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Bounty Land Claim for William McDowell BLWt1433-200
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[The empty file jacket is inscribed "Lt. Issued 5-4-1791. No papers." Like most federal bounty-land records, these were lost to fire. Fortunately, however, McDowell wrote a detailed account of his services, which was published as "Journal of Lieut. William McDowell, of the First Penn'a Regiment, In the Southern Campaign. 1781-1782 in William Henry Egle, ed. *Journals and Diaries of the War of the Revolution with Lists of Officers and Soldiers, 1775-1783*. Harrisburg PA (1893), pp. 297-340. (Available on ancestry.com at

https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/33205/flhcan1900_105675__0004-00168?backurl=&ssrc=&backlabel=Return#?imageId=flhcan1900_105675__0004-00168]