

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Thomas Lyon VAS1013

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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

Thomas Lyon a Soldier in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Virginia State Regiment having served the full term of his enlistment as per Certificate from Captain Garnett dated the 18<sup>th</sup> of December 1776 is hereby discharged.

Barracks 8 December 1779

3 years Service

S/ C. Porterfield [Charles Porterfield]

Lt. Colo. S. G. Rt.

I assign over all my right entitled to the above claim to Jno. Carter

S/ Thomas Lyon

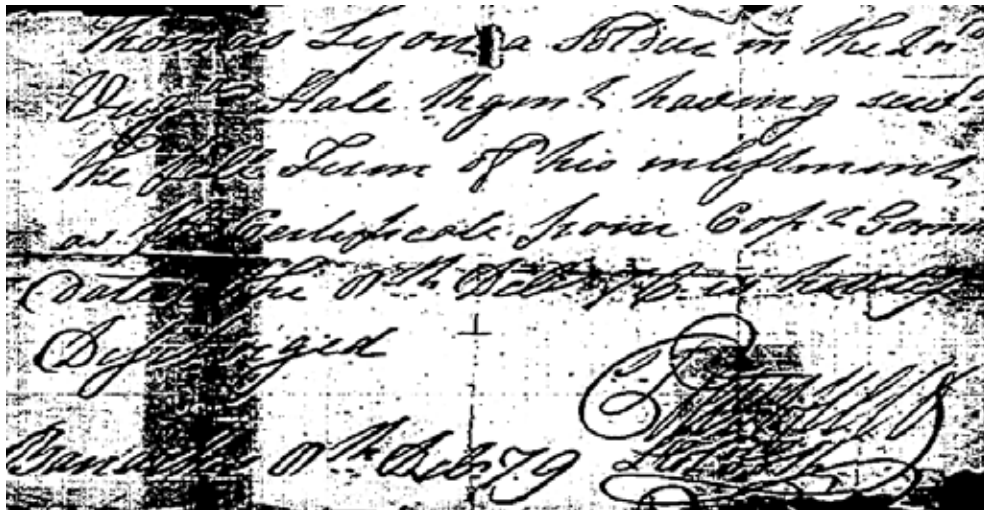
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Thomas Lyon a Soldier in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Virginia State Regiment having served the full Term of his enlistment as per Certificate from Captain Garnett dated the 8<sup>th</sup> of December 76 is hereby Discharged.

Barracks 8<sup>th</sup> Dec. 79

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The image shows a scan of a handwritten document, likely a pension certificate, with cursive handwriting. The text is partially obscured by a vertical black bar on the left side. The visible text matches the typed transcription above. There is a large, stylized signature or stamp at the bottom right of the document.