

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

The petition relating to Charles Gregory VAS1938 Hannah Gregory 2  
Transcribed by Will Graves 4/30/15

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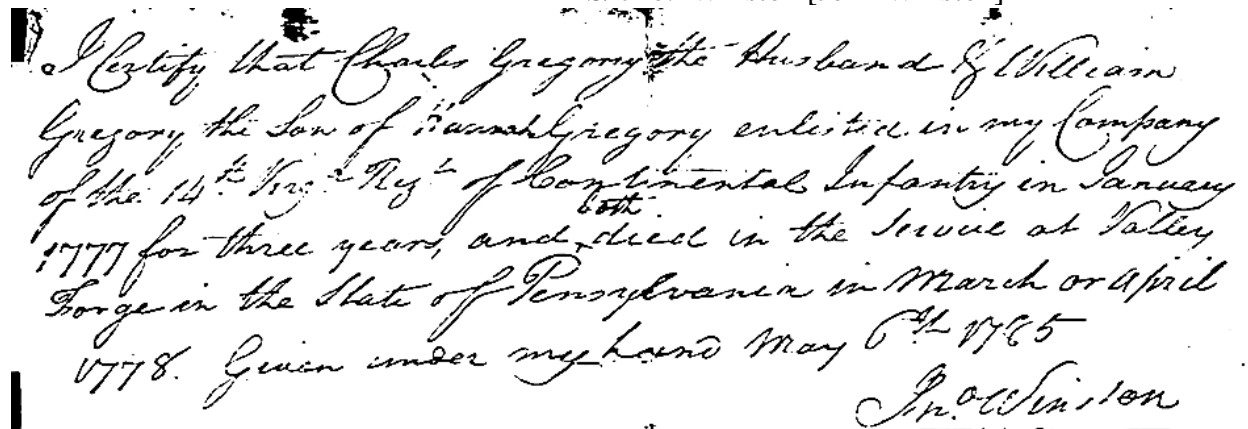
[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)] 2-page file  
[illegible certificates dated in 1783]

[From [pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)] 138-page file

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I Certify that Charles Gregory the Husband & William Gregory the Of Hannah Gregory Enlisted in My Company of the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment of Continental Infantry in January 1777 for 3 Years and Both Died in the Service at Valley Forge in the State of Pennsylvania in March or April 1778. Given under My Hand May 6<sup>th</sup> 1785

S/ Jno. Winston [John Winston]



*I Certify that Charles Gregory the Husband & William Gregory the Son of Hannah Gregory enlisted in my Company of the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment of Continental Infantry in January 1777 for three years, and died in the Service at Valley Forge in the State of Pennsylvania in March or April 1778. Given under my hand May 6<sup>th</sup> 1785*  
*J. Winston*

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I certify that Charles Gregory above named died in the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment having enlisted in Capt. Winston's Company in that Regiment as a Sgt. for 3 years.

S/ John Overton, formerly  
a Capt. 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment

I hereby that Ch. Gregory announced  
died in the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment. having in  
- listed in Capt. Winston's Company in  
that Regiment as a Sergeant for 3 years  
John Winston is formerly  
Capt. 14<sup>th</sup> Virg. Regt.

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I do with the advice of the Council hereby certify that Hannah Gregory the widow of Charles Gregory, who was a Sgt. in the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment and died in the Service of the continent, is entitled to the sum of 18 pounds yearly, which allowance is to commence from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1786

Given under my hand at Richmond this 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1786

S/ P. Henry [Patrick Henry]



[Note: Most of the documents in this file relate to the annual authorization, disbursement and receipt of the pension due the widow through June 9, 1823.]

[From [Digital Library of Virginia](#)] Louisa County Legislative Petitions

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Virginia

The undersigned Hannah Gregory of the County of Louisa beg leave to state to your Honorable body that her husband Charles Gregory was killed in the revolutionary war between the United States and Great Britain and that a pension has been granted her of \$80 per annum – her children have all left her, she is now seventy-six years of age and so infirm that she cannot put on or pull off her clothes without some assistance. She is therefore compelled to hire a Servant to wait on her and to rent a House to live in – having no other means of support than the pension aforesaid which she finds insufficient in her present infirm State. She prays that your Honorable body will take her case into consideration and increase her pension so as to afford her a Comfortable living.

[Reverse]

The petition of Hannah Gregory

December 26<sup>th</sup> 1815

Referred to Claims

Rejected

December 29<sup>th</sup> Reported

[indecipherable] 1816