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Virginia documents pertaining to Abraham Cottiller VAS3155
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Virginia. At a Court held for York County the 21st day of May 1838. This day Henry Buchanan [S37807] who is 77 years of age made oath to the certificates by him submitted which certificates are in these words. "I do hereby certify that Abraham Cottiller a free man of colour of York County state of Virginia did enlist as a soldier in the Revolutionary War in Col Porterfields [Charles Porterfield BLWt1145-450] Regiment about the year seventeen hundred and seventy nine, and that he enlisted to serve throughout the war. I recollect well that he was engaged in the siege of York Town [Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct 1781] in the state of Virginia and served as a private throughout said war. Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of May in the year 1838. Henry Buchanan

I do also certify that the said Abraham Cottiller died in or about the year 1808 in York County leaving the following children his only surviving heirs Vizt

Nancy Cottiller, Betsy Cottiller, now Betsy Frances widow of John Frances. Betsey Cottiller who first married William Frances and then to James Wallace, whose widow she now is and John Cottiller.

Witness my hand and seal this 21st day of May 1838. Henry Buchanan

This mans name not appearing on any of the rolls the evidence here filed would be considered insufficient on which to allow land bounty DC [Gov. David Campbell]
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