

Reuben Seay's Military & Pension Record R9359 provides information as follows: An affidavit, duly sworn to by James Seay, on December 29, 1845, states Reubin Seay was at the siege of Little York (Yorktown) and was in an entrenchment when the walls blew out injuring said Reubin Seay's eyes sorely. His eyes grew worse until within a few years he lost his sight completely and remained blind until his death.'

Mathew Seay made an affidavit, dated November 20, 1847, stating his father, Reubin Seay, came to Spartanburg Co. from Amelia Co., Virginia in the year 1805. He also swears to the date of the death of his father, giving as reason for remembering the date as being a few days before he and Prestly (Presley)Ballenger commenced a mill dam.'

Mathew Seay, in a statement sworn to in open court in Spartanburg, states he was 56 years of age in 1846. "...And that there were three children older than Mathew and seven younger that survived the father Reubin Seay."

Abstracts of Rev. War Pension Files Vol III N-Z Seay, Reuben, Mary Ann, VA Line, R9359, soldier lived in Amelia Co Va at enlistment; soldier marr. Mary Ann (- -) in 1780 & soldier died 19 Mar 1833 & his wife Mary Ann died 16 Mar 1845 leaving children; Hezekiah Seay, Mary Bishop, Martha Brannon, Mathew Seay, Samuel Seay, Sarah Taylor, Juda Brannon, James Seay, Elizabeth Dancey, Lucy Blackwell & Reuben Seay & all lived in Spartanburg Dist SC except Hezekiah & Reuben Seay who both lived in TN & Lucy Blackwell & Sarah Taylor who both lived in GA. Proved by Syrus Seay, 20 April 1833