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Virginia documents pertaining to Henry Flesher VAS3599
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[The following is from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#). Punctuation partly edited.]

This will Certify that Henry Flesher was enlisted by me in August 1776 in Capt. Mich'l Bowyers [Michael Bowyer BLWt288-300] Company of which I was then Lieutenant to served for Two years to be stationed at the mouth of the Little Kenawha [sic: Little Kanawha River] on the OHio. But the succeeding session of Assembly that Company was transferred to & made part of the 12th Virginia Regiment Commanded by the then Colo. James Wood [BLWt2419-500]. The Company was then marched from the Western Waters to Winchester & reinlisted for Three years [undeciphered word] or during the Warr as each severally designated. Mr. Flessher being a man of property & respectable standing in life declined receiving additional Bounty. But assured his officers he would continue the term. He was made a Sergeant & faithfully performed his service He was in the Battles of Brandywine [11 Sep 1777] Germanton [Germantown 4 Oct 1777] & Monmouth [28 Jun 1778] besides several skirmishes of an inferior nature. His conduct was that of a brave & orderly soldier & had the confidence of all the officers under, & with whom he served. He has since the Revolution filled the office of Maj'r of the Pendleton [(West) Virginia] Militia in which County he still resides. Never having received any bounty of Lands he has lately applied to me for a certificate of his service, which is given above

Given under my hand in the City of Richmond Jan'y 24th 1809

Ro Gamble [Robert Gamble BLWt869-300] late a
Capt. of 8th Va. Regim't. Continental



I well remember the above Sergeant Flesher but Cannot recollect the time of [the rest missing from bottom of page]