

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Benjamin Pyatt VAS313

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

Benjamin Pyatt Sergt. [?]¹ Captain Springer's [Uriah Springer's] Company of Light Infantry 9th Virginia Regiment is hereby discharge from the same he having served the time for which he Enlisted & I do Certify that he has always behaved himself during that Service as a good, faithful and honest Soldier – given under my hand December 25, 1779 at Fort Pitt

S/ Jno Gibson Col.
9th Virg. Regt.

[A Copy]

Washington County December 17th 1784

Served Please to settle my Account of Depreciation with D. Josiah Tannehull [?] And deliver him my Certificate for ??? Warrant

and you will oblige your
Benj. Pyatt

[A Copy]

I do certify that Benjn Pyat served as a Sergt. the full term of 3 years in my Regiment. Fort Pitt April 11th, 1785.

S/ Jno Gibson Late
Colo. Virg. Line