

V^a L. Office, Richmond, June 21st 1852
Mayr. D. F. Heaton:

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 16th Inst. was recd. to day.
I have examined all the Wts. No. 9074. 9075, 9076. & 9077—
These four Warrants embrace all the Land due the
Heirs of Conway—Therefore if two sps. each for 9077—
one is a nullity—As you justly say, I have no doubt
that the No. 9077 assigned to me, long before the other was assigned
claims preference. & that the other warrant was null void
to all intents & purposes.

Bagby is I believe in Washington City at this time. He
thinks it is impossible that he could have assigned any other
No. 9077 except the one assigned to me—I wrote a letter
to the Comr. of the Land Office, by him, on the subject,
contending that we ought to have our patent.

Mr. Kendrick, is I am sure, entirely mistaken in suppo-
sing that I ever did request him to alter the assignment &
transfer it to No. 9076—I am positive he is mistaken &
beg that you will insert on his showing any letter
from me, authorizing him to change the assignment. I was
perfectly astonished when I was informed that I had assigned
any part of Wt. No. 9076 to you, when I never had any
interest whatever in said Warrant.

I am Dear Sir,

Yours most respectfully,
S. H. Parker

June 21. at 1852

J. H. Burdick

I have been thinking of you
 and of the time when you were
 in the city and of the
 many things that have happened
 since then. I hope you are
 well and happy. I am
 ever your friend,
 Wm. Lloyd Garrison

19th July 1862
 Henry Dace
 Secretary to the
 American Claims
 Commission 24 West 11th

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The last letter I recd from
 you last fall you remembered that you
 should be in Washington City in a
 few weeks and you would write me
 after your arrival. Having heard
 nothing from you I thought perhaps I had
 better address a letter to you at Portsmouth.
 This past winter Mr. Stanton Rep from
 the place to Congress came home and I inquired
 of him if he had seen you there or if you
 had been there - he had not seen you - he did
 think you had been there. In conversation
 with him I gave him some little history
 of the claim and requested him if he saw
 you to ask you to write me. Some few
 weeks after this I recd a line from
 him in which he stated he had found
 the subject matter in the files of the house &
 had it called up and referred to the Com on the
 subject. I immediately wrote to you
 it was not a pension claim so far as
 this reference without my requesting

Y^a L. Office, Richmond, July 29th 1852.
Major David F. Heaton:

My Dear Sir:

W^m. Bagby has inspected
The W^{ts} No 9077 at the G^o. L. Office, and is satisfied that
They issued from this Office, through mistake - He says that as
The Warrant last assigned, has gone into Patent, the Com^r.
will not go behind the Patent, and that consequently it excludes
more.

W^m. Bagby is about to assign another warrant. The procure
quently cont. in W^o. 9077 - How must we proceed now to get
the Patent? Would not the Surveyor, having made the
Survey, give another certificate in the same form - only changing
date of Entry, N^o. of W^{ts}. & date of Survey. I should suppose
he would do this, and save time & trouble. Let me hear
from you, if you please, without delay.

If Congress should pass the scrip bill, would it be better
to sell the W^{ts}, or obtain the Patent? An answer is
desired.

I am D^r Sir,
Yours very respectfully,
S. H. Parker

Received July 29. 1852
J. W. Parker -

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PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, Aug 2

1852

SIR:

The claim of *Jonathan Boyd & others*
for Bounty Land, under the Act of September 28, 1850, has been received, and will be
attended to as soon as practicable, of which you will be duly informed. It is therefore
respectfully requested that every applicant will wait a reasonable time before making ap-
plication to know what has been done in relation to his or her claim.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

JAMES E. HEATH,

Commissioner.

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Portsmouth
Ohio

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Washington
Bounty Land

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JAMES E. HEATH,

Commissioner.

*Received of the Pension Office
the sum of \$100.00
for the claim of Jonathan Rogers
to other for Bounty Land
under the Act of September 28, 1850
this 1st day of August 1852*

J. F. Heath
Commissioner
Aug 3

June Low Sept 29 1832
Mr. L. F. Heaton

Dear Sir I am very
anxious to know where that land is
located at and if it has come on the
Books as taxable land. Mr. Gordon was at
Portsmouth to see the land and to pay
the tax and you were not there, and he
could not do any thing. you informed
me the land was located on Turkey Creek
it was then located on Twin Creek
Gordon showed your letter to the Clerk
and he advised him not to pay the
tax. Supposing you had moved the
location from twin to Turkey Creek and
had not entered it on the Books. Therefore
I want you to let me know where the
land is located and who to send the
money to for the taxes. you will please send
me a plot of the land so that I can find
the land when I go to see it if you should
not be at home.

