

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Jesse Newby VAS4063  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

May 10<sup>th</sup> 1843

Dear Sir Mr Timothy O'Callahan has called on me to certify my knowledge of a Mr Wells of Amelia County. I do not think that I am personally acquainted with Mr Wells, altho I know that he lives in Amelia & is a man of advanced age & some property. I know Mr O'Callihan & hope he may proceed in his claim as he is I [undeciphered] entitled to do so from all that I have heard

Very Respectfully,/ Lewis E Harvie

[The following is difficult to decipher]

State of Virginia }  
Amelia County to Wit }

I Winafred Gray of the county of Amelia and State of Virginia do hereby Certify that I was well acquainted with Jesse Newbey of Chesterfield County and resided in his neighbourhood at the time he enlisted as a Soldier in the Revolutionary War, resided in said County untill the said Newbey returned three years afterward, and am informed that he served as a soldier in said war for the term of three years, and I do further certify that I was living in the County of Amelia, a near neighbour to the said Jesse Newbey at the time of his death, he died leaving only one child Rhoday E F Newbey who is still alive and is now Rhoday E F OCalleghan the wife of Timothy OCalleghan, Rhoday E F Newbey first married [undeciphered] Mitchel and after his death the said Timothy OCalleghan

Given under my hand, this 2<sup>d</sup> day of April 1849

State of Va }  
Amelia County } to Wit

I John Wills do hereby Certify that I was well acquainted with the late Jesse Newbey formerly of the County of Chesterfield, was well acquainted with him at the times he enlisted as a Soldier in the Revolutionary war, and that he served as a soldier for the term of three years I knew him before he enlisted and also after he returned. I was well and intimately acquainted with him up to the time of his death which was in the year 1816

Given under my hand this the 7<sup>th</sup> april 1849 John Wills

See [Commissioner John H.] Smith's report to the H. of D. [House of Delegates] 1834-5. Dec. No. 44  
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