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Virginia document pertaining to Daniel Carlin VAS1764
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To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the house of Delegates. The petition of Daniel Carlin, humbly sheweth, that he was ordered by Colo. William Tunstall County Lieutenant of Henry County, to march with a company of Volunteers Militia against the Tories and British in the State of North Carolina, that he did so and was in service with two Subalterns [sic: subaltern officers], two Sergeants and thirty four privates from the twenty fifth day of July 1779 to the tenth day of September in the same year, that he was also ordered by Colo. Abraham Penn [Abram Penn] County Lieutenant of Henry to march with a Company of Volunteers of two Subalterns, to Sergeants and thirty six privates, to the assistance of General Green [sic: Nathanael Greene], whilst in North Carolina that he did march on the tenth day of February 1781 and remained in service until the tenth day of March in the same year. And that he has his pay roles sufficiently authenticated to prove the equity of his claims [see <http://revwarapps.org/b16.pdf>] and through long indisposition, and many miscarriages, he has not been able to have the same properly Liquidated, he therefore prays, that this Honourable house will take the same into consideration and do him and them that served under him that Justice which they shall see cause. And your petitioner as in duty bound shall pray

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Daniel Carlin". The ink is dark and the background is a light, slightly textured grey.

The several Acts of Ass[emb]ly directing payment of Claims for Militia service performed during the War were Repealed Octo. Sess[ion] [1]787 – Chap. XLI. [see endnote]

Is there any proof that these Services have not been paid for? There's no Check in the Aud[ito]rs Office – the militia Pay Rolls settled here are Removed to the Seat[?] of Congress
Aud'rs. Office/ 24 Octo. 91 J. Pendleton

28th Oct'r 1791 Ref'd to Claims

NOTE: Hening's Statutes at Large <http://vagenweb.org/hening/vol12-24.htm>: An act to repeal so much of every act of assembly as authorises the auditor of public accounts to issue certificates for militia service performed during the late war. Passed the 7th of January, 1788.