P.S. I expect to be
there this fall

Yours truly
H. P. Francis

Camden N. J. Sept 28. 1832

Wm. Foxworth.

Re. Letter to the

Board of the Office of the Secretary

of the State of New Jersey

of the 1st of

September 1832

Orange Springs Va Sept 24th - 1852

Dear Sir

I have been expecting to receive a letter from you for a long time relative to meeting you in Washington, but as yet have had no information from you and have concluded that you did not come on to Washington as you expected, When you wrote me last you stated that the taxes on the land you located for me would not be due until this fall, I wish the taxes paid and run no risk, about the land being forfeited, write me immediately on the receipt of this and inform me what amount of money will do to pay the taxes and all other claims, if any on the land, I wish to know whether you ever located and obtained a patent for the 100 acre warrant I sent you belonging to Lancelot Barnes, the warrant was for the service of John Almon and the warrant endorsed by Almon, if the warrant has not been located you can return it, as it will be equal to scrip if the State of Virginia releases all claims to the military district in Ohio. I am anxious to go on the land you located for me and have the lines traced and would like to get you to do it. I would like to come out in Nov. if you do so. Yours very respectfully

William C. Moon senr

P.S. I have received the patent from the Land Office for the survey you located for me

W. C. Moon senr

P.S. I have written to Mr Jones relative the Conway land sold for taxes, I send Mr Jones a check on a bank in New York for twenty nine dollars fifty five cents to redeem the land in April last and have heard from him since his letter acknowledging the receipt of the check, be so good as to attend to this matter for me
Yours Jr.

W. C. Moon senr

George Thompson Nov 24th 1852

Dear Sir

I have been expecting to receive a letter from you for long time relating to settling your in Washington but as yet I have had no information from you and have concluded that your letter had come to Washington as you expected. When your letter comes last year, state that the taxes on the land you

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V^o L. Office, Richmond, Sept. 29.th 1852.
Major D. F. Heaton:

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 11th Inst. was rec^d. to day.
It must have arrived at the Red Sulphur Springs, a few
days after I left them.

The Patent for our Lands in Scioto County, was rec^d. yesterday,
so that it is now out of my power to comply with your advice,
relative to the suspending of operations, so far as those war-
rants are concerned.

When you next write to me, be pleased to inform me how
far our Patented Lands lie from the Town of Portsmouth, &
also when the Taxes must be paid and the amt^t. thereof.

I am Dear Sir:

Yours most respectfully,
S. H. Parker

Wednesday 29th Feb. 1862
St. Paul.

My dear friend

1. How far away is your ^{actual} home?
2. The amount of salary?
3. When they should be paid?

Yours
Answered 15th Nov.

Delaware Oct 6th 1832

Dear fr.

You may think I am
taxing you with too many letters
but I am anxious to know what
answer you recd from Vinton & Goddard
whether they will undertake to aid
in the collection of our claim against
the Gov. and if they accept the
proposition made them &c &c

Genl Scott in our region I think will
carry the victory, how it is else when I
can only guess - rather think the people
will conclude he deserves a reward
for faithful services rendered his Country
in the hour of trial - I have no
objection to paying the postage on your
letters if you will inform me from time
to time how the subject matters in the intro-
duction of this letter progresses

Truly Yours &c
Henry Dunc

Feb 6 1852

2 Dec.

Referring to

The cat-drummer and

John W. Alden

Richmond, Oct. 12th 1850
Mayor D. F. Heaton Esq.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 29th ult.
was received to day, and the information given,
is highly gratifying. It is believed the scrip bill
will pass at the ensuing session - I will confer
with you on the subject in due time, and as you
will remain in Washington during the whole session,
will endeavor to have the pleasure of a personal
interview with you.

