

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Pyle VAS314

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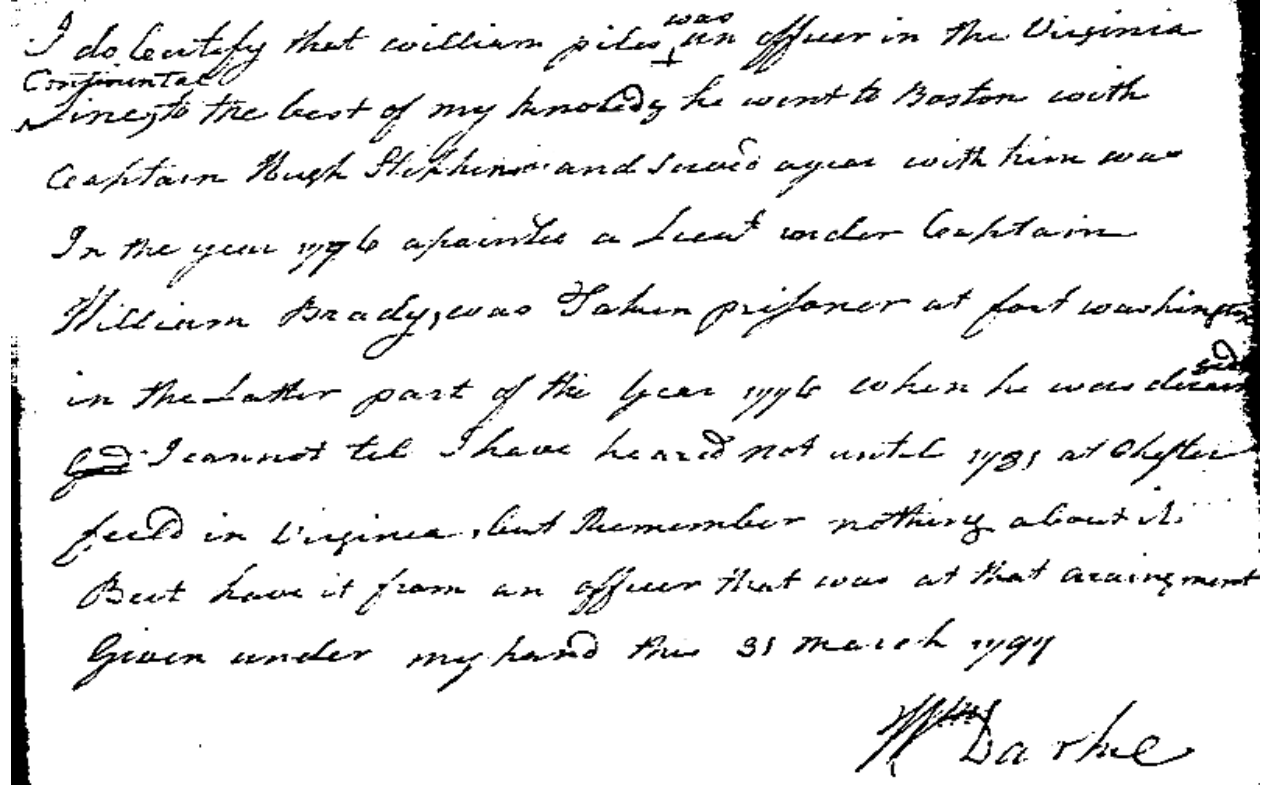
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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

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Given under my hand this 31st March 1797

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