

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to James Mason VAS4006
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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

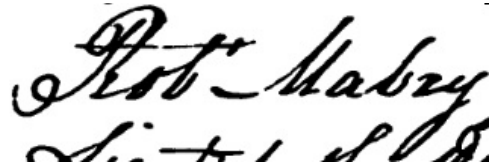
Sussex County to wit

Personally appeared before me Henry Mason a justice of the County aforesaid Thomas Whitehorn who was a soldier in the revolutionary war, and made Oath, that, James Mason enlisted for the term of Three years in the Revolutionary war, in the Virginia State service, and died, the said James Mason acted as Sergeant in Capt James Masons [VAS4005] Company. Given under my hand this 27th day of October 1830
Henry Mason J.P.

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

I do hereby certify that James Mason a Serjant in Capt. James Mason's Company (from Brunswick County) of the 15th Virginia Regiment enlisted the 7th day of December 1776 to serve three years, and died in the Service of the United States, as a Serjant. Given under my Hand this 28th September 1793.

Rob't Mabry [Robert Mabry VAS448] first
Lieut. to the s'd Comp'y



Virginia. Sussex County To wit:

This day Thomas Whitehorn, of the County afores'd aged seventy three years, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the peace for the County aforesaid and made oath, that he served as a private in the Company commanded by Capt. James Mason, of the 15th Regiment of the Virginia line on Continental Establishment, in the Revolutionary War. That James Mason Sen'r of the County aforesaid, enlisted as a private in the said company, for the term of three years – that he served faithfully in the capacity of first Serjeant, until the time of his death, which took place at Valley forge in the year 1777 before the term of his enlistment had expired. He died of disease in camp. Given under my hand this 3rd day of August 1831.

Henry Mason JP

Southampton County Sct.

Mr. Thomas Whitehorn, whose affidavit is annexed, is my neighbour, and I have known him for many years. No man enjoys a higher character for truth and his statement may be implicitly relied on.
Aug. 13th 1831.

B. Mason