Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant of Stephen Southall BLWt2082-200 f1VA
Transcribed by Will Graves 3/15/12

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[cover sheet is only record in the federal pension files]

Va. Southall, Stephen B.L.Wt.2082-200—Lieut.
Issued Dec. 13, 1791 to
Francis Greaves, assignee
No papers

The Virginia State Library online digital collection contains the following document that may relate to this veteran:

Savannah April 2nd 1783

The bearer hereof Lieutenant Southall (of the 1st Continental Regiment of Artillery) who has acted as deputy quarter master and Assistant Commissary of Purchases in Virginia, and from the shortness of the notice given him to join his Regiment had no time to settle and Adjust his Accounts, has now leave of absence to go and settle the Accounts appertaining to his office and to remain until called for.

Given under our hands
this date above written

S/ L. Booker [?], Comd Arty [perhaps Lewis Booker]
S/ John Habersham
Major Commt Georgia Battlion
Commanding in Georgia
Savannah, April 22, 1783

The bearer hereby instructs... (of the Continental Regiment of Artillery) who has acted as... quarter master and assistant commissary... of Purchases in Virginia, and from the Sheldon... of the nature given him, to join his Regiment... not time to settle and adjust his accounts, has... leave of absence to go and settle the accounts... pertaining to his office and to remain until... called for.

John Habersham
Major Commissary Georgia Battalion, Commanding in Georgia.