Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Baldwin VAS2355

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

I do hereby certify that when I enlisted my Company in Berkeley County in the State of Virginia which I think was in the year One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Six I enlisted Banjamin Baldwin [R19355] who continued in Service under me for some months and was a Sergeant. Also that the said Benjamin was out in McIntosh's Campaign [Lachlan McIntosh's Campaign 1778] and served during the same that the said Benjamin Baldwin after McIntosh's Campaign, I enlisted for three years or during the War and served as a Sergeant under Captain John Carney [sic: John Kearney R15613] in the Virginia line on Continetilal Establishment in a Regiment Commanded by Colonel Crockett [Joseph Crockett S46377] till the end of the Revolutionary War. Given under my hand this 14th day of October 1811

John Baldwin Late Capt. in the Eighth Virginia Regiment on Continetial Establishment.

Unich Stringer

I Certify that John Baldwin was a Captain in the Virginia line of Continental establishment, and I am informed & have reason to believe he served in the eighth Regiment in s'd line I do not know the term of time he served but I am satisfy'd that he served three years or upwards.

Uriah Springer [R10017] late Capt. in the Virg'a line on Contin'l establishment

At a Court held for Monongalia County on monday the 13th day of January 1812 John Baldwin came into Court and made oath that the within Certificate was sworn to by the within named Captain Uriah Springer, that it does contain the truth and that he has never before claimed his right to land for the services therein mentioned which is ordered to be certified.

Teste M.[?] Evans C.M.C

At a Court held for Monongalia County on Tuesday the 9th day of June 1812. This day Captain John Baldwin came into Court and made oath that [two undeciphered words] the Certificate he heretofore gave Benjamin Baldwin as to his services in the late Revolutionary war between England and the United States. [several undeciphered words] in the state line it is [several undeciphered words] his enlistment was for three years or during the war that that he is [undeciphered word] certain that he served to the end of the war: Richard [undeciphered] also came into Court and made oath that to his knowledge the said Benjamin Baldwin served in the Virginia line on Continental establishment which is ordered to be Certified.

A Copy Teste K. Evans C.M.C