Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to David Brookes VAS2678 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

I do Certify that David Brookes a Soldier in Colo. Gists [Nathaniel Gist BLWt1874-500] Detachment of the Virg'a Line has Servd. the full term for which he was Inlisted & is hereby Discharg'd from the Service, that he has rec'd his pay in Continental Currency up to the last of November One thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Nine Since which he has rec'd only two Dollars in Specie from the D. Comsy Gen'l [Deputy Commissary General] of Prisoners, at Cha's Town [Charleston SC].

Given Under my hand at Williamsburg the 25th Day of July 1781. Copy/ B Stark John Gillison [W7530] Capt.

D Stephenson [David Stephenson BLWt2057-400] Maj'r

Sen'r Officer preasent V. L.

I hereby Certify that [the rest missing at bottom of page.]

David Brookes is entitled to the Proportion of land allowed a private of the Continental line for the War

I assign the within to Mr. George W Foster

I assign the within to Thomas G[?]

George W Foster

please to let Mr. George W Foster have a Land Warrant for me Sir

To Colo Tho. Merryweather [sic: Thomas Meriwether]

Sir please to let Thomas Green have a land warrant for me

To Colo. Tho Merryweather

George W Foster

Gairs Brother

Jand Burns

I do certify that David Brookes a Soldier of the Virg. Line in Colo Guests Detachment Inlisted the 18th Day of August 1777 and was Discharged the 25tth Day of July 1781.

(Copy/ B Stark)

Hezekiah Morton [BLWt69-300] Capt 8 V.R./ May 17th 1783