

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant of John Blackwell BLWt264-300 VA
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. Revised 2 July 20104.


[The file jacket is inscribed as follows:]

Va. Blackwell, John B.L.Wt264-300/ Issued Feb. 26, 1793/ No papers.

[This indicates that John Blackwell was issued a warrant for 300 acres, the amount of land bounty given to Captains by Virginia. The following from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#) is presumed to pertain to the same John Blackwell.]

This is to certify that Capt. John Blackwell was appointed as Officer in the 3^d Virginia Continental regiment the first day of March 1776 and is now in the service. Given under my hand this 13th day of May 1783.

[George Weedon Brigadier General]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "G. Weedon 1783". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.