

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information regarding George Yates BLWt2469-300 f4VA
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[cover sheet]

Va. Yates, George B.L.Wt.2469-300 Surgeon's Mate
Issued Jan. 17, 1800 to
Reuben Zimmerman, guardian
to Lawrence Catlett Yates, heir
No papers

[the file contains the standard letter responding to an inquiry stating that "there are no further data in the file as to his services or his family due to the destruction of the papers in such a claim when the War Office was burned in November, 1800."]

[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

[posted as partial images: guesses as to the missing bits appear in brackets]
War Office August 20, 1782

[Record in] the Auditors of public Accounts that Doctor
[George] Yates is entitled to depreciation & arrears of
[pay] as one of the Military Staff of the Virginia
antal [Continental] line, he having served as Surgeon's Mate
[from] the first day of September 1782 the last days
[of] December 1781

S/ William Davis
Reuben Burnley

Copy

War Office Aug. 20. 1782
In answer to the petition of Doctor Yates accounts that Doctor Yates is entitled to depreciation of arrears of pay as one of the Military Staff of the Virginia Continental line, he having served as Surgeon's Mate the first day of September 1782 to the last days of December 1781.
William Davis
Reuben Burnley
Cont. Office 25th 1782

[no guesses as to missing bits of the following documents]

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witness for Ray
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B. Smith
is for W. H. H.
Virginia

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You will be pleased to see
the Maryland and Virginia

and Virginia

led W. H. H.