## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Benjamin Wood VAS5063 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.]

These are to Certify that the bearer hereof Benjamin Wood a Soldier in the first Virginia Regiment, having faithfully served the United States from the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 178[?] and being inlisted for the War is hereby discharged from the American army.

Given at the War Office the 23<sup>d</sup> day of August 1783

By order of the Secretary at War

B Lincoln [Gen. Benjamin Lincoln]

J. Carleton Sec'y

Registered in the Books of the Regiment Ro Breckenridge [Robert Breckinridge (Brackenridge) S46371] Adjutant

A true copy [undeciphered signature] Major

Settled with on Return of Lieut Colo. Posey's [Thomas Posey BLWt1733-450] detachment. Certificate delivered Lt. Col [undeciphered] Jones paymanster.

[other side]

War Office 23<sup>d</sup> August 1783

The within certificate shall not avail the Bearer as a discharge untill the ratification of the definitive treaty of peace, previous to which time and untill [several illegible words]

B. Lincoln

The within named Benj. Wood has rec'd pay for three months for 1783 [undeciphered signature]