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Virginia documents pertaining to Benjamin Smithey VAS1269
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[The following are from [pension records in the Library of Virginia](#).]

[The top and bottom parts are missing from the online image.]

...true and lawfull attorney to receive in my behalf of the Treasury of Virginia my pension which was allowed me by an act of the Virginia assembly passed the 20th day of January 1804 "Entitled "an act allowing a Pension to Benjamin Smithey" In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Eighth day of December 1804
Prince William County Sct. Benjamin hisXmark Smithey

This day Benjamin Smithey came before us and acknowledged the above power of attorney to be his act and deed and we do further certify that the said Benjamin Smithey made oath before us that he is the same person to whom the pension was allowed on the 20th day Janu'a 1804 by the General assembly of Virginia of sixty dollars pr Annum and further that he hath duly appointed Mr Isaac Foster to receive the same for his use as he is unable to attend in Richmond for that purpose himself given under our hands as Justices of the peace for the...

[The file contains another power of attorney executed 26 Nov 1805.]

[The [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#) contains the following that presumably pertains to the same Benjamin Smithey.]

This is to Certify that Benjamin Smithy served as a Soldier in the 2^d V. Regt. for Three years
Consequently he is Entitled to his Quota of Land. Given under my hand at Fred'g [Fredericksburg]
July 18th 1783 John W Willis Maj. 3^d V Regt