

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James Littrell VAS954

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

I do Certify that Jas. Littrell Sergeant entered the Service in July 75 and continued in actual service till January 1777 when he reenlisted for the War a Certificate I gave for the said Littrell before which [?] Capt. Ashby says he lost given under my hand this 26th of April 1785

S/ A. Waggoner, late Major [Andrew Waggoner]

A Copy

S/ Philip Southall

This Certificate is passed as Mr. Ashby has lost the one given by Colonel Buford

S/ Ab. Crump, Comr [Abner Crump]

Gentlemen Auditors please to settle my Account with Captain Nath'l Ashby and send me the Certificate that is due me for my Brother James Littrell and likewise his Land Warrant as I am his heir at law as he died in the service in Complying you will Oblige your &c.

April 10, 1785

S/ John Littrell

A Copy

S/ Philip Southall

I do Certify that Colonel Bluford [Abraham Buford] gave a Certificate that Sergeant James Littrell was killed at his Defeat the 29th May 1780 and that I lost the same. Given under my hand this 27 April 1795 [?]

A Copy

S/ Nathaniel Ashby Lieutenant 3rd [?] V. R.

S/ Philip Southall