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Virginia documents pertaining to Charles Anderson VAS1852
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To the honorable the Speaker & House of Delegates

The Petition of Charles Anderson of the County of Caroline humbly sheweth:

That in April 1785 your petitioner obtained a military Certificate as a soldier in the first Virginia Regiment on continental establishment for the sum of thirty six pounds, which Certificate he soon afterwards accidentally lost, and hath not since been able to recover or get any information of it

That pursuant to the Act of Assembly then in force respecting the issuing of duplicate Certificates your Petitioner did on the 12th day of October 17[page damaged] enter into Bond, with security, before the Court of the said County of Caroline and obtained a Certificate thereof from the Clerk, and, as soon afterwards as he could conveniently, applied to the Auditor of Public Accounts to issued to him a duplicate, who refused to do so, observing that the Law authorizing the issuing of such Certificates was repealed the October Session 1786, subsequent in time to the Bond entered into by your Petitioner. He therefore prays the interposition of the Legislature and that they will direct a duplicate of the said Certificate to be issued to him.

31st Oct 1791 Ref'd to Props [Committee on Proposals]/ Reasonable