Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Arnold VAS2290 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.]

Virginia Lewis County, towit,

On the 7th day of May 1833 before the Justices of Lewis County Court, on the motion of the heirs of John Arnold who in open Court introduced satisfactory evidence to prove by credible witnesses that John Arnold was a Soldier in the Virginia line on the Continental establishment in the Revolutionary War, that he enlisted in the year 1778 in Culpepper [sic: Culpeper] County Virginia under Captain Blackwell to serve during the War, that he Continued in said line until the month of June 1783 as a private Soldier – that he died in Harrison County in the year 1814 intestate having the following children, Viz, Benjamin, James J, Isaac, Ketura wife of Adrian A Thompson, Elizabeth Welch wife of John Welch, and Mary wife of Joseph Knotts, all of which is ordered to be certified to the Executive Council of Virginia to the Register of the land Office in Virginia, to the land bounty Office of the United States at Washington City, and also to the Secretary of the United States, as well as to the first Auditors Office of Virginia.

A Copy Teste J. Talbott C.L.C.

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