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Virginia documents pertaining to William Covington VAS3162
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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To His Excellency, John B Floyd Esq'r

Your Petitioner Margaret T Covington daughter, and in behalf of Susan & Wm W Covington children and heirs of the late William Covington of Culpeper County, a soldier belonging to the company of the late John Thornton [BLWt1870-450] of the Virginia line upon Continental establishment, of the army of the revolutionary War, who enlisted in said Company about the year 1776 or 77, and was in the ever memorable battle of Brandywine [11 Sep 1777].

The claim of their father is established by the muster roll of Capt John Thornton, now among the archives in Washington City, together with the report of the Commissioner Smith amongst the archives of Virginia.

Your petitioner Respectfully represents to your Excellency that her father died in the year 1810 in Culpeper County, now Rappa'k [Rappahannock] and respectfully ask that you will allow for them the remuneration that was promised our father by the several acts of the Virginia Legislature as a remuneration of his services in said War. your petitioner in duty bound will ever pray &c.

Margaret T Covington

16th Sept. 1850. No evidence

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