

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John White VAS1869

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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia](#) in two files assumed to pertain to the same veteran.]

The deposition of Wm. Welbourn Sen'r [William Welburn S7856] Aged Seventy or thereabouts being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith that he was well acquainted with a certain John White who servd. in the Revolution on board the Row gally Accomack for the term of three years or longer under the command of Captn Underhill [William Underhill VAS2457] in the Capacity of Gunner and was honourably dischargd and further the deponent saith not  
[Accomack County, 16 June 1832]



State of Maryland }

Somerset County }

The affidavit of Henry White of the County and State aforesaid, who says that he was well acquainted with John White during the War of the Revolution, that said John White enlisted for and during the War, and served in the capacity of gunner to its close in the Virginia Navy

April 17, 1833

Henry White

1833 Nov 29 Rejected

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia State Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to the Act of Assembly, passed the November Session, 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 30th day of June 1786, in the name of John White as Gunner for £14.6.0, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to Colo Cropper [John Cropper pension application W3781] and was given for services prior to the 1st January, 1782.

Given under my hand at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 25th day of July 1839.

[signed illegibly] AUDITOR absent

It appears that several Individuals of the name of John White rec'd. each, 100 acres of land, and John white a Lt. in the Cont. Line, rec'd the Bounty land to which he was entitled.

Most respectfully/ Yr. Ob St./ S. H. Parker/ March 27<sup>th</sup> 1840

To His Excellency D. Campbell/ Present

[The following is misfiled as page 17 of the rejected claim of William White W4099.]

To, Governor David Campbell

Your petitioner Robert Morris, Guardian of Isaac White sole heir of John White, respectfully states, That said White was a Gunner in the navy of Virginia, during the Revolution.

The affidavit of Henry White states that he was well acquainted with John White, who enlisted for the War and served as a Gunner to its close.

The Auditors certificate states that Depreciation was paid him as a Gunner.

The claim is respectfully submitted by T Green atto for the Petitioners