

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Thomas Porter VAS243

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

We hereby Certify that we knew Thomas Porter an Officer in the late Revolutionary war with Great Britain he entered into Service sometime in the year 1776 and continued in Service upwards of three years & six months and that he was a Captain of a company of Guards [?] in Taylor's Regiment and continued until the end of the war upon Continental establishment.  
Given under our hands the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1810.

S/ Wm Triplett, Captain [William Triplett]  
S/ Is.[?] Porter, Major [Isaac Porter?]

The image shows two handwritten signatures. The top signature reads "Wm Triplett" and the bottom one reads "Is. Porter Major". Both signatures are written in cursive ink and placed over their respective printed titles: "Captain" and "Major".