

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements

Pension Application of Martin Bowles BLWt2249-100

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STATE OF *Maryland*

COUNTY OF *Somerset*

I *Sinah Bowles* heir at law of *Martin Bowles* do upon my oath declare and testify, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said *Martin Bowles* did enlist in *the Continental army* for the term of *the War of the Revolution* and served in the Regiment, No. *of the Maryland line* under the command of Colonel *John Gunby* of the *Maryland line*, and that he continued in the service until *the End of the War* I further declare that I have never received a warrant for the Bounty Land promised to said *Martin Bowles* on the part of the United States; nor do I believe he ever received it or transferred his claim to it in any manner whatsoever: Therefore [power of attorney follows] [27 Mar 1837]

NOTE: Other document in the file indicate that *Sinah Bowles* married *Purnel Taylor* on 3 Jan 1839. Other heirs were son *John Bowles* and grandson *Fontaine B. Humphries*, son of *Nancy Bowles Humphries*.