I am Dear Sir,

Yours most truly,
S. H. Parker

Richmond, Va. 12 Oct 1850
S. H. Parker
Relating to
scrip and for which it
will pay and will pay
highly gratifying to
S. H. Parker

Oct 12th 1852

Meadville Crawford County Pa

Major J. F. Heaton

Dear Sir this is to inform you that I have received the Patent for the Hundred acres of land which you located for me in Sciota County Ohio I would be much obliged to you if you would give me the necessary information with regard to its being taxed and where I must pay them I would also ask you to give me a description of the land how it is timbered and what it may be considered worth at present and if any settlement or roads be near to it how far does it lie from the river and what distance from Portsmouth is there any sawmill near to it I wish to dispose of it and would like to know how to describe it to any person wishing to purchase it by giving me an answer to the above you will

Much Oblige your friend

James Porter

Meadville Pa 12 Feb 1852

James Porter - Thanks
for answer - how far is land
from Portsmouth -
quality - timber - &c

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Wm



Major David J. Heaton
Jasper Ohio

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130
170
300

Portsmouth Nov 26. 1852
D. H. Heaton Esq
Sir

Mr James Foster,
has left with us eighty dollars according
to agreement, & wishes you to forward to
us his note & money. As he wishes them
surrendered -

Pickett

Q.

Yours Very Truly
Dugan & Mackay
& Elliott & King

Apr 26 1862

Duane & McWay
Large Albany Clockcase
Deposited \$80 for me

Wheatley, Decemr. 4th 1852

Major W. F. Heaton

Sir,

Will you be kind enough to give me some information in regard to the land warrant in the name of ^{my wife} Mary J. Payne as one of the heirs of Thomas Keith dec'd. which was placed in your hands together with several others to have layed and patented. Please inform me what has been done with the warrant, has it been layed and patented, if so what has become of the patent. Having heard nothing from you upon the subject for some time, I am at a loss to know & cannot conceive the reason. I have not received the patent before this.

Let me hear from you immediately on receipt of this. direct to Wheatley Va.

Very respy

James Payne

Wheatley Va. 4 Dec 1852

Samuel Payne & Hea

ing to his wife Anne Heaton

Heaton, lawyer to -

Heaton is at home -

Heaton writes him again, at

Washington - for a new app

- you must be

Ohio

Fortsmouth

Major W. F. Heaton

Wheatley Va
Dec. 4th 1852

Va. L. Office, Richmond, Jan'y 29th 1853
Major David F. Neaton:

Sir:

I hope you will excuse me for thus troubling you. I have heard such conflicting descriptions concerning the character of the Land in that part of the County of Scioto, in which ours lies, that I am induced to ask you one question—Is the land tolerably well timbered, and is it not very liable to depredation?

Where have you located the Balance of the W^t sent to you? It was agreed between us that the warrants should be located & that I should have $\frac{3}{4}$ & you the remainder with the surplus. Be please to answer this soon & oblige.

Yours very respectfully
S. H. Parker

P. S. What has become of
W^t No 9320 for 121 acres
sent to you on 2nd Dec. 1851?

Providence the 29 Jan 1853
of Mr Parker -

As to having the
the quantity of the
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Enclosed -

Columbus 30th Jan 1868.

Dear Judge

You will please Deposit the money you mentioned, in The Branch Bank of this place and take a certificate of Deposit for the amount in my name and for word the same to me at ~~partments~~ ^{con of Dyer} and I will acknowledge the receipt and have it properly credited on one of your notes. I hope you will be able to ~~make~~ make up 500 dollars according to your expectation as that amount would enable me to get along without borrowing at a high rate of interest, until April or May.

With great respect

Yours &c

D. F. Weston

Wm John & Corwin.

Columbia Bldg '33
~~St. Louis~~

It is under
German Relations
to many months

Pa L. Office, Richmond, Feb. 17th 1833
Mayor W. F. Heaton:

D Sir:

Yours of the 8th Inst was
rec^d. to day & I return you my thanks for the infor-
mation given. I cannot at this time determine
whether to have the Patent cancelled or not. I
doubt also whether we could have it now cancelled.
You will be pleased to return to me the III and IV.
Can you inform me what would be the best course
to pursue to prevent a depredation on the timber &c.
If it is tolerably well timbered, and the head of
the Depredator could be traced, I should think the
Land would increase in value.

I am D Sir:

Yours most respectfully
S. W. Parker.

Reckonment 21st July. 1863
of St. Pauline.

Must be wrong
about it. But the memory
of observations on his count
cannot be about it.

Unaccounted and narrow
recesses of the mind.

Dec 21 1853.

