

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Hobson VAS1555

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

I do Certify that William Hobson Enlisted with me as a Sergeant in the 6th Virginia Regiment in the Continental Army to serve Two years. Given under my hand this 19th day of October 1811.

S/ James Johnson, Captain of
the 6th Virginia Regiment

Richmond October 25th, 1814

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