I do hereby Certify that Edward Bybby enlisted with me the 12th of January[?] 1777 and served for the term of three years, as a true and faithfull Seaman.  
Given under my hand this 4th of May 1784 William Saunders [R89] Capt.  

[The following are from bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

I do hereby Certify that I have sold unto Capt Sam’l Demovill [Samuel Demovill VAS2836] all the Lands that is due me from the State for my Services, three years as a Sailor, in the Virg’a Navy  
Test Edward hisXmark Bybby  
Ro Birth C [?] Petersburg 8 Aug’t 1784