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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Miller VAS686 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

William Miller in the first Virginia State Regiment having served as a true and faithful Soldier in Captain Rucker's [Angus Rucker's] Company the term of three years for which he was enlisted and is hereby discharged the service. Given under my hand this 21st of December 1779.

S/ John Allison Lt. Col. Comdt.

Gentleman

Please to settle my pay and Depreciation and land and Deliver the Certificates to William Slaughter Junior and youl [you will?]

Deliver them to Mr. Slaughter

Oblige yours &c William Miller, W his mark

S/ David Gray

I George Scott Justice of the Peace for the County of Berkeley do hereby Certify that William Miller of said County did sign the above order. Given under my hand this 10th day of June 1786 S/ Geo. Scott

Entitled to Depreciation from the first March 77 to the 21st December 81 if not settled. July 1, 1886

S/ T. Meriwether [Thomas Meriwether

Copy S/ Southall