Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Dedrick Leman VAS886 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

Certified that Dedrick Leman [looks more like "Lemon" to me] Inlisted in the Virginia Line the 18th of June 1777 for the War, & still continues in actual Service – Given under my hand at the place & date above.

S/ Sam. Baskerville, Lt 1st Virga. Regt. [Samuel Baskerville]

The above noted Soldier enlisted for the War in the State Legion and afterwards for three years in the Continental line.

S/ P. Muhlenberg BG [Peter Muhlenberg Brigadier General]

