Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Fowke VAS2055

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[From Library of Virginia Legislative Petitions Digital Collection/ Loudoun County]

To the hon'ble the Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Delegates. The Petition of Robert Dinwiddie Fowke humbly sheweth, that he is Heir at Law to a Mr. John Fowke who was Adjutant to the tenth Virginia Regiment, and died, at Middle Brook [Middlebrook NJ], in the year 1777. Your Petitioner therefore prays he may be allow'd a Bounty in Lands, as to others in similar Circumstances. And y'r. Petitioner &c.

Dec'r 10th 1785 Ref'd To Props [Committee on Propositions]

[The following are from bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

S'r Please to certify my Brother John Fowke was a staff officer in the 10th Virg'a. R and give the same to Col'n. Wm Phillips [William Philips] and you'll much oblige your Hm'le ser't To Col'n L. Willis [Lewis Willis] Robert Dinwidie Fowke/ April 11th 1785

I do hereby certify that Mr John Fowke was ajutant of the 10th Virginia Rejiment of which I was a Lieutenant Colo

I do hereby certify that in ye years 1777 & 1778 I was Colo. of and commanded the 10th Virginia Regmt. and that Mr. John Fowke was an Officer in ye s'd. Regm't. and Acted as ajutant to the same, & died in ye service.

Edward Stevens/ October 10th 1806

Edward Strong