

[Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters](#)

Virginia documents pertaining to John Chesshire VAS2959  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I do hereby certify, that the following men served as soldier, in the service of the United States, in the course of the American revolutionary war, for the times to their names respectively annexed, in the Virginia line on Continental establishment.

John Chesshire deceased, from about the beginning of the year 1776 to the end of the war.

Elijah Hickman and Ezekiel Hickman, who were brothers, from the begining of the year 1776 to the beginning of the year 1779, and that they have both since died.

Pruson Richards, and John Richards, and William Richards [R8762], (who were brothers I believe) from the beginning of the year 1776, to the beginning of the year 1779, and that they are all since dead.

William Address, from the begining of the year 1776 to the end of the war, and that he is since dead

George Filby, from the begining of the year 1776 to the end of the war, and is since dead.

Sacker Bunting [VAS2772], from the begining of the year 1776, to the close of the war, and that he is since dead.

Holloway Bunting, from the begining of the year 1776 to the begining of the year 1779 since dead.

George Benson, from the beginning of the year 1776 to the beginning of the year 1779 since dead.

John Warrington, from the beginning of the year 1776 to the end of the war.

Given under my hand the 17<sup>th</sup> day of December 1807

Jno. Cropper Jr [John Cropper W3781] formerly  
Lt Col. Comm'dt 11<sup>th</sup> Virg'a Regim't.



[The following is almost illegible. Surnames are placed first in the original.]

William Address	for War	Not[?] drawn
Sacker Bunting	for war	drawn for 3 years in state line
Holloway Bunting	for 3 years	not drawn
George Benson	for 3 years	
John Chesshire	for war	
<del>George Filby</del>	<del>for war</del>	drawn [undeciphered word] for the War
Elijah Hickman	for 3 years	not drawn
Ezekiel Hickman	for 3 years	d'o
Reuben Joynes [VAS1339]	Lieut. for 3 years	d'o
Preson Richards	for 3 years	d'o for the war
John Richards	for 3 years	drew 100 as Steward of the State Navy
William Richards	for 3 years	not drawn
Severn Teackle dead	Cap'n for the war	drawn for 3 years service in cont. line as Capt
John Warrington	for the war	Not drawn
	Examined and noted[?] as Above	[undeciphered signature]
		[undeciphered] Reg'r
		Jan'y 14 1808