State of Virginia Accomack County –

It remembered that William Wilburn of the said County aged about sixty-eight years this day personally appeared before me a justice of the peace in and for said County and made oath that during the revolutionary war he resided on Chincoteague in said County where the armed vessel called the "Accomack" belonging to the Virginia state Navy was usually stationed and commanded by Captain William Underhill – the deponent was frequently on board the said vessel and was generally acquainted with her officers & crew and particularly with David Murray who lived in the neighborhood of Chincoteague & who this deponent knows to have been sailing master's mate on board said vessel the whole time she was in service: this deponent cannot speak with absolute certainty as to the length of time he was in service, but it was from the time she was built until she was dismantled; a period of more than 3 years, and near the close of the war.

S/ Wm Wilburn

Accomack County to wit

This day the above William Wilburn personally appeared before me and made oath to the foregoing affidavit.

Given under my hand this 27th of September 1830

S/ Lewis L Joynes