

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to David Jones VAS1273

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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

Virginia Charlotte County Court 8th November 1814

On the motion of Thomas Jones it is ordered that the following Testimony the entered of Record – "Cadwallader Jones came into court and made oath that David Jones an only Brother of Thomas Jones was enlisted in the regular Service for three years by Captain John Brent of Charlotte County and died in the Service in the year 1777 or 1778 – Samuel White also made oath that David Jones Brother of Thomas Jones did serve his apprenticeship with [text too faint to discern] after a few years he enlisted as a Soldier under Captain John Brent for the Term of three years in the regular service – Lewelling Jones another witness also made oath that he well recollects that David Jones who died in the service of the United States in 1777 or 1778 was enlisted in the United States Service for three years from the County of Charlotte by Captain John Brent and it is further ordered that the Court Certify that the said Cadwallader Jones, Samuel White & Lewelling Jones the three deposing witnesses are persons of credibility."

A True Copy Teste: S/ Thomas Read, Clk.

Lloyd Portwood of the above County came before me a Justice of the peace for the said County & made oath that he well recollects that David Jones who died in the Service of the United States in the year 1778 or 1777 was enlisted in the said service in the year 1775 for the term of three years from the County of Charlotte by Captain John Brent.

Given under my hand this 7th November 1814.

S/ Jno. D. Richardson