Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James McCommick VAS567  
Transcribed by Will Graves  
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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

I do hereby Certify that James McCommick enlisted with me the 2nd August 1777 to serve 3 years as a Soldier in the Continental Army and died the 10th day of May 1778. Given under my hand this 2nd day of September 1784.  

S/ W. Porter Lieut. [William Porter]  
Cont'l Virga Line  

Passed [?] from 2 Augst 1777  
to 10 May 1779  
T Meriwether  

To the Auditors of Public Accounts Please to send by James [indecipherable last name]1 the Money and Land Warrant that I am entitled to as Heir at law for James McCommick Deceased this 1 day of Novr. 1755  

S/ Joseph Henderson  

Attest Francis Barrett  

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Wm Lyne, C. P. A.  

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1 Indecipherable last name