## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James Mitchell VAS705 Transcribed by Will Graves

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## [From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

This is to Certify that James Mitchell enlisted himself a Regular soldier the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1776 to serve three years in the 14<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment now the 10<sup>th</sup> from the date of his enlistment which time he has faithfully and honorably served and is worthy of notice for which he is hereby discharged from first January 1777

Given under my hand this first day of January in the year 1780 S/ John Webb, Lieutenant Colonel, 5<sup>th</sup> Regiment

Genuine

S/ Ab. Crump Comdt.

A Copy

S/ Php. Southall

The auditors of public accounts will pleas to deliver the certificate for arrears and depreciation of pay due me as a soldier in the Virginia Continental line to Andrew Rogers who is hereby authorized to settle my account for the same.

Test

S/ M. Carrington

S/ James Mitchell March 16<sup>th</sup>, 1785

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S/ Php. Southall