

James Ferguson in the Revolutionary War

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Entry #1:

“A Muster Roll of Capt Alx^r Lawson Smiths Company Including Part of the Companies Belongin to the Reg^t of Lieu^t Col^o Rawlings - now Under the Command of Lieu^t Col^o Febiger of the 11th Virginia Regiment -- Inlisted for three Years -----

This Muster Roll for the Month of August 1777”

Commanding Officers were listed as: Capt Alxr Lawson Smith, Lieut William Bradford and Lieut Elijah Evans.

James Ferguson was listed as one of four Corporals.

Entry #2:

“A Muster Roll of Cap^t Alexander Lawson Smith’s Company Including part of the Companies belonging to the Comp^{ys} in the Reg^{int} of Lieu^t Col Rawling’s now under the Command of Lieu^t Col^o Febiger of the 11th Vlr^g^a regiment - Inlisted for three years - Muster Roll for the Month of Sept^r 1777”

James Ferguson was listed as one of four Corporals with the notation “On Command”.

Entry #3:

“A Muster Roll of Cap^t Alex^r Lawson Smith’s Comp^y including part of the Companies belonging to the Reg^t of Lieu^t Col^o Rawling’s now under the Command of Col^o Daniel Morgan of the 11th Virg^a Reg^{nt} - Inlisted for three Years

[?] 1st July 1777”

James Ferguson was listed as a Corporal in Cap^t Tho^s Bell’s Compy.

There are other James Ferguson soldiers listed, some from New Hampshire, New York, Delaware, and Pennsylvania. It’s not possible with just this information to know if any of these men are among those who immigrated or whether any married Margaret Hampton - need much more information.