

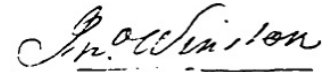
Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Pension Claim of William Gregory VAS1701
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

[From [Revolutionary pension records in the Library of Virginia](#) under the name Charles Gregory (VAS1700).]

I Certify that Charles Gregory the Husband & William Gregory the Son of Hannah Gregory enlisted in my Company of the 14th Virg'a. Reg't. of Continental Infantry in January 1777 for three years, and both died in the Service at Valley Forge in the State of Pennsylvania in March or April 1778. Given under my hand May 6th 1785

[John Winston; company raised in Hanover County VA]



At a Court Continued and held for Hanover County on Saturday the 7th of May 1785 It appears to the Court that Hannah Gregory the widow of Charles Gregory dec'd. and mother of William Gregory also dec'd. has a right to the arrears of p [pension?] due the said Charles and William who died Continental Soldiers
A Copy Robert Pollard DCH

I certify that Hannah Gregory is very poor & has a large Family of Children & is the Widow of Ch Gregory who died in the service in the 14th Virg Regiment as I have ever understood & believe
Tho. Price

I certify that Ch Gregory above named died in the 14 Virg'a Regim't. having inlisted in Capt. Winston's Company in that Regim't. as a Serjeant for 3 years

John Overton jr [BLWt1615-300 and possibly VAS354]
formerly a Capt. 14th Virg'a. Reg't.



I do with the advice of the Council hereby certify that Hannah Gregory the widow of Charles Gregory, who was a Serjeant in the 14th Virginia Regiment and died in the service of the Continent, is entitled to the sum of Eighteen pounds yearly, which allowance is to commence from the first day of January 1786.

Given under my hand at Richmond this 19th day of January 1786.

[Gov. Patrick Henry]



We certify that Hannah Gregory the Widow of Ch's. Gregory has a Family of 8 Children & is very poor her Husband Ch's. Gregory & her eldest son having died in the service viz't. 14th Virg'a Regim't. as we have always understood. Witness my Hand this [blank] Day of Jan 1786 Hyme[?]

Parke Goodall

Hanover June Court 1787.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this County out of the Publick money in his hands do pay unto Hannah Gregory the widow of Charles Gregory deceased nine Pounds for the Ballance of her allowance as a pensioner, for last year. The Certificate on which the said allowance is granted is ordered to be Recorded, and is in these words to wit [above certificate of Patrick Henry not repeated here] p'd £9.0.0 by warrant from the auditor – 27 June 86 Jno. Pendleton"

£9 — allowed for bal'a[?] pension due for 1786 – Warr[ant] having issued for a moiety heretofore

Test Wm Pollard jr. CHC

Rec'd of the Sheriff of Hanover nine pounds for the within order.

Hannah Gregory

NOTES:

By 6 Jan 1819 Hannah Gregory was living in Louisa County VA. The pension file includes many documents similar to the above, the last being a receipt by Hannah Gregory's attorney dated 29 June 1823. On 28 June 1823 Anna Gregory and Elizabeth Gregory certified that Hannah Gregory died on 6 Nov 1822.

[Bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#) also include two documents pertaining to this William Gregory, but they are not legible enough for transcription.