

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Record relating to Joseph Marbury BLWt1486-300
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Md. Joseph Marbury¹

BLWt1486-300—Capt.
Issued Mar. 10, 1790
No papers²

¹ Heitman lists him as “Marburg, Joseph (Md). Regimental Quartermaster of Smallwood’s Maryland Regiment, May 1776: Captain 3d Maryland, 10th December, 1776, and served to ___. (Was in service in August, 1781)”

² The reason there are no surviving papers relating to this bounty land claim is that the offices of the War Department along with the papers filed there were destroyed by fire in 1800 and all pension and bounty land records predating that fire were destroyed. Further, pension and bounty land papers generated between the fire of 1800 and 1814 were lost when the British burned Washington DC on August 14, 1814.