Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Whitaker VAS4942 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

I do hereby Certify that John Whitaker a Soldier in Colo. Gists [Nathaniel Gist BLWt1874-500] detachment of the Virginia Line has served the full Time for which he was inlisted and is here by discharged from the service that he has Received his pay in Continental currency up to the last day of November one thousand seven hundred & seventy nine, since which has only rece'd two dollars in Specie from the Comsy Gen'l [Commissary General] of prisoners in Charles Town [Charleston SC, surrendered on 12 May 1780] Given under my hand at Williamsburg Twenty fifth July 1781.

John Gillison Capt [W7530] Com'd 3 Bat'n David Stephenson [BLWt2057-400] Maj.

A Copy H Randolph

Sir Mr. Thos. Gibson is to obtain a warrant for the land due me as a Contenantal Soldier. You will please to deliver him a Certificate for the same I am yr. mo. ob't To Clerk Council John Whitaker

I do certify that John Whitaker inlisted him self with me the 20th of Aug't one thousand seven hundred & seventy seven to serve in the Continental Army for the Term of three years Aug't 18th 1783 H. Morton Capt. [Hezekiah Morton BLWt69-300] 8th V Regm't

A Copy H Randolph Rec'd a Certif for John Whitaker's land warr't. Th. Gibson