

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Thomas Wright VAS5112  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From [rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

By Joseph Lane jun'r. [BLWt1325-400] Major, of the Third Battalion of Infantry of Continental Troops, in the Line of the State of Georgia Commanded by John Stirk [undeciphered] Colonel

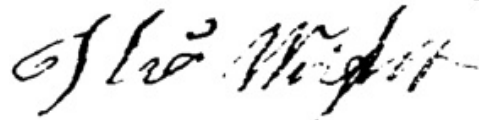
These are to certify that Thomas Wright a Private in the third Continental Battalion of Infantry in the Service of the State of Georgia, for reasons mentioned below, is Discharged from the s'd. Battalion, he having Received all his pay, Arears of pay, [several undeciphered words] from the United States, to [several undeciphered words] his Receipt on [undeciphered] this Discharge

The s'd. Thomas Wright having [several illegible words] 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1778  
John Stirk Coll [illegible]

I do hereby acknowledge to have Received all my pay arears of pay Clothing &c due by the Continent, from the time of my Enlistment to this date, as Witness my hand this 25th Day of September 1778.

Thos Wright

Witness present  
D Cruthers[?]



Received October 7<sup>th</sup> 1778 of Thomas Wright, late, a private in 3<sup>rd</sup> Georgia Continental Battalion, but now discharged, his Musket, Bayonet and [undeciphered]  
Jno Waudin [John Waudin]  
A.D.Q.M.G'l. of G.B.



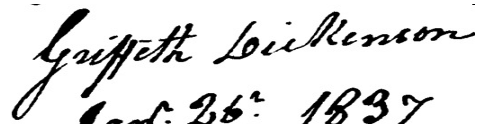
Chalk Level Va.  
27<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1837

Capt. Vincent Witcher/ Richmond Virg'a.  
Capt. V. Witcher & W. Tunstal

Sirs, I herein Enclose a discharge & some documents of the Services of Thos. Wright in the Revolutionary War, who inlisted in the same Company & on the same day that I enlisted, under Capt. Thos. Scott [Thomas Scott] in Hanover County Virg'a. on the 26<sup>th</sup> of Oct'r 1776 you will discover his Certificate endorsing to me al Immoluments that may arise in Consequence of his services. Will you be so good as to lay this Claim before the Proper Persons to know whether I can obtain the Bounty land, & what Other Proof is nessary to obtain it, if more Proof is nessary, & Please Write me as soon a Convenient What steps I must take to Recover it & much Oblige y'r. Hle ser't.

NB. All that Enlisted in the Service  
in the Suthern Army was for 3 years

Griffith Dickenson Sen'r [S20896].  
Jan'y 26<sup>th</sup> 1837



The whole case made by the papers filed is that Thos Wright was a soldier in the 3<sup>d</sup> Georgia regiment. This case gives no title to land bounty. Rejected [undeciphered signature]