

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of James and Thomas Lindsay VAS926

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[From [rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

Henrico County to wit

Before me John G Mosby a Magistrate for this County aforesaid, this day personally appeared in the said County Alexander Childers of Henrico County, and made oath according to law That he was acquainted with Thomas Lindsay and James Lindsay, who enlisted as privates of Infantry in the Revolution, under Captain John Pleasants for two years who resigned his command after having served some time, – William Mosby who was termed Captain Lieutenant was then promoted & took command of the Company these two men then enlisted under Mosby for three years, and died in the service of their Country, under Continental establishment, These men are believed to be entitled to land bounty which they never got. Given under my hand this 25<sup>th</sup> of November 1833

S/ Jno. G. Mosby, JP

To the Governor & Council of Virginia

The petition of John Lindsey, Elijah Lindsay, Joseph Childers and Jane his wife formerly Lindsay, the heirs of Mary Goode formerly Mary Lindsay and the heirs of James Lindsay humbly represent. – That they are the legal heirs and representatives of Thomas Lindsay and James Lindsay deceased who were soldiers in the War of the Revolution and died in the said service as is above stated. Your petitioners are informed they are entitled to the land [indecipherable word] do you the said Thomas and James which it is believed they never got. They thereupon pray that the [image of this document cuts off at the bottom thereof at this point]

I hereby certify that I was well acquainted with the Lindsay family of Henrico County within alluded to and that John Lindsey, Elijah Lindsay, Joseph Childers and Jane his wife the heirs of Mary Goode wife of Edward Goode both deceased said Mary was formerly Lindsay and the Heirs of James Lindsay Junior deceased are the legal Heirs and representatives of Thomas Lindsay and James Lindsay who died in the service of their country in the Revolutionary War. Given under my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> day of 1833

S/Elizabeth Goode, X her mark