Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Hebburn VAS1475

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

I Samuel Templeman aged 76 years – a resident of the County of Westmoreland and State of Virginia do hereby Certify that I was well acquainted with William Hebburn of said County – the said Hebburn enlisted under Captain John Mazarett in this County for the term of three years and served his time out faithfully for I myself was in the service and had the opportunity of seeing him at different times during this service – the greater part of his time he was stationed at Hampton which place I frequently visited for the purpose of seeing him and the rest of my acquaintances and on one occasion we both came home together on furlough.

Given under my hand this 14th June 1834
S/ Samuel Templeman

[Attested in Westmoreland County Virginia June 14, 1831 with the affiant being referred to as the Reverend Samuel Templeman]

Report upon the claim of the heirs of William Hebburn a soldier of the State line for bounty land for his services

To the Governor

Sir:

This soldiers name has not been found on the Army register unless William Habron has been thus written full William Hebburn – William Habron was a Sergeant of the Artillery, and has received his certificate for the balance of his full pay, but has not received bounty land for his services.

Wm Hayborn received 22nd of April 1785 a certificate for £17.17.4 the balance of his full pay &c, which certificate was delivered to Thomas Landford (see Army Register C. L.) perhaps this was the ancestor of these Petitioners.

The facts which have been proven by the Petitioner by the testimony of very respectable witnesses are – that William Hebburn was a soldier of artillery in the company of Captain John Mazarett of the State Artillery – that he enlisted for the term of 3 years & served according to his

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enlistment – one of the witnesses was a soldier and served with him (see the affidavits of the Reverend Samuel Templeman and Richard Dozier).
I have nothing to add to these facts.

Respectfully submitted
John H Smith Commissioner &c
16th May 1835

To his Excellency the Governor of Virginia

The Memorial of Ellen and Sarah Hebburn both of County of Richmond and State of Virginia respectfully represent that they are the children and only heirs at law of the late William Hebburn who was a soldier in the revolutionary Army – that said Hebburn entered the service early in the revolution and served a considerable time as your memorialists have always heard & believed, but how long in what company or Regiment they are unable to say. They state that their father as they have understood resided in Westmoreland County when he enlisted in the service and that they are on acquainted with the manner of his leaving the service.

I Richard Dozier a resident of Westmoreland County and State of Virginia do hereby certify that I was well acquainted with William Hebburn of the Revolutionary War, the said Hebburn enlisted in this County under Captain John Mazzaret for the term of 3 years and left this County with said Mazzaret to my own knowledge and marched to [indecipherable] – and to the best of my belief he served his time out faithfully and then returned home to Westmoreland County from which he went and died.

Given under my hand this 29th of July 1834
S/ Richard Dozier

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Richard Dozier

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Ellen Hebburn

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Sarah Hebburn

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