Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Phillip Jones BLWt2123-200
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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover

I Courtland Freeland, heir at law of Phillip Jones do, upon oath, testify and declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that Phillip Jones did entered the service in 1777, for the term of the war and served as a Lieutenant in the Artillery under the command of Captain John Kingsbury of the North Carolina line; and that he continued in the service aforesaid until the end of the war.

I further declare that I have never received a warrant for the bounty land promised to Philip Jones 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,

S/C. Freeland

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State of North Carolina

At a court held for New Hanover County, 1835 satisfactory evidence was adduced in court, to prove that Courtland Freeland, Sarah J. Potts, Caroline Dunbibin—Eliza Dunbibin and Emma Dunbibin are the heirs at law in fee to Phillip Jones late a Captain Lieutenant in the Artillery company

I., Thomas F. Davis -- clerk of the County Court, do certify, that the above evidence is taken from the records in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto affixed my official seal, this 15 day of September 1835

S/ Thos. F. Davis, Clk

State of North Carolina, Secretary of State's Office

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State aforesaid do certify, that it appears from the musterrolls of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary war; that Philip Jones Captain Lieutenant in an Artillery Company commanded by Captain John Kingsberry was commissioned on the 19th July 1777; the musterrolls does not show how long he served, but a warrant for bounty land issued on the certificate of an Officer shows that he served during the war, a warrant having issued for the quantity allowed a Lieutenant for the War.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of September 1835

S/Wm Hill