

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Jasper Hughes VAS 1649

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

I do Certify that Cornet Jasper Hughes served in the first Regiment of Light Dragoons on Continental establishment until the expiration of the War.

Given under my hand this 7th March [paper damaged, year illegible]

S/ Thomas Pemberton
of Regiment L. dragoons
S/ Ed Carrington, Lt. Colo.

I do Certify that Cornet Jasper Hughes served
in the 1st Regt. of Light Dragoons on Continental
establishment until the expiration of the War
given under my hand this 7th March
Thomas Pemberton
of Regt. L. Dragoons
Ed Carrington Lt. Colo.

I do hereby Certify that Jasper Hughes enlisted as a Private in the first Regiment of Dragoons sometime about June of 1776. And that the said Hughes did again in December 1778 reenlist in the said Regiment for the term of 3 years during which time the said Hughes was promoted to the Rank of Cornetcy in the said Regiment and were in actual Service to the end of the late war –

S/ Benj. Temple late [Benjamin Temple]
Lieut. Colo. Light Dragoons
12th November 1776

I do hereby Certify that Jasper Hughes is listed as a
Private in the first Regiment of Dragoons
Sometime about June 1776. And that the said
Hughes did again ⁱⁿ December 1778. Reenlist in the
said Regiment for the term of three years
during which time the S. Hughes was ~~promoted~~
promoted to the Rank of Cornet in the 2.
Regiment and was in actual Service to the end
of the late war

Ben Temple late
Lieut Col Light Dragoon
19th Nov 1776