

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Ludwick Miller VAS681

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

These are to Certified that Ludwick Miller formerly a Soldier in the 16th Virginia Regiment hath faithfully and duly served the period of 3 years for which he was enlisted, in consequence of which and at his own request he is hereby discharged from any further Service in the Army of the United States and is permitted to return home free and unmolested he having received all his Bounty, pay and Clothing & deficiencies [?] of pay & Clothing – in full of all provisions made by the Congress for their troops – his receipt for which is on the back hereof.

Given under my hand this day

I the Subscriber do hereby certify that the above said Ludwick Miller in the beginning of the year 1777 enlisted in Captain Willis's Company in the 16th Virginia Regiment & that I saw him at several times while a soldier in the Army, & know that he was taken prisoner at Brandywine Battle [September 11, 1777] & that he made his escape from the enemy and joined his Regiment again also that he returned home at the expiration of three years with the above discharge which was legal & signed by Colonel Febiger [Christian Febiger] at Philadelphia February 1780

S/ James McIlhany 1st Lt. & then Captain in the 5th Virginia Regiment
August 1783

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S/ J Pendleton Junior

I do hereby certify that I was a Lieutenant in the 5th Virginia Regiment at the time of the within Soldier's enlistment & knew him to be a Citizen of the State of Virginia.

S/ James McIlhany