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Virginia documents pertaining to John Goggin VAS2183
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[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#). Some online images are illegible.]

To his Excellency John Floyd Governor of Virginia

The petition of the Legal heir of John Goggin, deceased, late a Lieutenant in the Company Commanded by Captain Harry Terrell [Henry Terrell VAS2185] of the Continental line on State establishment in the War of the Revolution, represents most respectfully that the said John Goggin entered the service of the Country about the [blank] day of March 1776 Commissioned and qualified as first Lieutenant of the said Company, which company was raised for the term of three years, and that he faithfully served [undeciphered word] one year the [undeciphered word] and died in the service. Your petitioner is not aware that any settlement of the accounts of said Goggin was ever made, nor has there ever been any allowance of the land bounty to which he is justly entitled. He therefore prays that your Excellency will order and direct the Register of the Land Office of the State to issue a warrant or warrants to him for the services aforesaid and he will pray &c. Richard Goggin by his attorney

[A note in the file reads "Rej[ected] 19 Feb 1834."]

To David Campbell Governor of Virginia, and the Council of State.

The petition of Rich'd Goggin only heir of Lt John Goggin dec'd. represents to your Excellency that he was allowed bounty land by Governor Floyd for the serviced by his father in the Revolution, for the term of the war, but in consequence of a difficulty between the Governor and the Register of the Land office, as he is informed, in fixing the time when the service commenced and when the war ended, he has so far failed to procure the additional bounty, to which he is entitled. He prays your Excellency to review, or reconsider his case, and correct the defect, so as to enable him to receive a warrant for the balance of his land; and he will pray &c. Rich'd Goggin, by atto. C. S. Morgan
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To his Excellency John Floyd Governor of Virginia

The petition of the [illegible word] of Robert Watkins [VAS2186], deceased, late and Ensign in the Company Commanded by Captain Harry Terrell of the Continental line on State Establishment in the War of the Revolution most respectfully represents that the said Robert Watkins entered the service of the Country about about [blank] day of March 1776 Commissioned and qualified as Ensign of the said Company, the same having been raised for three years of service and that [four illegible words] served a short part of the time and died in the service. [several illegible words] that your Excellency will direct the Register of the Land Office to issue a warrant or warrants for the amount of land to which he is entitled for the services aforesaid and will pray &c. James Watkins by his attorney
See the evidence of Meade, Adams, Dabney & Nail [illegible word] in the case of John Goggin