

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty-Land Claim for Service of William Harris VAS14
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

From records in the Library of Virginia:

I do hereby certify that William Harris enlisted with me in the Continental Service in the month of December 1776 that he was taken prisoner in the Town of Savannah in Decem'r 1779 and I am satisfied that he Died in the Service of the united states.

Given under my hand this 26th Day of Octo'r. 1811.

Litt'y. Mosby late Capt. & P Master to 2^d. G. Reg't.

[Littleberry Mosby BLWt64-300, Capt. and Paymaster, 2nd Georgia Regiment]

At a Court held for Buckingham county the 11th day of November 1811.

Francis Harris produced the within certificate in court and being sworn and examined, deposed that he conceives himself to be the rightful heir of the within named William Harris decd who was entitled to bounty lands as a soldier on continental establishment of the Virginia line and that the said William in his life-time received no compensation in lands for his services, nor has the deponent received any as his heir, since his death, nor has any claim been asserted heretofore by any other person for the said bounty lands.

NOTE: Francis Harris also obtained bounty land as heir of Walter Harris [VAS13].