

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Richardson VAS4215  
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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

James Thornton [S41253] aged seventy seven years who being duly sworn on the Holly Evengelist of Almighty God deposes and saith that he was well acquainted with a sertain John Richardson and that he the s'd John Richardson was in the revolutionary war and served under General George Washington and in the company of Capt Thomas Snead until he died James hisXmark Thornton  
[certified in Accomack County 18 June 1831]

I Hilary Mears [S18508] aged between 72 & 73 years do hereby certify and make known that during the war of the revolution I was intimately acquainted with John Richardson & I do know that he was in the virginia line on continental establishment, but I do not know in what regiment he served; he was in the service not quite two years he having been discharged at the close of the war, having served until the end of the war: he returned home & lived in the same neighbourhood with me. Given under my hand this 11 of May 1832 [certified in Accomack County] Hilary hisXmark Mears

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