

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Philip Eastin W9420  
Transcribed by Fred Weyler

Sarah Eastin

f96VA  
2/26/13

Eastin Philip

Sarah

VA

W9420 and BLWt 621-200

(p2 a certificate) Indiana 4405

Sarah Eastin dec<sup>d</sup> (sic)

Widow of Philip Eastin

Who died in the year 1817

Scott County IN

Was Lt of 4<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regt (no officers named)

2 years

(note-Heitman shows Pvt in 1777 then promotions to 1<sup>st</sup> Lt, ret 1783, abt 6 years service)

\$370/annum

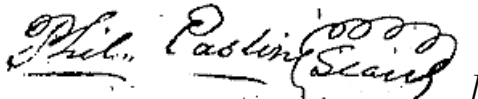
Note in margin names Mahala English, Sarah Read, Lucy Rawlings, Charles and Philip Eastin as the only children

(p4 & 5) faded declaration

*[Initialized text added by Will Graves p 4*

*Know all men by these presents that I Philip Eastin of the County Gallatin in the State of Kentucky do by these do authorized & in power my friend James Taylor of the County of Campbell in the State of Kentucky to ask for demand & receive from the Honorable William Eastis Secretary of War for the time being & his successors in office a warrant for 200 acres of land due me in consideration of my service as a Lieutenant in the Virginia Continental Regiment of the Revolutionary Army commanded by \_\_\_ to the end of the late War between the United States & Great Britain to the end of the late war. The said Warrant to be issued to the said James Taylor as assignee of me and on receipt of this said warrant to grant [?] the necessary acquittances [?] for the said Warrant and in acting as attorney for the purpose aforesaid to appoint & [indecipherable word] at his pleasure to make his or their appointment hereby ratifying & confirming whatever my said attorney or his substitute shall or may do in the premises.*

*As witness my hand & seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 1811.*



(p6) State of Indian

Scott County

Scott Circuit Court

Term of August 1846

Be it known that on the third day of August in the year 1846 personally appeared in open court William A English of lawful age and sound mind ho being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions by the act of Congress made, which said act passed ~~passed~~ July 4<sup>th</sup> 1836 and also the benefit of

provisions made by an act explanatory to said act passed March 3d 1837 and all other acts granting relief in such cases as the present by him presented. ----- That Sarah Smith and Philip Eastin were lawfully married on the eighteenth day of August in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty two (1782) in the County of Frederick and State of Virginia: That said Philip Eastin was a Lieutenant in the War of the American revolution in the Fourth Regiment Virginia Continental line

(p7) and served during the whole of said war. That they, the said Philip Eastin and Sarah Eastin (formerly Smith as afs<sup>d</sup>) lived together as husband and wife until the death of said Philip which took place in the year eighteen hundred & seventeen. That the said Sarah afterward lived in the year 1818 married one Alexander McIntire with whom she lived for some time when it appearing that the said Alexander had a former wife living, that said Sarah applied for a divorce in the State Circuit Court aforesaid (said Court being authorized to grant divorces) and that said divorce was granted and her marriage to said McIntire declared void at the July Term of said Court in the year One thousand eight hundred and twenty seven: - That she the said Sarah was a widow on the fourth day of July One thousand eight hundred and thirty six and continued a widow until her death which took place in the State of Indiana on the Twenty third day of July One thousand eight hundred and forty three leaving the following her only children her surviving all of whom were children of said Lieut Philip

(p8) Eastin, to wit: Mahala the wife of Elisha G English (who are the parents of the said William H English) Sarah, the wife of James K Read, Lucy, the wife of Eleazor Rawlings, Fanny, the wife of Frederick Frick, Charles Eastin, and Philip Eastin - - all of whom are still living. : That letters of administration were granted to him the said William H English by the proper Probate Court in said State of Indiana upon the estate of said Sarah Eastin etc etc etc

(p12 – 14 a letter summarizing the faded Eastin W9420 declaration and S.2007 William Horton 11Mar1936 to Mrs. Willard Bauer of Seneca SC, service record excerpts)

Philip Eastin enlisted in March 1776, was apptd Ensign in Capt Kirkpatrick's company 8<sup>th</sup> Va Regt, was Lt in 4<sup>th</sup> Va Regt, retired early in Jan 1783. Was living in Gallatin Co KY in 1811. Died in Jefferson Co IN in 1817.

William Horton of Charlotte Co VA enlisted Sep 1778, was QM Sgt for Capt Edmund Read and Maj John Nelson, was in battle of Green Springs, disch 09Sep1781. Re-entered and marched to Yorktown for siege and surrender of Cornwallis. Guarded prisoners to Fort Frederick MD and was discharged there. Pensioned \$180/annum 07Jun1832 in Gibson Co TN at age 72.

(to p 96 letters re/claims of the heirs)