

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Thrall VAS4014  
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[From [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I do certify that Mr John Thrall enlisted in the State navy as Midshipman June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1776  
Sept 30 1783  
Lancaster Sct/ The within proven before me by the oath of Jesse George  
Jesse George Lt. N. [R51]  
Henry Lawson/ March 31 1785

I do certify that Mr John Thrall served as a Midshipman Till the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1778 & as a Lieut. till the  
8<sup>th</sup> July 1779.  
James Markham [R72]  
Jan'y 15<sup>th</sup> 1784

Genuine, I believe Thos Meriwether

Gen[tlemen] Please to settle with Joseph Sanders for whatever may be due me for my services in the state  
navy before I was appointed Lieut. in s'd service, also the land I may be Intitled to.

John Thrall

Lancaster Sct

I do certify, as a Justice of the above County, that I saw John Thrall sign and deliver to Joseph  
Sanders the above order and that he is the principal. Given under my hand this 3<sup>d</sup> day of April 1786  
Henry Lawson

a Copy P'p Southall