

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Charles Pilette and Michael Pilette VAS4139
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

State of Illinois }
Monroe County }

I, David Nowlin Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, do certify that it is proven in open Court, to the satisfaction of said Court, that the within named Michel Pilette and Charles Pilette were privates in the revolutionary war, in the Illinois Regiment, commanded by Col. George Rogers Clarke [George Rogers Clark VAS269]: that they served between three and four years, when the regiment was discharged, and that they never received a warrant or warrants, for the Bounty Land promised them, either on the part of the united states, or the State of Virginia, nor did they ever transfer their claim to it or them, in any manner whatsoever. It is further proven that the said Michel Pilette and Charles Pilette died intestate, and that the within named parties to this Instrument are the only Heirs.

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my official seal at Waterloo this
12th day of September 1834

David Nowlin Clerk

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, Mary Pilette, Michel Pilette, John B. Pilette, Bazile Pilette, John B. Decoteau and Harriette Decoteau his Wife, and Francis Lavale guardian to the infant heirs of Josephie Lavale his Wife, Heirs at Law of Michel Pilette their Father, and joint Heirs with John B. Laframboise, guardian of James Pilette and Angelique Pilette, of Charles Pilette, do hereby constitute and appoint Burgess B. Lang of Missouri our true and lawful Attorney [the rest not transcribed] [13 Sep 1834]