

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to John McDowel VAS593

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

I do Certify that John McDowel enlisted into the Virginia line in July 1775 and continued said service until January 1777 when he enlisted for the war into the Virginia Continental line and continued in service till the end of the war.

January 24th, 1784

S/ A. Waggoner late [Andrew Waggoner]

Major

S/ James Wood, B. G.

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Chas: Jones, Clk

Dr [Dear] Major when you go to Richmond get my Certificate and land Warrant

14th March 1784

S/ John McDowel

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Chas: Jones Clk

A/ Waggoner