

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Reuben Odell VAS324

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

I do hereby Certify that Reuben Odell enlisted the latter end of 1776 as a private in the 12th Virginia Regiment for three years after serving the first year he was drafted into the Corps what served as the Generals Guard where he continued till the expiration of his enlistment when he enlisted for the war in Col. Proctors [?]¹ Regt. of Artillery.

Given under my hand this 4th February 1785

S/ James Wood late B. G.

Genuine

Ab. Crump Comr

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Gentlemen Commissioner or Auditors be so kind as to settle my account with Captain Ashley and send my depreciation to me by that Gentlemen and my Land warrant

April 10th 1785

I am your at Command

Reuben Odle

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Reuben Odell