

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Poythress VAS262

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[Note: the following MAY relate to the same man as [William Poythress Va14](#)]

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

I Certify that Lt. William Poythress was appointed as such in the 1<sup>st</sup> Regt. of Artillery in March 1777 that he was promoted to a Capt. Lieut. on the ? Augt. 1780 & that he resigned the 5<sup>th</sup> of Marsh ???? which ended his Service from his first Appointment.

? 6, 1783

Ed Carrington  
Lt. Col. Artillery

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