My Dear

Wants to
know if I have heard
the evidence of Mr. Weston
at Exeter in relation
to the dinner claim -

Delaware Feb 18th 1853

Dear fr

If you have not succeed in
getting Mr. Norton & Goddard to try to secure
the Claims of John Sumner Heirs and have
given up the matter you may still you be so good
as to have the papers that are on file in Congress
sent to me at Delaware. They so
much oblige you &c

Henry Duc

It seems that the Whigs are all rowed
up Salt River this is a strange world.

Orange Springs Va Paid 3
Feb 23

Major David H. Spaton
Pike County
Ohio

Orange Springs Va
Feb 23
Received by
John Almon
and returned to
me

Orange Springs Va Feb 22-53nd

Dear Sir

I intended writing you before this relative the Land warrant of Lancelot Burrus, the Legislature of Virginia has passed the law releasing all claim to the nullated lands in the Va Military district in the State of Ohio and Ohio can be obtained at Washington in view of the warrant by filing the evidence upon which the warrant was issued provided it was issued according to law I have not the least doubt but the warrant to John Almon was strictly issued according to law as I have heard frequently while a boy my father say that John Almon was a good soldier and served a considerable time in the Revolutionary War, but to obtain the scrip you will have to get a copy of the evidence upon which the warrant was issued which I suppose will cost about a dollar and a half As you have kindly attended to the lands of Julia H. Conway without charge I will pay the expence at Richmond on Burrus' warrant for you. I do not recollect the No. of the warrant nor what Company or Almon belonged but write me the necessary information and I will write immediately to Richmond and get a copy of the evidence &

mail to you where you may direct the sooner
this matter is attended to the better as warrants
are now selling, ^{well} I have recently obtained the evi-
-dence on two warrants and forwarded on to Washington

You have never sent me the true distances
and courses of the land located for me, in the
event of your death or mine I could only get the
the two hundred and fifty Acres instead of about
Six hundred as your letter states and as Under-
stood and agreed on by us including the Surplus,
which is a very important thing to me, do send
me on the courses and true distances immedi-
ately I wish to have the land Surveyed and all
difficulty at an end I wish to sell the land and
must know the courses and true distances, I
must urge the compliance immediately on
your part, do write me immediately fully on
the above subjects and direct to Orange
Springs Orange County Fla.

Yours very Respectfully
Wm. C. Moore Senr.



Pa L. Office, Richmond, March 22nd 1853.
Major David F. Heaton:

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 15th Inst. was
rec'd a day or two ago.

D^r. Helm informed me just before the receipt of your letter,
that you said, a Rail Road was about to be made, which
would run through our Tract of Land. Is this so? if it
be, be pleased to say so.

I think it very reasonable to allow you Eleven acres, of the
warrant returned.

My Dear Sir; be so kind as to inform me whether lands
lying near Portsmouth, are increasing in value or not.

In haste, Y^{rs}. Obedt,

J. H. Parker



Washington Nov. 23 1853

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 18th inst.
and in reply to inform you
that the same has been
forwarded to the
proper authorities for
their consideration.

Washington City, May 27. 1833

Sir

I want some information, and know of no man in your section that I would sooner ask, it of, than yourself, and I hope to make it to the advantage of both of us. Can you in any way find out, whether, Joseph Fawcett, Adam Runyan; and Reuben Smith, of Vernon township, & Henry Baker old Revolutionary Soldiers are still in the land of the living, in your County: and also, Miller Robbins of Laurence County, Union Township; and George Bowen; James M^r Daniel, James Andrews, Walter Davis & Mary Guilder, widow of Daniel Guilder, in Jackson County, and Ann Mansfield, widow of Thos of Athens Co^{ty}. All of the above are entitled to Pensions if living, and by a little exertion on our part, may be secured to prosecute their claims; very little money in any one case is wanted. Now can you by any means get them to give you & myself a Power of attorney to prosecute them, if so, do it, without delay, & make the best bargain you can with them. I am in possession of the facts necessary to be proved, that I feel satisfied they can give, but I must receive something for my information; and if they can prove, all that is wanting, let them give a reasonable fee, and if I fail, I charge, or we charge nothing. That I think is fair. Let me hear from you as soon as you can give any information. I am too much engaged, to say more, except for the last ten days, I have sent out, about 80 letters a day to Rev Claimants, to let them know I do not write more than one or two lines, we can make this thing pay

