## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of Jesse Bryant S39241

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Virginia, At a Superior Court of Law holden in and for the county of Prince Edward, at the court house on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1818.

Jesse Bryant late of the county of Prince Edward, and now a resident of Cock [sic: Cocke] County near Newport in the State of Tennessee this day appeared in open court and made the following declaration upon oath, That he enlisted in the Revolutionary War as a soldier about the year 1777 under Capt James Foster for three years, that he served during that period, and then enlisted for and during the war; He was in the Battles at Brandywine [11 Sep 1777], Germantown [4 Oct 1777] and Monmouth [28 Jun 1778] and taken prisoner at Charles Town [Charleston SC, 12 May 1780], that he is in reduced circumstances and needs the assistance of his Country for support. And John Crute [pension application S24980] late a Lieutenant in the army being sworn said that Jesse Bryant joined Capt. James Fosters Company in the 15<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment on Continental establishment in 1777, for three years, which time he served and afterwards enlisted for and during the war, was in the Battles of Brandy-wine, Germantown & Monmouth and various other Battles, and was taken prisoner at Charlestown. And Osborn Lockett being sworn said, he had known Jesse Bryant many years and lived near him untill twelve or eighteen months past, that he considered him poor & in need of the assistance of his Country for support.

NOTE: This file includes an application for bounty land dated 16 April 1855 by John H. Briant, who was apparently the son of Thomas Bryant, pension application S16657. In places The name Thomas Bryant has been changed to Jesse Bryant.