## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## Bounty Land record of Thomas Hoard [Hord] BLWt1073-300

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[Methodology: Spelling, punctuation and/or grammar have been corrected in some instances for ease of reading and to facilitate searches of the database. Where the meaning is not compromised by adhering to the spelling, punctuation or grammar, no change has been made. Corrections or additional notes have been inserted within brackets or footnotes. Blanks appearing in the transcripts reflect blanks in the original. A bracketed question mark indicates that the word or words preceding it represent(s) a guess by me. The word 'illegible' or 'indecipherable' appearing in brackets indicates that at the time I made the transcription, I was unable to decipher the word or phrase in question. Only materials pertinent to the military service of the veteran and to contemporary events have been transcribed. Affidavits that provide additional information on these events are included and genealogical information is abstracted, while standard, 'boilerplate' affidavits and attestations related solely to the application, and later nineteenth and twentieth century research requests for information have been omitted. I use speech recognition software to make all my transcriptions. Such software misinterprets my southern accent with unfortunate regularity and my poor proofreading skills fail to catch all misinterpretations. Also, dates or numbers which the software treats as numerals rather than words are not corrected: for example, the software transcribes "the eighth of June one thousand eighty six" as "the 8th of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention.]

[cover sheet]

Va. Hoard, Thomas B.L.Wt.1073-300—Capt. Issued Dec. 13, 1791 to Francis Graves, assignee No papers

Note: the file contains the standard response letter indicating that there are no papers relating to this claim as a result of the destruction of the War Office by fire in November 1800]

[Note: The following documents may relate to the veteran named above]

[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia] file indexed under the name Thomas Hord

Richmond 19th May 1783

I do hereby Certify that Captain Thomas Hord of the Virginia Continental Line entered the Service the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1776 & hath served successively from that time to this period.

S/P. Muhlenberg, BG [Peter Muhlenberg]

[separate file]

Thomas D Harris will be extremely obliged to Major Coleman if he will give the Governor a certificate in the Case of Captain Thomas Horde – Thomas Horde has obtained one from General Blackman [sic] stating that he entered in the service of the U.S. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Regiment in January or February '76 but does not state the rank he held in the Army.

Friday morning

Thomas Hoarde has drawn land as a Captain

S/ S. Coleman

I do certify that in the year 1775 I was appointed Major to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Virginia Regiment. That in 1776 & 1777 I commanded said Regiment as a Colonel – and that in the year 1776 & 7 the following Captain served under me in said Regiment

Captains – R K Mead

George Johnston

Richard Parker

George Nicholas

William Fontaine

William Taliaferro

Francis Taylor

Hawes

Everard Mead -and

That Christ. Blackburn of Caroline County was Adjutant to said Regiment in the year 1775 & 1776 and continued as such I think all of the year 1776 – I further believe [several words too faint to discern] & recollection, that the Regiment at first was composed only of six Companies, and that the three last companies commanded by Francis Taylor – \_\_\_ Hawes & Everard Mead was added to the Regiment in 1776.

Given under my hand this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1808 –

Alexander Spotswood

**Caroline County** 

I do Certify that Thomas Hord went into the Second Virginia Regiment in January or February Court in the year 1776 –

Given under my hand this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1808

S/ Christopher Blackburn, then Adjutant in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Virginia Regiment on Continental

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Warrant issued to Captain Thomas Hord for seven years service

S/Wm Price, Regr.