

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant of Peter Garland BLWt524-300
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Know all men by these presents that we Mary Garland, Susannah T. Garland, David Garland, Joshua Whorly and Nancy his wife formerly Nancy Garland, Elijah Jourdan and Martha Elizabeth his wife formerly Martha Elizabeth Garland, and John Garland of the County of Charlotte & State of Virginia have this day bargained & sold and by these presents do bargain, sell and assign over to Thomas D Harris of the City of Richmond and State of Virginia all our right, title and interest in and to three hundred acres of Land due to us in consideration of the services of Peter Garland deceased in the Army of the United States to the end of the late war with Great Britain under the command of Colo. [blank] agreeably to an act of Congress, and we do moreover request and direct William Eustis, Esq'r. Secretary at War for the time being or his successors to issue to the said Thomas D Harris his Heirs or assigns in his or their own name as assignee of us the said Mary Garland, Susannah T. Garland, David Garland, Joshua Whorly and Nancy his wife formerly Nancy Garland, Elijah Jourdan and Martha Elizabeth his wife formerly Martha Elizabeth Garland and John Garland, a Warrant for the land aforesaid, and on receipt of the same we do hereby ratify and confirm any receipt or other instrument in writing that he the said Thomas D Harris may necessarily sign or procure to be signed in Touching the premises as fully as we could do if we were personally present.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands & affixed our seals this ninth day of November one thousand eight hundred & Nine

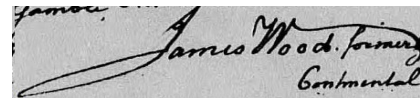
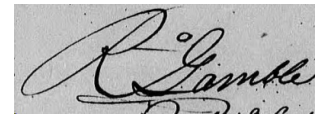
signed, sealed & Deliverd In the presence of us
W. McKinney
Rich'd. Davenport Sen'r
D. McKinney

Mary Garland
Susanna Garland
David Garland
Joshua Worley
Nancy Worley
Elijah Jordan
Martha E Jordan
John Garland

I do certify that Peter Garland a Captain in the Sixth Virginia Continental Regiment became a supernumerary officer at the arrangement made in consequence of a Committee from Congress attending at Head Quarters of the American Army laying at White Plains in the State of New York for the purpose of reducing the number of Regiments from Virginia from that of 15 to 11, which arrangement & reduction was made September 14th 1778. This fact I am enabled to state having kept a Register thereof now in my possession – Captain Peter Garlands Commission was dated 17th August 1777 to which grade he rose from that of a subaltern during prior service

Given under my hand at Richmond Virginia – March 1st 1810
[Robert Gamble BLWt869-300], late a
Capt. in the Virg'a. Continental Line

The above statement made by Colonel Gamble I know to be Correct.
James Wood formerly B. Gen'l Continental Army.



[The following is from bounty-warrant records in the Library of Virginia. The online images of two other documents are illegible.]

I do certify that I saw Peter Garland acting as second Lieutenant [in?] Capt [illegible] company of the sixth Virginia Regiment on continental establishment about the first of March seventeen hundred and

seventy six and was promoted thereafter to the Rank of a Captain. Given under my hand this 1st May
1807

John Bell late Lieut 6 Virg Regt

Teste/ Rich'd W. Bell [Charles City County]