

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James Hendricks VAS1490

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

This is to Certify, That it appears from a List in this Office of such Officers and Soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War, as settled their Accounts, and received Certificates for the balance of their Full Pay, according to an Act of Assembly, passed the November Session 1781, that a Certificate issued on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1787, in the name of James Hendricks, as a Lt. Colo. for £232.0.0, which Certificate appears to have been delivered to General Wood [James Wood] and was given for services prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1782.

To wit – as Lieutenant Colonel from one January 1777 to 22 August & from 22 August 2 22 March 1778.

Given under my hand, at the Auditor's Office, Richmond, this  
13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1834.

S/ Jas E. Heath, AUDITOR

Friday January 12, 1776

"Resolved that the said James Hendricks be appointed Major to the 6<sup>th</sup> Regiment" –  
1776 January H. D. [?] 94

Thursday October 10, 1776

Resolved that the following promotions & appointments the made in the Virginia Battalions  
Viz.

James Hendricks Lieutenant Colonel of the 6<sup>th</sup> commission to be dated 13<sup>th</sup> August  
Journal Congress [?] p. 512 Vol. 1

I Thomas Minor<sup>1</sup> of the County of Spotsylvania & State of Virginia being upwards of eighty years of age, do certify that I was a Captain of Infantry in the revolutionary War, that I was acquainted with Major James Hendricks of the 6<sup>th</sup> Virginia Regiment & that he was wounded at the battle of Germantown [October 4, 1777] & after his recovery he joined the Army again & continued in service for some time. And this Affiant thinks he was in the service in the year 1779 but will not be positive. That he never heard of Major Hendricks' resigning his commission & that he appeared fond of a Military life – further this affiant saith not.

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<sup>1</sup> [Thomas Minor W5374](#)



the Journals of Congress, volume 1<sup>st</sup>, Page 263, it will be found that Mordecai Buckner was appointed Colonel of the 6<sup>th</sup> Regiment by Congress in the 13<sup>th</sup> February 1776 – a circumstance that strongly [indecipherable word]<sup>4</sup> the accuracy of H. Buchanan's recollection. And consideration on this case is respectfully prayed of the Governor & Council by the Heirs

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[Note: another file indexed under the name James Hendricks, Major refers to the papers in the file of Captain John Watkins, 1839]