Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to George Knox VAS1109  vsl 1VA
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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

This is to Certify that George Knox formally a Soldier in the 8th Virginia Regiment has duly & faithfully served the term 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 permitted to return home free and unmolested he having received all his Bounty, Pay & Clothing & deficiency of pay and Clothing in full of all allowances & provision made by the Congress for their Troops.

Philadelphia  S/ Christian Febiger
3 February 1780  Colonel Commandant

(copy)

November 20th 1787
Please let Mr [indecipherable first name] Woods have my Land Warrant Due me for three years Cervice as he has Setled [?] the Acct [?] and you will oblige your Humble Servant
To Colonel Meriwether  S/ George Knox

Sir
Please Let Mr. Hiks have the Necessary Certificates to Inable one to get the said George Knox’ Land Warrant I here Sind you the Copy of the Discharge & order & oblige
Sir your Hum St.
Sir, please let Mr. Hinks have the Referring Certificates to enable me to get the said George Knox's Land Docs.

I have been and am your obedient.

To Col. Meiwether

[Signature]

Novr. 29th 1787.