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Miss Florence I. Lawton,

Hampton, South Carolina.

My dear Cousin Florence:

I was very glad to get your letter of June 1st, and I will certainly try to attend any re-union which may be gotten up but, since there are so few of us in Georgia and so many in South Carolina whose names and addresses I do not know, I will have to ask that some one else be given the job of getting up the re-union.

Your letter was my first news that Joseph Lawton, who was my great-great-grandfather, was an officer in the Revolutionary Army, and I am very glad indeed to hear it. I think, however, that Georgia Patriotic Societies, such as the Sons of the Revolution and the Society of the Cincinnati, would not take any interest in doing anything about him, as he was a South Carolinian. The South Carolina Sons of the Revolution and Cincinnati are the only ones I can think of who would be interested in acting and I believe the latter would not be interested unless Joseph Lawton was member of the Society or an officer whose service was such thatit could form the basis for membership in the cincinnati.

Of course, I have no approach to the Carolina Sons of the Revolution, but I have no doubt that there are plenty of Lawtons in South Carolina who are members.

Very sincerely yours,

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