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Virginia document pertaining to Henry Ward VAS1824
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To the Honorable the Speaker & house of Deligates
the Petition of Henry Ward Humbly sheweth, that your Petitioner, was appoint'd comesary [sic: Commissary] & Quartermaster, on the 26th Day of April [1781] for the Bedford Melitia that was Order'd to the South & acted in that Capassety until ye 25th Day of May, When the Diferent Companys of Melitia from Virginia Met at Salsbury [sic: Salisbury NC], and then acted Only as Quartermaster until the troops join'd Genr'l. Green [sic: Nathanael Greene at Ninety Six [during the siege of Ninety Six SC, 22 May - 19 Jun 1781] – and still Continued in that Post under the Direction of Colo [Edward] Carrington untill ye 22^d Day of June when your Petitioner was taken Prisoner by the Enemy, Lost his Horse, Sadle & Bridle, which he thinks was reasonably worth 20£ your Petitioner got home agein on Parole ye 16th Day of August, and never receiv'd anything for his s'd services & Horse, Except a warrant on the treasurer for £6.8.8 your Petitioner therefore Prays such farther Allowance as to you shall seem reasonable and he as in Duty Bound shall Pray &c

June 5th 1784 referred to [Committee on] propositions
reasonable & stated specially