

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to William Moore VAS744

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

Richmond 15th of March 1796

I do hereby certify that Wm Moore was appointed by the Committee of Botetourt County agreeable to an ordinance of Convention a first Lieutenant to a company of regulars which Company I had the Honor to command on the 14th day of August 1776 and continued in said service until the 29th day of November 1777 when he was killed in a skirmish with the Indians at Point Pleasant on the Ohio [River].

This Company was raised for the defense of the Western Frontiers by the State of Virginia and in October 1776 were by act of Assembly incorporated with other Companies on the Ohio into the 12th Virginia Regiment on Continental Establishment commanded by Colonel James Wood, which incorporation took place the 6th of December following from which period they were commanded by Continental officers, were under the same regulations and pay and I do further Certify that the said Moore's Heirs never applied for or obtained a Land Warrant on his behalf as far as I know or believe.

Given under my hand

S/ Wm McKee, late Capt. 12th Va. Regt.

