

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Edmond Joynes VAS1335

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[From [rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

The deposition of Zadock Bailey¹ aged seventy-six years being first duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith that he was well acquainted with Edmund Joynes, John Joynes, Edmund Dickerson, Sergeant William Silverthorn, Sergeant Severn Dellastatious [Severn Delastatius]² first Sergeant Selby Dellastatious & Thomas Fisher who enlisted under Captain Thomas Parker as he was called when I enlisted with him but some days he only had a Lieutenant's Commission the above named enlisted when I did for Eighteen months, Thomas Colona was our Lieutenant and we marched in the latter part of the summer in the year 1781 and joined the 11th Regiment at Richmond and Captain Parker [perhaps Thomas Parker] returned Home and then we were commanded by Thomas Coverley our former Steward, we were stationed at Cumberland Court House, where our time of service was up and then myself, with those named above with several others from Accomack County enlisted during the war and served till the end of the war. General Lewening Bing was our General and we were discharged and paid off by him after that time and further this deponent saith not.

S/ Zadock Baley [sic], X his mark

This day came before me a Justice of the peace of Accomack and made oath to the above Deposition and is entitled to credit. Given under my hand and seal this 5th day of January 1833

S/ Henry Fletcher, JP

¹ [Zadock Bailey VAS931](#)

² This surname is also spelled Delistatious, Delistatius, Delastris, etc.