Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Babel Budd VAS2747

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[The following are from rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.]

The deposition of Levin Hyslop [W7858] aged about Seventy Eight years who being first duly Sworn deposeth and sayeth that he this deponet enlisted in the company commanded by Capt. John Blair [VAS2518] in the Ninth Virginia Regment in the Revolutionary war on continental Establishment that he was well acquainted with Babel Budd who was allso a private in the same regment who was absent from the County of Accomack and state of Virginia as this deponent distinctly recolects upward of three years in service with the said Redgment to the north.

Levin hisXmark Hyslop [10 Feb 1832]

The deposition of Hillary Mears [Hilary Mears S18508] aged 76 years who was a revolutionary soldier and is now drawing his pension for his revolutionary services says he was well acquainted with Babel Budd. That he enlisted in the 9th Virginia Regiment for three years and served out that time and returned to this County before the [undeciphered word] of the revolutionary war Accomack County Va/ [undeciphered month and day] 1834 Hillary hisXmark Mears

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session, 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 6th day of July 1786, in the name of Babel Budd as a Soldier for £5.18.8, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to Colo Cropper and was given for services prior to the 1st January, 1782.

Given under my hand at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this 12th day of June 1834 Jas E Heath AUDITOR.