## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant Information relating to Oliver Towles BLWt2213-450 f4VA Transcribed by Will Graves 12/20/11

Va. Towles, Oliver B.L.Wt.2213-450—Lt. Col.

Issued Dec. 7, 1791

no papers

[extract from a letter dated September 2, 1927 responding to a request for information regarding this veteran as follows:

"I have to advise you from the records of this Bureau, it appears that Warrant No. 22134 450 acres of bounty land was issued December seven, 1791, on account of the services of Lieutenant-Colonel Oliver Towles of the Virginia Line, War of the Revolution.

There is no further information on file as to his services, nor any data on file as to his family, owing to the disruption of papers in such claims, when the War Office was burned in November 1814...."

Respectfully

E. W. Morgan, Acting Commissioner]

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I do Hereby Certify that Capt Oliver Towles entered as an officer in the 6 Virginia Regt the 20 day of February 1776 and Ranked as Lieut Colo in the 5th Regt at the close of the War and continued thus [?] until Peace was Established. Given under my hand May 1<sup>st</sup> 1799

S/ John W. Willis Late Maj in the 5<sup>th</sup> V. Regt. I go Florets. Certify that Capt oliver Gonter Entered as an Officer in the 6 Vergence Right to so Day as an Officer in the 6 Vergence Right to so Day of Jebruary. 1776. and Nanho as Level Color in the for Aug at the Close of the War. and Continued the winter have were literated from warder ony Hand. May 1.799. Ilm to Must have had been supplied to the May to the Stage of the Stag

I do Certify that Colo Oliver Towles was a Captain in the minute Service in September 1775 and continued therein until about January or February 1776 when he was appointed a Captain in the 6th Virginia Regiment on Continental Establishment and continued in service to the close of the War at which time he ranked as a Lt Colonel.

August 6th 1799

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I do Certify that Lt. Colonel Towles entered into the service of the United States in February 1776 and is now in Actual service.

Washington 1<sup>st</sup> January 1783

P. Muhlenberg BG [Peter Muhlenberg, Brigadier General]

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