

WAR OFFICE, *St August. 1783.*

THE within CERTIFICATE shall not avail the bearer as a discharge, until the ratification of the definitive treaty of peace; previous to which time, and until proclamation thereof shall be made, he is to be considered as being on turlough.

*Your friend
This may be on the above Return
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Peter McLaughlin
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B. LINCOLN.

*John McLaughlin for
to James - 64 Bays and by } 3246
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Employed by Col Chesnutdown
New York in 1791. 1791*