

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to John Simon Lickner VAS917

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

This is to certify that John Simon Lickner a private in the Chasseurs [infantry men] in the First Partisan Legion under my Command, has served faithfully & bravely to this Day, is hereby discharged from the service of the United States, in Pursuance of Orders received from the Commander in Chief, bearing Date the third instant.

I further certify that John Simon Lickner a private in the Chasseurs having been enlisted in the State of Virginia is intitled [entitled] by the Resolution of Congress, of the 13th February, 1779, to the Benefits that have been, or hereafter shall be, granted by the said State to the Noncommissioned Officers and Soldiers of the said Line.

Given under my Hand and Seal at York Town, this fifteenth day of November, 1783
Armond Marquis de la Rouerie
[Charles Armond Tuffin, Marquis de la Rouerie]
Entered in the Books of the Legion

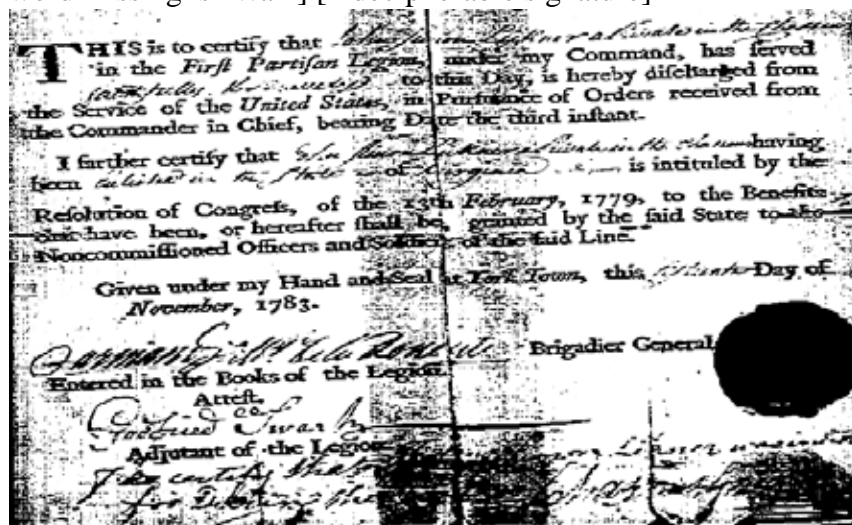
Brigadier General

Attest

S/ Godfried Swartz

Adjutant of the Legion

I do hereby certify that John Simon Lickner was enlisted for During the [text obliterated but the word missing is "War"] [indecipherable signature]



I do Certify that the within Soldier was Enlisted for the War. Given under my hand this 22nd day of October 1785

S/ Henry Bedinger, late
Captain 5th Virginia Regiment