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ARRANGEMENT OF COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF THE 4TH AND 8TH VIRGINIA CONTINENTAL REGIMENTS, AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER 1777

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The Arrangement of the Officers of the 4th Virginia Regiment.

Officers Names	Rank	Occurrences	Dates of Commissions	When they ought to be dated.
Thomas Elliott Wm Taliaferro [William Taliaferro] Isaac Beall	Colo Lt Colo Major	Weedons promotion Scotts Promotion	Comm'd d'o d'o	Apl 1 st 1777
John Brent Thos Ridley [Thomas Ridley] James Lucas Thos Matthews [Thomas Mathews] Arthur Smith Geo Walls [George Walls] John Holcomb [John Holcombe] John Stith	Captains			Mar 12 th 77
Jason Reddick [Jason Riddick] Will'm Cherry [William Cherry] Thos Spencer [Thomas Spencer] Wm Rogers [William Rogers] Nicholas Parker Sam'l Gill [Samuel Gill] Joseph Holt John Smith	1 st Lieutenants	left sick in Virginia	doubtful	Sept'r 20 th Jan'y [?] Jan'y 12 th March 12 th
Nath'l Lucas [Nathaniel Lucas] Henry Whiting Will'm Boyce [William Boyce] Will'm Davenport [William Davenport] Edw'd Jiggite [Edward Roe Jiggett] John Lewis Edw'd Allen [Edward Allen] Wm O Callis [William O Callis]	2 ^d Lieutenants		No 1 2	Jan'y 5 th Jan'y 12 th Jan'y 12 th
James Buxton John Willson Denham Ford James Morton James Holloway [James Holloway] Barnard McDonald [Bernard McDonald] John Noell [John Y Noel] Chs Carson [Charles Carson]	Ensigns		No 1 2 3 4 5	Sept'r 28 th 76 Sept'r 28 th Sept'r 28 th Sept'r 28 th Sept'r 28 th

The Arrangement of the Officers of the 8th Virginia Regiment

Officers Names	Rank	Occurrences	Dates of Commissions	When they ought to be dated
Abraham Bowman	Colo	From the Death of Colo Fleming	}	Feb'y 5 th 1777
John Markham	Lt Colo	From the Death of Colo Epps	} Comm'd	Dec'r 23 ^d 1776
Wm Dark [William Darke]	Major	the Death of Maj'r Fleming	}	Jan'y 4 th 1777
Rich'd Campbell [Richard Campbell] George Slaughter Jonathan Clark Abel Westfall David Stephenson Thos Berry [Thomas Berry] James Knox Will'm Croghan [William Croghan] Rob't Higgins [Robert Higgins]	Captains	by order of Gen'l Washington		Feb'y 19 th 1776 D'o D'o Mar 4 th 76 12 th 25 th 27 Ap'l 4 th 19 th Mar 77
Matthias Hite Abraham Kirkpatrick Isaac Israel Edw'd Moody [Edward Moody] John St[?] Rich'd [?]n James Higgins James Craig	1 st Lieutenants			Feb'y 19 th 76 Ap'l 19 th Aug't 3 rd 6 th Oct'r 20 th Ap'l 6 th 77 May 9 th Mar 77
Leonard Cooper John Graves James Berwick Benj'n K[?]dley [Benjamin Kinley] Christopher Myers Reuben Fields Will'm Lovely [William Lewis Lovely] Fran's [?]dwin	2 ^d Lieutenants	to take Rank of Myers		Aug't 3 rd 1776 Oct'r 20 th 1776 Mar 10 th 1777 May 9 th 9 th 1 10 th 2 10 th 3 10 th
James H[?] Rob't [?]ndridge [Robert Brackenridge] Philip [?]n [Philip Easton] John Key Jonathan Smith Tho's Miller [Thomas Miller] Philip Huffman Cornelius Westfall	Ensigns		No	1 Mar 16 th 1777 2 d'o 16 th 3 d'o 16 th 4 Mar 16 th 77 17 th D'o 18 th D'o 5 16 6 16

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[?] Wright	Chaplain			Aug't 1
[?] [?]oaks	Paymaster			June 4 th 77
[?]arney	Adjutant			June 3 ^d
[?] Baldwin	Qr Mast'r			May 20 th
[?] Hamberger [Frederick Heimberg]	Surgeon			Ap'l 19 th
	Mate			

NOTES:

The document is not dated, but it was apparently compiled after the latest date on the roster, 3 Aug 1777, and before Col. Thomas Elliott resigned, 28 Sep 1777.

Question marks indicate parts that are illegible because of damage to the paper. Complete names in brackets are inferred by comparison with other sources.

This arrangement was superceded by the White Plains NY arrangement of 14 Sep 1778 when the 8th Regiment was absorbed into the 4th (<http://revwarapps.org/b138.pdf>).

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