I do hereby certify that John Ethrington a Soldier in Colo. John Nevills detachment of the Virginia Line has served the full term of three years for which he was inlisted & is now hereby discharged from the service – / Given from under my hand at Williamsburg 25th day of July 1781 [last digit unclear].

John Stith Capt Comm’dt

Copy Wm. Lyne CB.A D Stephenson Major/ Sen’r Off’r. present Virg’a. Line

To the audaters
Pleas to send my land warrant by Thomas Toals [sic: Thomas Towles] from your humble sir Test/ Agness [last name illegible] march 15 1785

John Eatherington