

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Record relating to Henry Hardman BLWt1045-400  
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Md. Hardman, Henry<sup>1</sup>

BLWt1045-400—Major.  
Issued June 11, 1790  
No papers<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Heitman entry: “Hardman. Henry (Md). 3rd Lieutenant of Stephenson's Rifle Battalion, 11th July, 1776; Captain 1st Maryland Battalion of the Flying Camp, July, 1776; taken prisoner at Fort Washington, 16th November, 1776; exchanged September, 1778; Captain 7th Maryland, 10th December, 1776; Major 6th Maryland, 22nd May, 1779; transferred to 3rd Maryland, 1st January, 1781, and served to the close of the war.”

<sup>2</sup> The reason there are no surviving papers relating to this bounty land claim is that the offices of the War Department along with the papers filed there were destroyed by fire in 1800 and all pension and bounty land records predating that fire were destroyed. Further, pension and bounty land papers generated between the fire of 1800 and 1814 were lost when the British burned Washington DC on August 14, 1814.