Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Bounty Land Claim of John Champ Carter BLWt468-300 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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[The federal file contains no original papers. The following are from bounty-land papers in the Library of Virginia.]

I Certify that Capt John C Carter was appointed an officer in the Virginia Line Early in the year seventeen hundred & seventy six and still Continues

[William Moseley, pension application W5385] Maj'r

Virginia Line

April 8th 1783

Capt John C Carter's first Commission was dated in March 1776 H Young

I do hereby certify that Capt. John C Carter was appointed an Ensign in Capt. Mat. Jouetts [Matthew Jouett BLWt1126-300] Company from Albemarle the last of January or the first of February in the year 1776 and afterwards joined Col Harrisons [Charles Harrison VAS1411] Reg't of Artillery and was promoted to the rank of Captain in the aforesaid Regiment in which appointment he continued to the end of the Revolutionary War – Given under my hand this 13th day of April 1808

[Samuel Jordan Cabell VAS753] Lt Col.

[One line illegible]

Capt. Jno C. Carter appears to have drawn for his [undeciphered word] service. Certificate states "ending March 1783." [signed illegibly]

Land office/ 1 May 1808