Yours truly
P. F. Heaton

P. F. Heaton Esq

Washington May 21 1853

A. M. P. B. - Wants in
formation relating to
Pension Claims &c

Answer

Satthoro Island of Cuba June 1 1853

David D. Heaton Esq.
Chillicothe State of Ohio

Dear Sir

I had the honour of writing you some time past relative to a tract of land laying in Hocking County, State of Ohio, belongin to the heirs of Mr. Felix Antonio Whitbert Colonel of the Corps of Engineers in the Revolutionary war of the United States of America, and as I am authorized to make information of the circumstances relative to the transfer to whom and the date of said transfer and by whom transferred my intention was to be in the United States before this time but business prevented me, and to collect such paper deposited in Phila^a which I shall require in this occasion the tapes was paid for number of years by Messrs. Guion & Brown of Philadelphia, you will please give me the information solicited of you, and in case I should decline going to the States if you would accept a power of attorney, to transact and investigate the validity of transfer. Said to have been main aid to conclude the affair, my son then the late James Marshall of Washington recommended me to you, this letter got enclosed to ^{Miss Eleanor Marshall my niece} though his you may forward your letter. Miss Eleanor Marshall City of Washington, I have been informed that there is a village on part of those lands, you will please give me all the information aboves requested, and your particular address, you will excuse me for the liberty I have taken, if I can be of any service to you in this quarter you may command my services

Cuba June 1 1853.
W. Marshall

Residing in land
in Hocking County in the
care of Felix Antonio
Whitbert of the Revolution
at

Most worthy of
Heaton or in June 1853



Chillicothe
State of Ohio
David D. Heaton Esq.

Remain Dear Sir with the highest respect

Yours very

Obt. Servant

J. H. Marshall

P. S. I have in my possession the last will & testament
of the late C. Whitcomb -

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Original
1851

Warrenton

July 24th Va.
1853.

Dear Sir:

Why is it we can't have
our interests in Land Warrant No 9175
finally settled? I cannot consent to leave
this thing open and unsettled any
longer, and you will oblige me by
doing what is requisite to make the
title to my son J Caleb Smith who
is now in from California, and who
will execute the requisite authority
for your part.

Respectfully Yours

Wm Smith



Received
July 24th 1853

Dear Sir:
Copy is of our coat of arms
and is sent to you in
enclosed packet. I cannot
send it by mail as it is
too large and heavy. It
will be sent by express
and I enclose a bill for
the same. I am very
truly yours
J. M. Smith

Wm. M. Smith

Grange Springs Va July 26-53

Dear Sir

I have been anxiously expecting a letter from you for a long time, but as yet have received no communication from you. I saw Lancelot Barnes Esq. on yesterday who was very anxious to hear from the Land ^(warrant) for one hundred acres, which you had proposed to get scrip for, so write me immediately on the receipt of this and inform me what you have done in the matter, Mr. Barnes is anxious to get scrip for the warrant & is looking principally to me, scrip is now worth \$1.12 as I have been lately informed. You have never yet sent me the true courses and distances of the land you located for me, if you do not, the surplus taken up will not benefit me at all, so send me the true courses and distances as soon as possible. so write immediately on the receipt of this, also inform me what my land is worth now per acre.

Yours very respectfully.

William C. Moon sent

Majr D. H. Heaton
Pike ton
Ohio

July 25th 1853

Jm C Moore -

Relating his Land
& Mr. Henry Warrick

Received a Warrant
sent to him to get the
assignment perfected

Wm C Moore
Jm C Moore
Jm C Moore

General Land Office:
August 10th 1853.

