

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

OFFICERS RECEIVING PAYROLLS AND SOLDIERS RECEIVING ENLISTMENT BOUNTIES BY
ACCOUNTS OF WILLIAM DARKE OF THE 8TH VIRGINIA CONTINENTAL REGIMENT, 1776 & 1777

Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[Brackets enclose alternative spellings and pension or bounty-warrant applications.]

Credits given by William Dark on a Settlement of a pay Role from the 25th May 1776 to the last of April 1777.

By Cash of General peter Muhlenberg for the pay of my Company 1545 15/90.	£403.11.0
By Cash of Colonel Eleot [probably Thomas Elliott].	16. 0.0
Dito of Colonel Abraham Boman [Abraham Bowman].	85.18.0
Dit of Colo. Kannon [Cannon?]Drawn by Lieut Isaac Isrial [Isaac Israel] according to his accompt. . .	153.18.0
Dit By Capt [William] Croghan or his Lieut.	50.11.4
Dito By by Lieut James Higenes [James Higgins].	36.18.0
Dito by Capt Abel Westfall.	<u>148. 4.0</u>
	£895. 0.4

Berkeley Scl's.

This day William Dark of said Count personally apeared before me Cato Moore a magistrate of said County and made oath that he gave the above Credits when he setled his public accompt from the 25th May 1776 To last of April 1777. That he then gave credit for every penny or peneys worth of public money he had Received either State or Continantal to the Best of his knoledg. Given under my hand this 21st Feb'y. 1788.

[signed] Cato Moore

January 1777

D^r. The United States To William Darke

To Cash paid as bounty to inlist the following Soldiers, towit

Henry Geger.	20 Dollars. . . £6..
Nicholes Sheredon [Nicholas Sheridan].	Dito..... 6..
John Melone [John Malone].	dito..... 6..
Robert Ennis.	dito..... 6..
Daniel Mcentire [Daniel McIntyre].	dito..... 6..
John Roberts.	dito..... 6..
William Jones.	dito..... 6..
John Sanders.	dito..... 6..
Jacob Anderson [S37673].	dito..... 6..
Nicholes Ennes [Nicholas Ennis].	dito..... 6..
John Doland.	dito..... 6..
Patrick Conly [Patrick Connelly].	dito..... 6..
John Cartrage.	dito..... 6..

Contra

By Cash Received of General Peter Muhlenberg

260 dollars £78

Nov'r. 16th 1782 Came before me a magistrate for the county of Berkley & State of Virginia Colo. William Dark made oath that the above account is Just & true Cato Moore

NOTES:

On 9 Feb 1776 William Darke was commissioned Captain of a company raised in Berkeley County VA (now WV) in the 8th Virginia Regiment commanded by Gen. Peter Muhlenberg. On 4 Jan 1777 he was promoted to Major. He was wounded and captured at the Battle of Germantown on 4 Oct 1777. He was exchanged on 1 Nov 1780 and promoted to Lieutenant Colonel in the 4th Virginia Regiment on 12 Feb 1781, effective 29 Nov 1777.

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