

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Britt VAS2654  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

At a Court held for James City County Sept'r 11<sup>th</sup> 1780  
A Certificate from Col. J. Allison [John Allison W4112] of John Britt's having served three years as a Soldier in the first Virginia State Regiment and another Certificate from Benjamin Powell a Justice of the County of York of the said Britt's having made Oath before him of his never before proving or claiming his Right to Land for the aforesaid Service, were produced & read & ordered to be certified & [undeciphered word] Ben C Walker C.C

I do Certify That John Breet Enlisted under me as a Soldier for The War in The Virginia Line The ninth day of Sep'tr 1780 and has Continued in The Service Ever since Eighteen Month he Served in the Lite dragoon and I do Certif that he has only Receiv'd Fifteen pounds Ever Sence his inlisment.

Given under my hand this day of Sep'r 8 1783 [not signed]

A Copy/ [undeciphered] Johnson Clk [?].A.

[undeciphered]

Please to Issue a Certificate for my Land Warrant To John Daniel[?] as I Cannot get[?] This Evening

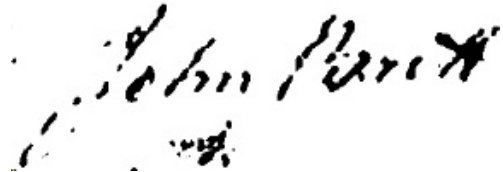
You Compliance will Truly

Oblige yours &c

Major Meriwether

John Britt

[illegible signature] Sep'r 8 83

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Britt", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.