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Subject: VA 1782 Docs on ROMINES ~
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Virginia Historical Magazine, vol 28, p346-353, 1920.
(A Section titled "PRESTON PAPERS, from the originals
in the Virginia State Library)

(1)
Col. William Preston to a Collector, Nov. 12, 1782.
Montgomery S. C. T.

Whereas by a Return made this Day by John Charlton, Collector of 45th
Division of Militia of this county, it appears that several have failed to pay
their proportion of a Tax imposed by a late act of assembly for the purpose of
recruiting this States Quota of Troops to serve in the Continental Army. You
are hereby authorized and required to collect by Distress & Sale of their
Property, as in the case of Parish and county Leevies the following Sum
annexed to each Persons name that is to say from LOTTIN ROMAINE 1/3, Benjamin
Donathan 1/3, William Lawson 2/6 & John Wylie 1/6; & return the same to me on
or before the 20th of November this Instant & this shall be your Warrant for
so doing.

Given under my hand this 12th day of Nov'r 1782.

Wm Preston

To the collector to Execute & make Return
(Endorsement) Charltons return of his Collection

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(2)
George Peary to Col. William Preston, Dec. 17, 1782.
Sir

I have sent by the bearer Wm Kavanaugh the District money for Alegate &
Langley & as for Arain Dooley, Charles Cidwell, JOHN G. RUNION & Thomas
Stanton, They are not in this County nor hant bin sence Last Spring & I
understand ALL BUT RUNIAN HAD THIRE FAMLEYS IN BEDFORD COUNTY & was trying to
Shift Duty when they were hear. So I can do no more & I shall humbly thank
you for a Clearance for this Part of Duty.

I am Sir your Humble Ser't.

George Peary

Dec'er the 17th 1782

To Col Wm Preston

(Endorsement) Geo. Pearys'
ab't Collection
1782

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Does anyone know the LOTTIN (Layton?) ROMAINE or
JOHN G. RUNION (Romine?) above?

(3)
List of the Fines Received for the Bounty of Soldiers before the 20th of Dec'r
1782, with the names of the collectors & No. of each Division):
[only surnames related to Romines are listed here]

23.	Moses JOHNSON	0 - 7 - 9
28.	Robert DAVIS	6 - 3 - 5
45.	William DAVIS	4 - 9 - 10
60.	Jeremiah PATE	2 - 6 - 8
64.	Robert DAVIS	2 - 2 - 11

List of sums pd by collectors

(Endorsement)

Letters to the Governour & Col Davis, Dec. 19th, 1782, about
the Collection & a memo Commissions----

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Who on Romine-L is following the PATES ?
What does S. C. T. stand for in Letter (1) above?

Jan

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