Sir

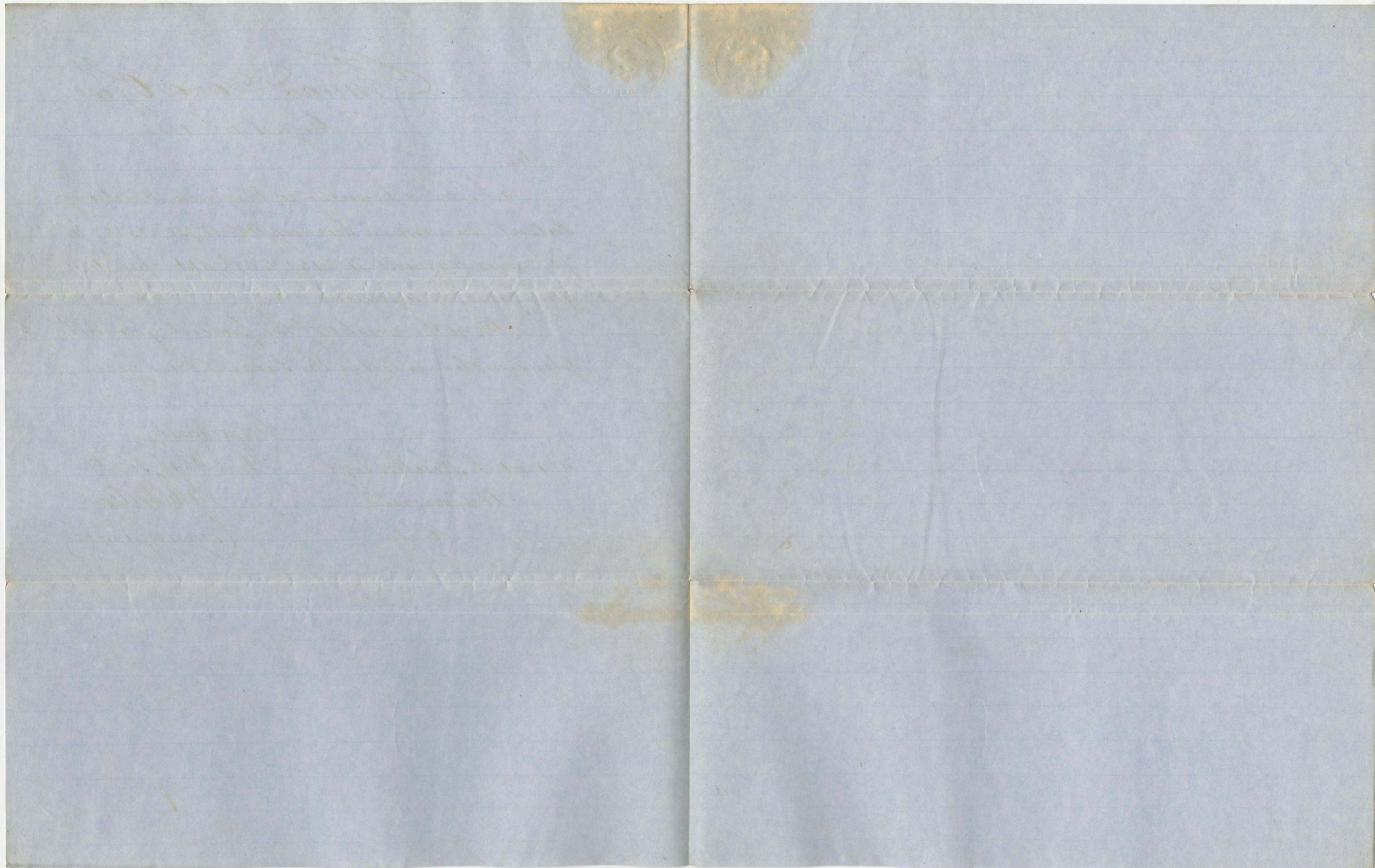
I enclose herewith a Virginia Military
Patent, founded on Survey Nos. 15730, & 13297, for
72½ acres, Warrants Nos. 167, & Ex^{ts} 546, issued in
your favor, as assignee.

Upon the receipt of the patent you will
please acknowledge the same to this Office,

David F. Heaton Esq.
Portsmouth
Ohio.

Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.,
John Wilson
Commissioner

August 18, 1853
Genl Land Office
Military Patent
for 72.000 ac. Recd. &
Paid Oct. -



Chillicothe Sept 10/53

Maj Heaton Sir

Send me the
questions to be put to our witnesses
Mrs Mc Gibbons in relation to the
Lynch letter.

Yours Respectfully
Maj Heaton

Robt Rowlandson

Sept 10, 1853

Arthur Howland
relating to the
Circumstances -

Chillicothe Sept 12th 1853
Maj Heath & Son

I have just
recd a letter from my agt in
Canada in relation to the Leuch
letter, he informs me that he went
to see Mr Campbell who is the person
that John Leuch wrote to in 1794.
he Campbell after seeing a copy
of the Leuch letter and being conversed
with on the subject by some old
acquaintances from Killeen Scotland
he now remembers having recd the
letter from Leuch in relation to
the lands that he Leuch purchased
in Ohio in 1784. I wish you to
write me immediately and state fully
what questions you wish answered
by your witness as he is a very old
man, the sooner the better he is 85
years of age. I intend sending the
Leuch letter on to Canada to have
Campbells deposition attached to it
and then we are all right and ready
for the General Land Office

Sept 12th 1853
Robert Campbell
Relating to the
Leuch letter
Heath & Son

at Washington City.

