

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Peter Scaus VAS4365  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

This is to certify that Peter Scaus a Private in the Grenadier in the First Partisan Legion, under my Command, has served faithfully & bravely to this Day, is hereby discharged from the Service of the United States in Pursuance of Orders received from the Commander in Chief bearing Date the third instant.

I further certify that Peter Scaus a Private in the grenadier having been enlisted in the State of Virginia is entitled by the Resolution of Congress of the 13<sup>th</sup> February, 1779, to the Benefits that have been, or hereafter shall be granted by the said State to the Noncommissioned Officers and Soldiers of the said Line. Given under my Hand and seal at York Town [PA], this fifteenth Day of November, 1783.

Signed Armand DElarouerie [Charles Armand BLWt2291-850] Brigadier General  
Entered in the book of the Legion

Attest/ Signed Godfried Swartz/ Adjutant of the Legion

War Department. Section of Bounty Lands. May 12<sup>th</sup> 1820.

the preceding Transcript, is correctly copied from an original Discharge now on File in this Office.

Nat. Cutting

State of Pennsylvania

Franklin County Ss. [7 March 1820]

Personally appeared before the subscriber a justice of the peace in and for said County John Scaus and being sworn according to Law, saith that he is the son of Peter Scaus late belonging to the Revolutionary Army of the United States, and to the best of his knowledge, and belief his Father the said Peter Scaus did enlist in the service of the United States and continued therein until the fifteenth day of November 1783; at which time he received his discharge which is herewith sent, – Therefore know all men by these presents that I the said John Scaus of the County & State aforesaid do hereby constitute and appoint The Hon'ble David Fullerton Esqr Member of Congress to be my true and Lawful attorney [the rest not transcribed]

Franklin County Ss

Personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice &c Barbara Scaus widow of Peter Scaus late of the Revolutionary army Dec'd who upon her solemn oath doth depose & say that she was Lawfully joined in Marriage by the Rev'd Jacob Garringer of York County and that she had Eight children to the said Peter Scaus six of which are now living to wit John who has signed the within application Peter, Henry, Elizabeth, Polly, Lydia two of which are minors to wit Polly & Lydia.

Sworn to & subscribed the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1820.                      Barbara herXmark Scaus  
before James Walker J.P.