

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

SCHEDULE OF PROMOTIONS IN GEN. GEORGE WEEDON'S AND GEN. WILLIAM WOODFORD'S
VIRGINIA CONTINENTAL BRIGADES, 28 FEB 1776 - 1 APR 1777

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Schedule of Promotions in Gen'ls. Weedon & Woodfords Brigades

			to be
Colo [Patrick] Henry's Resignation [28 Feb 1776] promoted			{ Lt Colo [William] Christian. . . . Colonel Major [Francis] Eppes. Lt Colo Capt [John] Green. Major
[Col William] Peachey's D[itt]o	D'o		{ Lt Colo [Charles] Scott. Colonel Major [Alexander] Spotswood. . . Lt Colo Capt [John] Markham. Major
[Col Hugh] Mercer's Promotion	D'o	5 June	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Weedon. Colonel Major [Thomas] Marshall. Lt. Colo Capt Seayres [John Sayres]. . . . Major
[Lt Col William] Christian's Resignation	D'o	D'o	{ Lt Colo [Isaac] Read. Colo Major [Robert] Lawson. Lt Colo Capt. G. [George] Johnston Major
[Dangerfield's [Col William Daingerfield's]	D'o	28 th July	{ Lt Colo [William] Crawford. . . . Colonel Major J [Josiah] Parker. Lt Colo Capt Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Major
Major [Peter] Helphinstone's	D'o	7 th Aug't	D'o { Capt [William] Taliaferro. Major Lt Colo Elliot [Thomas Elliott]. . . Colo Major [James] Hendricks. Lt Colo Capt [William] Davies. Major
Colo [Adam] Stephen's Promotion	D'o	19 th Sept'r	D'o { Lt Colo [Alexander] McClenachan Colo Major [William] Nelson. Lt Colo Capt [Charles] Fleming. Major Capt [George] Nicholas. Major Capt [Robert] Ballard. D'o
[Col William] Woodford's Resignation	D'o	7 th Oct'r	D'o { Major [John] Green. Lt Colo Capt R K [Richard Kidder] Meade Major
Major [James] Innes's Promotion	D'o	13 th Nov'r	D'o { Major [John] Markham. Lt Colo Capt [Morgan] Alexander. Major Capt [George] Gibson. Major Capt [John] Cropper. Major Capt Dark [William Darke]. . . . Major
Nicholas's Removal	D'o	D'o	D'o { Lt Colo [Abraham] Bowman. . . Colo Major Seayres [John Sayres]. . . Lt Colo Capt [Charles] West. Major
Lt Colo [George] Baylor's Promotion	D'o	Dec'r	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
[Lt Col Francis] Eppes's Death [27 Aug 1776]	D'o	23 rd	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
Major Fleming's Fall [see endnote]	D'o	4 th Jan'y	1777 { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
[Maj George] Johnston's Promotion	D'o	D'o	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
[Maj Richard Kidder] Meade's	D'o	D'o	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
Colo [Thomas] Fleming's Death [by smallpox]	D'o	30 th	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major
Colo [Mordecai] Buckner's Disgrace	D'o	10 th Feby	D'o { Lt Colo [George] Mathews Colo Major Rich'd [Richard] Parker. . . Lt Colo Capt [Burges] Ball. Major

[Col Peter] Muhlenberg's Promotion	D'o		21 st	D'o	D'o	{ Lt Colo [Alexander] Spotswood. Colo Major [William] Taliaferro. Lt Colo Capt [Isaac] Beall. Major Lt Colo [Thomas] Marshall. Colo Major [William] Davies. Lt Colo Capt [Levin] Joynes. Major Lt Colo [Robert] Lawson. Colo Major Heath [William Heth]. Lt Colo Capt [George] Stubblefield. Major Capt [Smith] Sneed. Major Lt Colo J Parker. Colo Major B[page torn]. [Lt] Colo Capt [page torn]
[Col George] Weedon's	D'o	D'o		D'o	D'o	
Scotts [Col Charles Scott's]	D'o	D'o	1 st	April	D'o	
Major [George] Gibson's	D'o	D'o				
Colo [page torn] Removal	D'o					

NB. There is a mistake in arranging Major Ball before Major Joynes – Joynes should stand where Ball does & Ball where Joynes/ Vide the Certificate within.

NOTES:

I could not identify a Major Fleming who fell on 4 Jan 1777. Capt. John Fleming was killed at the Battle of Princeton on 3 Jan 1777.

Col. Mordecai Buckner was cashiered for cowardice.

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