May I expect your answer
soon? I wrote you some two
or three days ago. ~~that~~ I have
not your surname. But hope
you will see this.

Yours Respectfully

Robt. Roulston

NB It will be of no use to have
the deposition of the (old Lady
the heir) with regard to the
Leuch letter. As Mr Campbell will
be sufficient I suppose

RR

Charleston S Co 26 Sept 1833

To
The late Mr. Heiber now my wife begs me
to Enquire of you, if you know any
thing of certain land warrant in me
or the late Heiber. I have for 196 acres
of land being in this, The truth the
warrant was in Mr. Heiber's possession, but at
that time he is not able to place his
hand on any paper giving his title
to the title.

I am well & pleased to give you all
the information as to our title to that or
any other tract of land that she may
have a claim to in Ohio & she has been
informed that a tract near Plympton will be
sold this winter for the taxes, which ought
to be attended to. But we ought first to know
most clearly by what title we hold.
Now if the land warrant has been
patented we leave it to subject to
taxes, you see we are not informed on the
subject and must beg of you all the information
you have on the matter. I expect to leave this
place in the latter part of next month for
Florida & would be obliged to you to hear
from you as soon as possible.



Wm. Heiber
Ohio

Charleston S.C. 26. Sept. 1833
Wm. Heiber
Relating to his
wife and land warrant
Heiber or
Heiber

Va L. Office. Richmond, Sept. 27. 1853.
Mayor D. F. Heaton:

My Dear Sir:

Will you have
the kindness to inform me whether the Taxes
have been regularly paid on our Land and
send me the Acad. or Treasurers Receipts for
the same & the amt. will be remitted to you.

What will you take for your small interest
in the Tract - Say, whether a railroad will
pass through it or not, and when - I give me
any information concerning it that you can.
Be sure to inform me whether it is nearly as
valuable as D. Helms, whether it is treated
like his is. Don't forget this part of the commu-
nication and you will oblige.

Yours truly,

J. H. Parker.

M.B. Answer as soon as possible
& inform me how W. Southall, com-
stands - he is anxious to know

Document No. 2: 1857
of the American - North
to give him a description
of his land by a
document

Washington City, Oct 19. 1833

Sir,

Will you do me the favour to inform me, where a
man by the name of Jacob Moore, a Revolutionary Pensioner, lives
in your County, or did, some years ago, and if not there, & is
dead of the residence of his heirs - We have nothing new of interest
here, but jogging along in the old ways

Very truly Yours
Wm. Ruff

D. F. Heaton, Esq
Portsmouth

Ohio



Washington Co. N.Y. 1853
Rev. Mr. H. B. -
Attorney at Law
Boston & vicinity
More of this county

David of Peaton Esq.
Atty at Law
Portsmouth
Ohio



Thanner Bros. Swann

Dear Sir

After leaving you I concluded to have my old lines up the creek run out so that a correct plat could be made and the true quantity ascertained, also wish the lower line run out to the county line it will not be necessary to run the county line as we can estimate the quantity without. Be so good as to attend to this the first time you come down I wish it done before Christmas and send me a plat of the true lines and distance stating that the Survey is correct also stating the true quantity the Survey contains, by which plat I wish to sell the land, it is very important that this be done soon as I can not sell to advantage until it is done, I think it is your duty to do what I have requested above at your own expence. I left a letter with Mr. William Cooper on Swann Creek requesting the Survey &c. Write me as soon as the Survey is completed and send the plat &c as required. As soon as you get to Washington write me & I will send on Burned' warrant & probably may have some other business for you to attend to. Col Macraeny told me you would be at Portsmouth this week present my best regards to him. Yours very respectfully
William C. Moore ^{fully} Sent



Dec 2 1853

Amos Moore

Wrote to our dining
club of his drawing &
estimated the new quantity

Maple St. N. Weston
Dorchester
Ohio

Portsmouth

Ohio

Mrs. J. H. Norton

I y the best shakes, so badly, that I hardly
write, but suppose you can make out to
read it. Mr. K. Moore your

Mr. J. Moore Dear