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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Huse VAS1680 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

This is to Certify that William Huse Inlisted with me the 10th day of February 1777 to serve in the Navy Service as Gunner and served Three years as Gunner and discharged his duty truly and faithfully and is hereby discharged.

Given under my hand this 10 day of February 1780 S/ John Thomas, Captain Protector Galley

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J Pendleton Junior

[Note: the file also contains what appears to be and assignment by the veteran of his wages and land warrant dated in January 1783, but the image of the document (set forth below) renders most of the words illegible. What I think I see as the text is as follows:

I do hereby authorize [indecipherably faint word or words] Blackwell to [indecipherable word] all the wages due me from this Country for my service in the Navy for [several indecipherable words] land Warrant] [several indecipherable words] this I day of January 1783.

Test: S/William W.? S/William Huse

