Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Henesey VAS1491

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

I do Certified that William Henesey Corporal enlisted in the 8th Virginia Regiment 9th January 1777 for 2 years at the expiration of which time he reenlisted for 3 years and was discharged in January 1782 at Cumberland Old Court House Station, by Colonel Febiger [Christian Febiger] while he commanded at that place
August 2nd, 1786
S/ Jno Gibson, Late [John Gibson]
Colo. Virginia Line

Clark's, Campbell's Company-s
and killed Patrick's Company

Entitled to depreciation from 9th January 77 to 31 December 81 if not settled
Oct. 2, 87
S/ T. Meriwether [Thomas Meriwether]
Mr. Kerchevals is authorized to [illegible text]
document for me
23rd May 1787 S/ William Hen[illegible]
Corp.

Washington County 20th January 1788
This day William Henesey came before me and in my presence delivered and signed the above order

S/ Saml. Gla[illegible]

May 23rd 1787