

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to John Story VAS44

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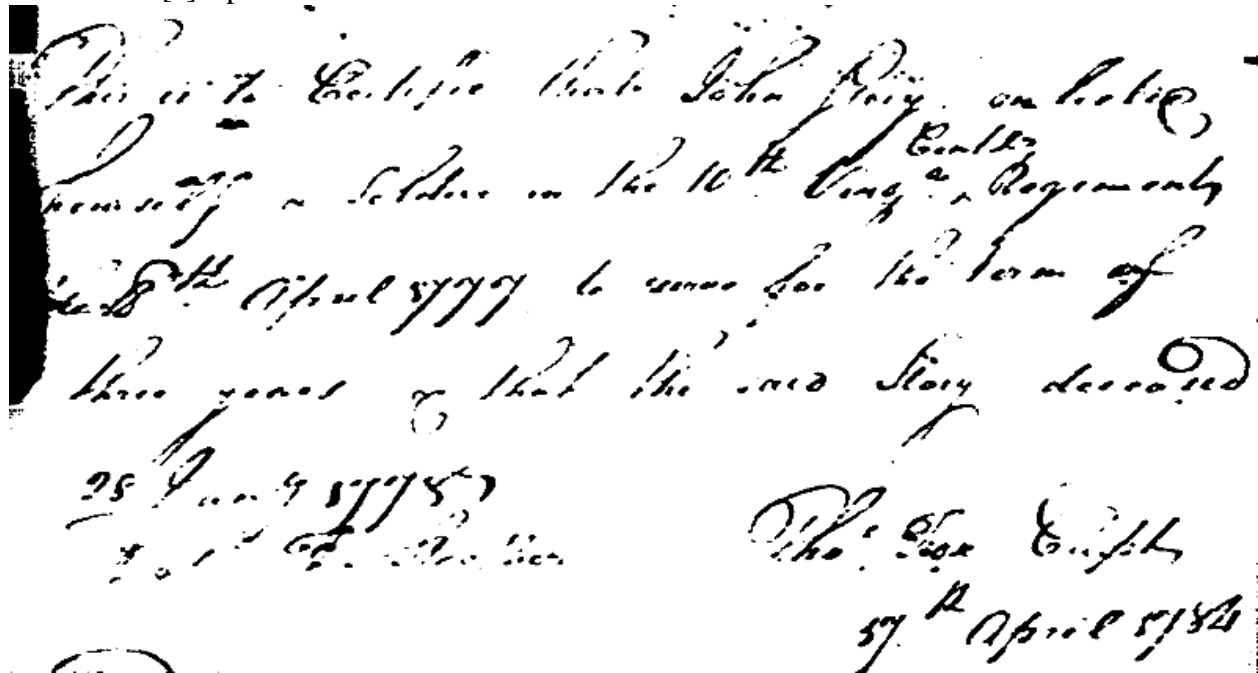
The [Virginia State Library](#) online digital collection relating to Bounty land warrant issued by that state contains the following documents relating to this veteran:

This is to Certify that John Story enlisted himself a Soldier in the 10th Virginia ^{Continental} Regiment the 8th of April 1777 to serve for the term of three years & that he said Story deceased 28 Jany 1778.

[Indecipherable name or signature]

S/ Thos. Fox Capt. [Thomas Fox, Captain]

17th [?] April 1784



This is to Certify that John Story, on his oath,
himself a Soldier in the 10th Virginia ^{Continental} Regiment
the 8th April 1777 to serve for the term of
three years & that he said Story deceased
28 Jany 1778
[Indecipherable name or signature]
Thos. Fox Capt.
17th April 1784

[Note: In an affidavit dated April 1818 given in Culpeper County Virginia, Peter Triplett² gave oath that John Story served as a soldier in the 10th Virginia Regiment in the year 1778 in the

¹ Two files indexed in the Bounty Land Warrant files.

² [Peter H. Triplett W2706](#)

North; that the affiant does not recollect when Story enlisted; that he, affiant, saw Story in military dress and has not heard of him since; John Lampkin³ who intermarried with Mary Story a sister of John Story made oath that John Story regularly enlisted and served as a soldier in the 10th Virginia Regiment under Captain John Spotswood; that he said Lampkin was in the service and frequently saw Story engaged in the service as a soldier. Mary Lampkin made oath that she is the sister of the above John Story; that she only had one other brother who she believes must be dead as she has not obtained any intelligence of him for a considerable number of years; that she is the eldest sister of John Story who she knows well died in the service of the United States [the digital image of her affidavit is cut off at this point] [The digital images of the above summarized affidavits are of very poor quality.]

³ FPA W8018