Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Record of Thomas Horsefield (Horsfield) BLWt12180 Transcribed by Will Graves

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Va. Horsefield, Thomas or Horsfield

B. L. Wt. 12180, issued 1789

By virtue of a Power of Attorney from James Alexander, who is the Assignee of William Robinson, who was Assignee of Robert Wiley, who was Assignee of Thomas Horsefield who was a Sergeant in the Virginia Line of the late Revolutionary Army, – I acknowledge to have received from the War Office of the United States, a Land Warrant No. 12,180, dated the 5th of November 1789, which was originally issued to him, the said Thomas Horsefield, for his portion of United States Military Bounty-Land, – and which warrant was afterwards deposited in the said War Office by William Alexander Esquire

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