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Among the certificates and warrants issued to veterans of the French and Indian War and Dunmore's War are the following warrants for importations into the colony of Virginia. The number preceding each entry is that found in two volumes of Old Military and Importation Warrants or in Land Bounty Certificates: French and Indian War, all of which are available on microfilm on reel 360 of the Land Office in the Archives Division of the Virginia State Library.

18. Fairfax County, May 1779. William Rumnay, John Muir, Robert Muir, Thomas Kirkpatrick, James Stuart, James Muir, John Oliphant, James Adam, Charles McIver, James Mayler, Christian Langmarsh, and Robert Hay, his wife, and child proved their importation. They assigned their rights to 700 acres to George Mason.

79. York County, 21 June 1779. Thomas Jaram proved his importation. He came from Great Britain in 1774; he assigned his right to 50 acres to Richard Calloway.

158. Berkeley County, 21 March 1775. In March 1769 James Nourse with his family got on board the *Liberty* under Captain Outram and arrived in Virginia the following May. Accompanying James Nourse were his wife Sarah and nine children: Joseph, James, Cathrine, Charles, Robert, William, Elizabeth, Susanna, and John Nourse and two servants, Elizabeth Cuminins and Mary Wood. In Nov. 1770 James Nourse imported at his sole expense in the *Donald* under Captain Roberts one servant, Mary Hester. He was granted 750 acres.

219. Essex County, 15 May 1750. Martha Staton came to Virginia in 1692 from Ireland. She assigned her 50 acres to James Madison.

220. Essex County, 15 May 1750. Eustace Watkins proved her importation to Virginia and assigned her 50 acres to James Madison.

1167. James Ewing imported himself and eight children. He assigned the right to 450 acres to William Crow.

1168. William Crow imported himself, his wife Jane, and three children. He was granted 250 acres.