

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Isaac St. John VAS4618
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[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia](#). Compare Jacob St. John VAS4617.]

To his Excellency the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

The Memorial of the Heirs and legal Representatives of Isaac St. John, deceased, who was a soldier and Sergeant of the State line of Virginia on Continental establishment in the war of the Revolution: Respectfully sheweth:

That the said Isaac St. John, in the Spring of 1776, enlisted as a soldier under Capt John Brent [VAS2630] in Charlotte, for the term of three years, and shortly after enlistment, and upon the organization of the company, was made Sergeant in said company, in which capacity and Rank, he served faithfully the whole term of enlistment. He was attached to the 4th Virginia Regiment on Continental establishment, commanded by Col Lawson [Robert Lawson VAS850] and General Stevens [Edward Stevens VAS1622]. All of which, will appear by reference to the Army Register of the Continental line, and the accompanying certificates, of soldiers who served with him.

That the said Isaac St. John in his life time, never applied for, or drew the Land Bounty promised by the State of Virginia on account of his services as aforesaid: nor have his heirs, or legal representatives, since his death.

You Memorialist, therefore, humbly pray that the Executive of Virginia, will grant them the usual quantity of Land, allowed a Sergeant of the State Line of Virginia on Continental establishment for the service of three years, pursuant to the Laws of Virginia, in such case made and provided. And as in duty bound shall ever pray &c

Jacob X St. John

Virginia: Charlotte County to wit:

This day Jacob St. John one of the Heirs of said Isaac St. John, deceased, came before me a Justice of the peace in the county aforesaid, and made oath, that the facts as set forth in he foregoing Memorial, he believed to be true. Given under my hand this 17th day of September, 1838.

John H. Marshall J.P.

Virginia: Charlotte County to wit:

I do hereby certify, that I have a most distinct recollection of Isaac St. John, late of Charlotte, in the Revolutionary war, and know the fact, that he was a Sergeant in Capt John Brent's company of Regulars, that marched from Charlotte in the Spring of 1776. He enlisted for the term of three years, and was attached to the 4th Virginia Regiment on Continental establishment, commanded by Col Lawson and General Stevens. He served the said term of three years faithfully, and was honorably discharged from service. He was made Sergeant in the company, untill discharged. I am in the 87th year of my age, and was a soldier in the war of the Revolution. Given under my hand this 20th day of September, 1838.

James Mullings [S10251]



Virginia: Charlotte County to wit:

I do hereby certify, that I have some recollection of Isaac St. John, late of Charlotte in the Revolutionary war, and recollect that he acted as Sergeant in Capt John Brents company of Regulars. According to the best of my recollection, he enlisted under Brent in the month of March, 1776, for the term of three years; upon the formation of the company, he was made Sergeant, and acted in that capacity

untill his term of enlistment expired. He was attached to the 4th Virginia Regiment on Continental establishment, commanded by Col Lawson and General Stevens. I am in the 79th year of my age, and was a soldier in the war of the Revolution. Given under my hand this 20th day of September, 1838.

Thomas hisXmark Harvey [Thomas Harvey R4715]