

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Joseph Rawson VAS4178  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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Franklin County [KY] November Court 1811

Ordered that it be Certified that Joseph Rawson Came into Court and made it appear by his original discharge signed by Charles Scott (BG) [BLWt2055-850] now produces in Court and from his own Oath that he Served as a soldier in the 8<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment from the first day of February 1776 until the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1778 and that he served as a malitia man in the Virg'a malitia in Gen'l Edward Stephens [sic: Edward Stevens VAS1922] Brigade about 3 months in the year 1780 & then Entered as a soldier in General Alexander Spotswood [R18089] Legion & served in that until the End of the War  
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Rejected not having served the period required by Law

NOTE: Soldiers who served either in the Continental or State Line from Virginia for three years or until the end of the war were supposed to be entitled to bounty land.