

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William Lovett (Lovet) VAS983

vsl 3VA

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[From [rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

I Malichi Carroll hereby certify that William Lovett a Soldier of the Virginia Line on Continental establishment enlisted about the same time which I did in the company commanded by Captain Ballard, whose Christian name I do not recollect. I further certify that the said William Lovett did his duty until he died in the service about two years after he enlisted. He died near the state line which separates North from South Carolina. Given under my hand in Princess Ann County July 2nd, 1832.

S/ Malichi Carroll, X his mark [Malachi Carroll]¹

I William Cannon certify that I recollect William Lovett being in Captain Ballard's Company but cannot say how long he served, or when he died further than what I have heard, which agrees with the certificate of Mr. Carroll.

S/ Wm Cannon

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wm Cannon", written in a cursive style.

[Attested in Princess Anne County July 3rd, 1832]

¹ [Malachi Carroll S8180](#)