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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Ralph Murray VAS795 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

The bearer hereof Ralph Murray soldier in Captain Robert Vance's Company of the 9th Virginia Regiment is hereby discharge from the same, he having served the term of three years, the time for which he first enlisted and I do hereby certify that during the above time has behaved as a good honest faithful Soldier

Given under my hand at Fort Pitt June [could be January] the first 1780 S/ Jno. Gibson, Colo [John Gibson, Colonel] 9th Virginia Regiment

To all whom it may concern

Copy S/J. Pendleton Jr.