## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Camron (Cameron) VAS63

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[From pension records in the Library of Virginia. A copy of the first document is also in bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia indexed as Cammeron, John]

I certify that John Cammeron enlisted as a Soldier in my Company of the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment of Continental Infantry the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1777 for the term of three years and died in the Service 7 Day of March 1779

Given under my hand in Hanover July 24 1784 Jno Winston Capt.

(A Copy) [John Winston, pension application S37693]

Hanover Sc

This is to Certify that William Camron is the Heir at Law to John Camron who listed under Capt John Winston of the above s'd County and died in the service, given under my hand this 6 Day of November 1784 George Clough/ Jno Winston (A Copy)

I do certify that the Bearer hereof Catharine Camron is the Widow of the said John within named, that she has several children and is very poor, but is industrious and of a good character

William Dutal[?]/ Novem'r 14<sup>th</sup> 1787.

At a Court held for Hanover County on Thursday the 1st day of May 1788.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this County out of the publick money in his hands do pay unto Catharine Camron Ten pounds, that being the sum annually allowed her as a pensioner, as appears by a Certificate from under the hand of his Excellency Edmund Randolph Esq'r. Governor of this Commonwealth, in these words "I do with the advice of the Council hereby certify that Catharine Camron widow of John Camron who was a private in the 14<sup>th</sup> Virg'a. Regim't. and died in the service of The United States is entitled to the sum of Ten pounds yearly; which allowance is to commence from the first day of January 17 hundred & eighty six. Given under my hand as Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, at Richmond, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1787

Edm. Randolph

T. Meriwether" The said Catharine having taken the Oath required by law to be taken by pensioners, which is ordered to be certified. (A Copy)

[The file includes several documents similar to the above, the last dated 1816.]

At a Court held for Hanover County on Thursday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1791.

The Court proceeded to inquire into the situation of the widows of soldiers who died in the late war, who have been put on the list of pensioners; and it appears to them, that Catharine Camron widow of John Camron, Hannah Gregory widow of Charles Gregory, and Mary Hogan widow of David Hogan resident of this County, are each in a situation to require a pension as much as when their pensions were originally granted which is ordered to be certified A Copy