

[Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters](#)

Virginia documents pertaining to Aquilla Rogers VAS4292  
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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia](#) in two files.]

State of Indiana } S.S.

Monroe County } It is ordered to be certified by the Clerk of Commissioners Court that it has this day been proven to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners Court now sitting in Bloomington in and for the County of Monroe in the state of Indiana by the testimony of James Rogers aged Fifty Five years past and David Rogers Aged sixty five years past residents of Monroe County State of Indiana That Aquilla Rogers deceased who is computed and believed was a private soldier in the war of the Revolution and served in the Western Army commanded by General George R. Clark [George Rogers Clark VAS269] or who served as aforesaid as a private soldier in the Illinois Regiment under the command of Colonel George R. Clark the aforesaid General in the Expedition against Kaskaskia and Vincennes [summer 1778] and believes the aforesaid Aquilla Rogers deceased was under the command of an subaltern officer by rank Major or Colonel and by the name of "Hamtramck" who was attached to or under the command of the aforesaid Colonel Clark.

That he died Testate leaving the following named children – James Rogers Philip Rogers [part missing at bottom of page] of the County of — in the Territory of Iowa and Nancy who intermarried with Jacob Iseminger of the County of Laport [sic: Laporte] in the State of Indiana and that the aforesaid court is a court of record and that the said James Rogers declarant is the same person named as one of the children heirs aforesaid and the declarant David Rogers is a /nephew/ son of a brother to the aforesaid Aquilla Rogers deceased December 1<sup>st</sup> 1845. George Finley Pres't protom of comm. court M.C.In.

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Monroe County } On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851 personally appeared before the Probate Court now sitting in and for the said County David Rogers aged seventy one years and Katharine Rogers his wife aged sixty-seven years resident of said County the space of Thirty-five years past two disinterested and credible witnesses who after being duly sworn doth state on oath that Aquilla Rogers deceased late of Clark County state of Indiana who it is reputed and believed was a soldier in the Revolution war and served in the Regiment Commanded by Colonel George R. Clark known as the Illinois or northwestern Regiment engaged in the expedition against Kaskaskia & Vincennes. That the said Aquilla Rogers died "Testate" in or about the year of — leaving Phebe Rogers his wife a widow who was his Exc and wife & by whom the said Aquilla Rogers had no children nor child. That the said Aquilla Rogers & his first wife had the following named children viz James Roberts, Philip Rogers, Isaac Rogers, Lewis Rogers, Aquilla Rogers and Nancy Rogers. That the said Nancy Rogers intermarried with Jacob Iseminger and died leaving three children her issue & heirs. That the above named Isaac Rogers & Aquilla Rogers are also dead That they each left children their survivors & heirs at law. that the above named six children of Aquilla Rogers deceased soldier above named were his only children and that the survivors & the children of those deceased & his said [part missing at bottom of page] the said Aquilla Rogers [part missing at bottom of page] Virginia Continental Line and may also have been detailed to drive pack horses or as pack-man But that he served under Colonel George R. Clark in said expedition he is confident and that he may have been attached to the Virginia State Line or Virginia Troops. That we are disinterested in making this affidavit which we are informed is to be offered as testimony by the heirs of said Aquilla Rogers deceased who claims bounty land for his services aforesaid by virtue of the acts of the State of Virginia and the acts of Congress of the United States of America. That declarant David Rogers is the Nephew of said Aquilla Rogers who was a brother to declarants father. Of the truth of the foregoing statements we are fully satisfied. That said Aquilla Rogers & the said Phebe Rogers his second wife had no issue or child

born unto them.

David Rogers Katharine herXmark Rogers

NOTE: One file includes Aquilla Rogers's last will and testament dated 1 July 1838 with the following provisions: to his "beloved wife Phebe" the home farm in Clark County Illinois designated as grant No. 231 of 200 acres. Two dollars each to sons James, Philip, Isaac, Lewis, and Aquilla.