

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to William Roberts VAS4260
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

We do hereby certify that Wm Roberts inlisted on Board the Ship Tempest as a Sailor to serve for three years in the month of Feb'y 1778 & served on Board said Ship untill Feb'y 1780 at which time said Roberts dyed.

Given under our hands this 29th of July 1786

Will. Sanders Capt [sic: William Saunders R89]

John Pierce MidS[hi]pman [VAS189]

Westmoreland Sc.

I do assign to John Deckie[?] a good Right of Title to Wm. Roberts's pay and Bounty of Land due for his Services in the State Navy

Margrat Roberts

Westm'd to witt

The above assignment was Signed & acknowledged to before me a Justice of the County aforesaid
T. Turner

a Copy Ph. Southall

[The relevance of the following is not stated.]

Serj. Richard Harris has rec'd a Cert. for Pay from 1st December 1775 to 22^d July 81. J. P.