To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the General Assembly


Sheweth. That some time in the Spring of 1779 the said Thomas Goodwyn was drafted from the Militia of the County of Charles City as a Soldier in the 9th Virginia Regiment, and continued therein until the time of his death which happened in the year 1780 or 1781 at the Hospital at Charlestown [Charleston SC]. that his death was occasioned by a wound he received at the Southward.

Your petitioner shews, that the said Thomas Goodwin during his life, received no pay or depreciation, nor the petitioner or any other person to his knowledge, since his decease for his services – and that his entering into the defence of his Country’s cause, is supported by two certificates, accompanying the present request [not found].

Humbly prays, that the Auditor of public Accounts may be [illegible word] directed to issue to your pet’r. the pay and depreciation due to the said Thomas Goodwin and he will &c.

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