Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to George Nowell VAS435 and John Nowell

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia] indexed under the name George Nowell

I do hereby certify that I have been informed and believe that George Nowell, enlisted under Captain Spotswood Dandridge that he enlisted to serve during the War and that I have also been informed and believe that he obtained a Commission of cornet. Given under my hand this 2^{nd} February 1810

S/ Reuben Nowell

Amherst County Sct.

This day Josiah Wingfield personally appeared and made Oath before me that George Nowell enlisted in the Cavalry service, in the Virginia Troop commanded by Captain Spotswood Dandridge, that he served as Sergeant under the Continental establishment and was promoted to [paper damaged and text illegible] and served to the Conclusion of the [paper damaged, text illegible] in South Carolina without issue, his father mother brother and sister being all dead except his brother Henry Nowell he is the only heir, and entitled to his pay for his revolutionary services. Given under my hand this 15th day of January 1810

S/ James Dillard

Amherst County Sct. This day Archilus Mitchell¹ personally appeared and made oath before me a Justice of the Peace for said County That John Nowell enlisted in the Virginia service upon Continental establishment under Captain Clough Shelton, and that he served as Sergeant to the end of the War, that Henry Nowell his brother is the only surviving Brother or sister and his father & mother being dead, he is entitled to his pay and bounty land for his revolutionary services. Given under my hand the 15th day of January 1810

S/ James Dillard

I do hereby certify from information from a variety of quarters, that I have good reason to believe that John Nowell who enlisted under Captain Clough Shelton enlisted to serve during the War. Given under my hand this 2nd day of February 1810

S/ Reuben Nowell

¹ FPA S38226