

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James Morgan VAS750

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

This is to certify that James Morgan enlisted a Soldier for the Term of 3 years in the 2nd C: R. commanded by Colonel Spotswood and before the time expired the said Morgan Enlisted for during the War in the said Regiment he died in June 1781.

S/ Walker Richardson

James City June 12th 1783

A Copy

S/ H Randolph

[From [pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)] 13 page file including documents relating to James Morgan, Owen Matthews and Daniel Hayes

At a Court held for James City County May 15 1787

It is ordered that it be certified to his Excellency the Governor & Honorable privy Council, that Frances Morgan Widow of James Morgan deceased, a Soldier who died in the Continental service, Ann Mathews widow of Owen Mathews deceased a Soldier who died in the State Service – and Ann Hayes Widow of ___ Hayes a soldier who died in the Continental Service, all continue on the list of Pensioners by order of Court.

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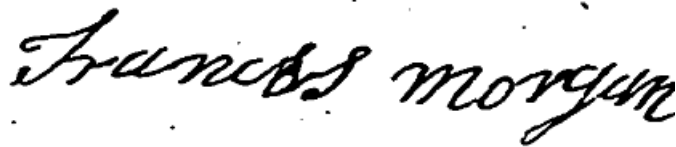
Richmond November the 26th, 1787

I do Certify that a [indecipherable interlineation] named Francis Morgan, and Ann Hayes are in very indigent Circumstances, Morgan has one child about eight years old; Hayes seven, three of which [whom] [are] under eleven years both live on Rented land.

S/ Wm Norvell

Rec'd May 30th 1788 of the Sheriff of James City County for satisfaction for the within

S/ Frances Morgan



[The record shows that she received 6 pounds per annum through 1793: no record thereafter.]