

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia document pertaining to Cornelius Thomas VAS1773  
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To the Hon'ble the Legislature of Virginia.

The petition of George Thomas Heir at Law of Cornelius Thomas deceased.  
Sheweth That he the said Cornelius Thomas during his life time, served as a Carpenter in the  
Navy of this State during the late War with Great Britain, for which the Commonwealth owe the  
Petitioner the Depreciation of his Intestates service.

That the Discharge and Vouchers enclosed [not found] will prove that the Deceased served in the  
Navy as before stated and that the Pet'r. as Heir is intituled to the said Depreciation

The Pet'r. therefore requests, that your Hon'ble body will by Law direct the Auditor of Public  
Accounts to issue to him a Certificate for the Depreciation due to the said Cornelius Thomas at  
the time of his death and the Interest due thereon & he will Pray

[Different handwriting] This Claim has not been paid J. Pendleton

16 Nov 95 Claims  
Reasonable  
Report made out  
Bill made out.