

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to John Tapscott VAS4654
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

I do certify that John Tapscott Serg't in the 5th V. Reg't. inlisted under me (being then a Capt'n in s'd Reg't) about the first of February 1776 for the Term of three years, and that he died in Philadelphia some time in the month of November or December 1777. Given under my hand this 12th day of July 1786.

B. Ball (quandum) [Burgess Ball BLWt252-500]
Lt. Colo. Comd't.

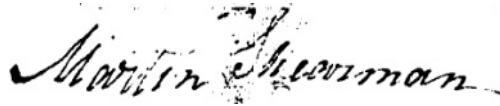
A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "B. Ball". Below the signature are several decorative flourishes or scribbles.

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To the Commissioners of Publick Acc't. Gent. Please to settle the within Acc't. with Cap. Joseph
Saunders and oblige yr. H'ble. Ser't. James Tapscott

The above was given in my presence

Martin Shearman [VAS4421]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Martin Shearman".