeared before me an Alderman and Justice of the peace in and for the said City and State aforesaid Jacob Stremback resident of the above named City aged Eighty-four years, who being duly sworn according to law doth depose and say that he was personally acquainted with Frederick Heimberger who was a Surgeon in the Eighth Virginia Regiment during the Revolutionary War and served until about the close of the War. After Peace was declared he commenced the drug business on 2nd near Vine Streets and lived there until his death.

[Signature too faint to discern]

[Catharine Reed also gave an affidavit but her affidavit as posted online is totally illegibly faint]

Note: Beginning at page 17 of a 24-page file indexed under the name Howell Hedgbeth, the

following documents relate to this veteran:

[p 17]

The Memorial of the Heirs of Frederick Heimberger to the Honorable the Executive of the State of Virginia Respectfully Sheweth . That Frederick Heimberger was appointed Surgeon of the 8 Regiment of the Virginia Line in the year 1777 and continued in the service until the termination of the War and they have understood the said Frederick Heimberger and others to say that he had never received the Bounty Land which he was entitled to for his services during the Revolutionary War. They further state that the said Frederick Heimberger has but 58 years, one daughter Maria Wilstach wife of Ganet B. Wilstach and for Grandchildren Elizabeth Gilbert wife of John R Gilbert, Elizabeth D Heimberger, Ann Maria Heimberger and Washington Heimberger all of Philadelphia Pennsylvania. Your memorialist therefore respectfully request the Executive of the State of Virginia to direct the Register of the land office to issue a warrant for the quantity of land to which they are entitled and delivered the same to their attorney in fact Joshua J Moore. For evidence of Surgeon Heimberger's services and the particulars thereof and the quantity of Land granted your Memorialists beg leave to refer to the Records of the General Government and the papers filed in the Public Office at Richmond.

J. B. Wilstach
Ann Maria Heimberger
Elizabeth D Heimberger
Washington Heimberger
Elizabeth Gilbert
John Wilstach

Maria Wilstach

[Attested 7th day of October 1837 in Philadelphia Pennsylvania]

[Note: this file contains a split-image of the affidavit of Jacob Strembeck¹ transcribed above. His signature looks up clearly as

Jacob Strembeck]

¹ FPA S4896