

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

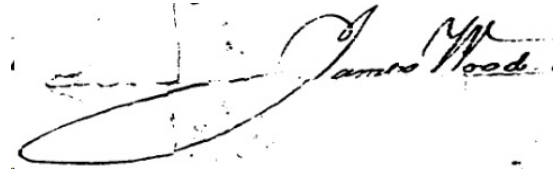
Virginia documents pertaining to John Bowman VAS2586
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#). One other document is mostly illegible.]

John Bowman a private soldier in the 4th Virginia Regiment in the service of the United States of America, having faithfully served three years the full term of his enlistment is now Discharged from any future services in the said Rigiment.

Given under my hand at Camp in the State of New Jersey this 5th Day of December 1779.

James Wood [BLWt2419-500] Colo Com'dt 1st V. Brigade

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James Wood". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.

The above Discharged Soldier is Intitled to Draw Provisions at the Different Posts On his return to Shenandoah County in Virginia J Wood Colo Com.

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[several undeciphered words] Ordered at Head of Elk [present Elkton MD] Decemb'r 22 1779
Three days Rations

[undeciphered signature]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which is mostly illegible due to heavy ink and overlapping strokes. It appears to be a signature of an official.