

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Virginia Bounty-Land Claim of John Eatherington VAS1316  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

[From [bounty-warrant records in the Library of Virginia](#) catalogued as Ethrington, John.]

I do hereby certify that John Ethrington a Soldier in Colo. John Nevills detachment of the Virginia Line has served the full term of three years for which he was inlisted & is now hereby discharged from the service – / Given from under my hand at Williamsburg 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1781 [last digit unclear].

John Stith Capt Comm'dt

Copy Wm. Lyne CB.A

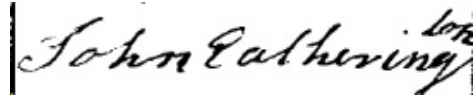
D Stephenson Major/ Sen'r Off'r. present Virg'a. Line

To the audaters

Pleas to send my land warrant by Thomas Toals [sic: Thomas Towles] from your humble sir

Test/ Agness [last name illegible]                      march 15 1785

John Eatherington

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John Eatherington". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background. The name is written in a fluid, connected style typical of the late 18th century. The signature is enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.