Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Jacob Huts (Hutts) BLWt1347-100 Transcribed by Will Graves f6VA 5/28/14

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Received the 14th day of September 1828 from the Department of War Warrant No. 1347 for the bounty land of Jacob Hutts of the Virginia line in the revolutionary War S/ Anthony Evans, Jr.

State of Virginia County of Bedford

I Leonard Huts heir at law of Jacob Huts deceased do upon oath testify and declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, that Jacob Huts did enlist in the year 1784 during the war, and served in Regiment Number 7 under the command of Colonel Haws [Samuel Hawes] of the Virginia line and that he continued in service aforesaid until the close of the war.

I further declare that I have never received a warrant for the bounty of land promised to Jacob Huts on the part of the United States; nor do I believe that he ever received it or transferred his claim to it in any manner whatsoever.

Therefore

Know all men by these presents that I Leonard Huts aforesaid do hereby constitute & appoint Anthony Evans Junior of Bedford County Virginia to be my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name to demand and receive from the Secretary of War of the United States a warrant for the quantity of land due me as aforesaid, and my said Attorney is hereby fully authorized and empowered to constitute and appoint one or more substitutes or attorneys under him for the special purposes above expressed

S/ John Harris S/ Leonard Hutts, X his mark [Attested in Bedford County Virginia August 30, 1828.]

[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

Manchester July 23rd, 1783

I do Certify that Jacob Hutts enlisted into the Sixth Virginia Regiment the first day of January 1777 & served as a Soldier therein during the War.

S/ Charles Pelham, Major in the Virginia Line

Copy J Pendleton, Junior