Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Robinson Mahorn VAS472 vsl Transcribed by Will Graves 2/2

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

Robert Russell Senior¹ a Revolutionary Pensioner & a man of truth & veracity came before me & made oath in due form of law that he was well acquainted with Robinson Mahorn of this County – that said Mahorn enlisted for three years in the 9th Virginia Regiment & was captured & in prison and with the witness and was in service & imprisonment nearly or quite four years.

Given under my hand & seal as a Justice of the Peace in & for Accomack County the 21^{st} day of January 1834

S/Wm R. Custis, JP

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 6th day of November 1784, in the name of Robeson Mahorn , as a soldier of Infantry for £27.8.0, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to Colonel Cropper and was given for services prior to the 1st January 1782.

Given under my hand, at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 7 day of February 1834.

S/ Jas E. Heath, AUDITOR

I certify that Levin Hyslop² a Revolutionary pensioner & a man of truth & veracity came before me & made oath that Robinson Mahorn of this County enlisted for 3 years in the 9th Virginia Regiment & was captured at Germantown & was in service & imprisonment nearly or quite 4 years.

Given under my hand & seal as a Justice of the Peace in & for said County, Accomack, this 21st day of January 1834

S/Wm R. Custis, JP

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¹ Robert Russell W5753

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