

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Brownley VAS2728  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I DO hereby acknowledge myself to be a Prisoner of War, upon my Parole, to his Excellency Sir Henry Clinton &c. and that I am thereby engaged until I shall be exchanged, neither to do, or cause any Thing to be done, prejudicial to the Success of the Arms of his Britanick Majesty And I do further pledge my Parole, that I will not intentionally go within twelve Miles of any British Garrison or Post; and that I will surrender myself, when required, agreeable to the Terms of the Cartel made on the 3d of May, 1781, for the Exchange and Relief of Prisoners of War taken in the Southern Department: In Witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my Name this 26th Day of June in the Year of our Lord 1781.

Witness  
Chs. Town [Charleston] So Carolina  
Jno Sargent Lt  
Jno Brownley ass't Surgeon/ 4<sup>th</sup> Virg'a Regiment  
Copy/ James Fraser

Sir/ Please Give Mr. Roney an order for my proportion of Land, but shou'd Mr. nathaniel arbey apply first/ Getting a Certificate from Colo. John Nevil [sic: John Nevill BLWt1595-500 ] Colo. Cabell [sic: Samuel Jordan Cabell VAS753] or any field officer belonging to the Virginia Line/ you'll please to deliver it to him.

Richmond  
10<sup>th</sup> oct'r 1786  
For Colo. Meriweather [sic: Thomas Meriwether]



To any field officer of the Virginia Line  
please Give a Certificate of the time of my appointment in the fourth Virg Reg't Commanded by Colo. J. Nevill/ and Continuance till the Conclusion of the war which was 7<sup>th</sup> march 1780 at petersburgh [sic: Petersburg VA] on the march to Charles Town/ to Enable me to get my Land due me by the State  
and oblige yr. most obd't &/ Very [undeciphered] Ser't  
NB the gentleman who [rest missing from online image]



I do hereby certify that John Brownley was appointed Assistant Surgeon to the 4<sup>th</sup> Virg'a Reg't the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1780.

Given under my hand this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Dec'r 1786  
Sam. Cabell Lt. Col.  
4<sup>th</sup> Virg'a Reg't

