

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William Hudson BLWt1346-200

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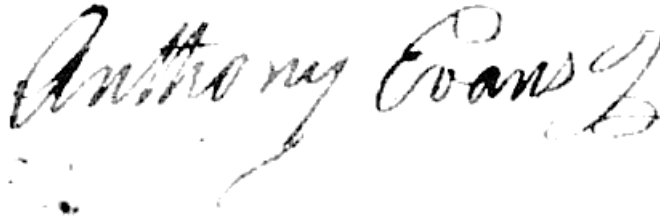
Transcribed by Will Graves

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Received the 14th day of September 1828 from the Department of War Warrant No. 1346 for the bounty land William Hudson of the Virginia line in the revolutionary War.

S/ Anthony Evans



[p 3: Power of attorney dated July 29, 1828 executed by Mary ann Jordan in Bedford County Virginia; she claims to be the heir at law of William Hudson who served under the command of Colonel Parker in the Virginia line to the end of the war. She appoints Anthony Evans, Junior as her attorney. In this document she does not indicate her relationship to the veteran but in other documents it is clear that she is the sister of Lieutenant William Hudson and one of his heirs at law. The other heirs are not named in any of the documents in this file.



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[Note: The following documents MAY OR MAY NOT relate to the veteran who is the subject of the above documentation.]

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

I do hereby certify that William Hudson was Acting in the Service of his Country as a Lieutenant in the year 1780. Given under my hand this 1 day of September 1807

S/ William Lanier, Lieutenant

I do hereby certify, that William Hudson was
Acting in the Service of his Country as a Lieutenant
In the year 1780 Given under my hand this 1.
day of September 1807
William Lamine
Lieut.

I do hereby Certify that William Hudson was a Sergeant in the Continental Service in Captain Thomas Ruffin's Company the first of February 1776, and that he was promoted to an Ensign sometime in the year 1777. Given under my hand this 4th day of August 1807

S/ Baker Pegram

[Acknowledged in Dinwiddie County Virginia August 7th 1807]

I do hereby certify, that William Hudson was a Sergeant
in the Continental Service in Capt Thomas Ruffin's
Company the first of February seventeen hundred and
seventy six, and that he was promoted to an Ensign
sometime in the year 1777 - Given under my hand
the 4th day of August 1807
Baker Pegram

[split image of the following document]

I do hereby certify that William Hudson early in the year seventeen hundred and seventy-eight was appointed a Lieutenant in Captain Alexander [last name compromised and illegible] Company, belonging to the 6th Virginia Regiment; and I saw William Hudson named on the list as a supernumerary Captain, at the arrangement on the White Plains. Given under my hand this 4th day of August 1807

S/ John Cole, Lieutenant in the
Second Virginia Regiment

[Attested August 7th, 1807 in Dinwiddie County Virginia]

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

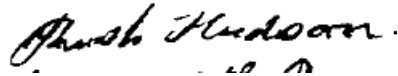
State of Virginia County of Fauquier: to wit June the 21st 1832

I Rush Hudson heir at law of William Hudson and James Hudson deceased do upon oath testify and declare to the best of my knowledge and belief that my Brothers William Hudson and James Hudson both enlisted at the same time and place, under Captain Kendal in the 6th Regiment commanded by Colonel Richard Barnet of the Virginia Continental line, and as I have been informed William Hudson was promoted to a Lieutenant of infantry, and James Hudson was shot, in the battle of Brandywine [September 11, 1777]. I further declare, that I have never received a warrant for the Bounty Land promised to them on the part of the United States nor do I think that they ever received it or transferred their claims to it in any manner whatsoever there for –

Know all men by these presents that I Rush Hudson aforesaid do hereby constitute and appoint John Balthrope of the above State and County to be my true and lawful attorney, for me and in my name to demand and receive from the Register of the State a warrant for the quantity of Land due to me as aforesaid, and my said attorney is hereby fully authorized and empowered to constitute and appoint one or more substitutes or attorneys under him, for the special purposes above expressed.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year above written.

S/ Rush Hudson

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rush Hudson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the printed name "S/ Rush Hudson".