

**MILITARY COLLECTION
VII. WAR OF 1812**

GENERAL RECORDS, 1812-1821.

Accession information: Although the precise details of the accession of these records are unknown, it is probable that most of the muster rolls were records of the Adjutant General's Department, and that the payrolls and accounts were records of the Treasurer and Comptroller.

Schedule reference: None.

Arrangement: Topical

Finding Aid prepared by: Maurice S. Toler.

Date: June 1, 1965.

See also the following related records and references in the Archives:

1. *Muster Rolls of the Soldiers of the War of 1812: Detached from the Militia of North Carolina in 1812 and 1814* (Raleigh: Adjutant General, 1851.)
2. TREASURER'S AND COMPTROLLER'S RECORDS. Military Papers.
3. ADJUTANT GENERAL'S RECORDS.
4. GOVERNOR. William Hawkins, 1811-1814.
5. U.S. National Archives. Index to Compiled Service Records of Volunteer Soldiers Who Served during the War of 1812 in Organizations from North Carolina. 5 reels, 16 mm. positive microfilm.

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- 1** Muster Rolls, 1813-1815.
- Include rolls for the field and staff officers and for the detached militia companies from the various counties of the state. Information given about the individual soldier: Name, rank, when service began and ended, distance traveled, total term of service, and remarks.
- Book 1 - "Muster Rolls of the Detached Militia of North Carolina in service in AD 1813 - Vol: 1st."
- Book 2 - "Muster Rolls of Detached Militia of North Carolina called into the service of the United States; transmitted to the War Office in May AD 1816 - Muster Rolls of the Detached Militia of North Carolina in service in AD 1813 - Vol: 2nd."

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Book 3 - "Muster Rolls of Detached Militia of North Carolina called into the service of the United States transmitted to the War Office in May AD 1816 - Vol: 1st." (These rolls are for periods of service in 1814 and 1815.)

Book 4 - "Muster Rolls of Detached Militia of North Carolina called into the service of the United States transmitted to the War Office in May AD 1816 - Vol: 2nd." (These rolls are for periods of service in 1813 and 1814.)

Book 5 - "Muster Rolls of Detached Militia of North Carolina called into the service of the United States; transmitted to the War Office in Feb. AD 1817." (These rolls are for periods of service in 1813 and 1814.)

Book 6 - "Muster Roll of the Detached Militia ordered to Wadesborough in AD 1815 commanded by Colonel Andrew Irwin - A.D 1815."

2 Pay and Receipt Rolls, 1813-1815.

These rolls are the pay and receipt records of the companies of detached militia from the several counties of the state which were called into the active service of the United States in 1813, 1814, and 1815. Type of service (infantry, artillery, etc.), period of service for which payment is made, and name of company commander are normally included. Information given about the individual soldier: Number of receipt, name, rank, term of service, pay per day, number rations per day, price of rations, amount received, signatures, witness, and remarks. Duplicate rolls are included in most instances.

Field and Staff Officers, 1813.

 Anson-Brunswick, 1813-1815. [*See also* Vol. II, Chatham]

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- 3 Pay and Receipt Rolls, 1813-1815,
 Chowan, 1813.
- 4 Pay and Receipt Rolls, 1813-1815,
 Cumberland-Hertford, 1813-1814.
- 5 Pay and Receipt Rolls, 1813-1815,
 Hyde-Northampton, 1813.
- 6 Pay and Receipt Rolls, 1813-1815,
 Orange-Wayne, 1813-1814. No county given, no date.
 [See *also* MILITARY COLLECTION, War of 1812, Pay and Receipt
 Rolls, Vol. II (Book)]
- 7 Account Books, 1813-1819.

Include allowances by the auditors of North Carolina for pay, rations, and forage for the members of the detached militia companies from the various counties of the state. Information given about the individual soldier: Number of claim, name of claimant and rank, term of service, rate of pay per day, number of rations per day, price of rations, forage rate per day, servants hire per day, servants rations per day, total amount, and remarks.

"The following are allowances for pay, rations, and forage made by the commissioners for that purpose appointed by the General Assembly of North Carolina to the Officers and Soldiers herein after named: called into public Service in time of the Invasion of this State by the Enemy in July & Aug. 1813."

Book 1 and index, 1813 - account settled in 1817.

Book 2 and index, 1813-1815 - account settled in
1817.

Book 3 and index, 1813 - account settled in 1814.

Index to books 4-7.

Book 4, 1813 - account settled in 1814.

Book 6, 1813 - no settlement date.

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Book 8, 1813-1815 - account settled in 1819.
Book 1, 1813-1814 - account settled in 1818 and
1819. [Duplicate of Book 1].
Book 2, 1813 - account settled in 1814.
Book 12, 1813 - account settled in 1814.
Book 2, 1813 - account settled in 1814.
Book 2, 1813 - account settled in 1815.

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Account Books and Miscellaneous Accounts, 1813-1821.

A list of certificates issued by Governor William
Hawkins, 1814.
Militia claims paid over by the Public Treasurer of
North Carolina, 1817-1818.
Account of transportation and supplies furnished the
detached militia of North Carolina and not sent to the War
Office before February, 1817, for services, 1813-1815.
Accounts for transportation and supplies furnished
the troops ordered to Gates Court House and Hillsborough
in 1814, and to Wadesborough in 1815.
Accounts for transportation and supplies furnished
the troops ordered to Wadesborough and other places,
1813-1815 (two folders).
Miscellaneous accounts filed by name, 1813-1815 -
accounts settled in 1818 and 1821:

Folder #8:

Jones, Willie
Pugh, Augustine
Sugg, Johua, Jr.
Bryan, Harry
Littlejohn, Thomas B.
Wall, Michael
Waddell, Thomas
Pigott, Maj. Elijah

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8 (cont.)	<p><u>Folder #9:</u> Manning, Joseph Roberts, John M. Moore, Alfred Creecy, Joshua S.</p> <p><u>Folder #10:</u> Allen, Maj. Jesse Lewis, Capt. Gideon Flowers, Josiah Price, Zebred Hurdle, Henry Rose, Sterling Kennedy (Keneday) Kinchen Stevenson, Capt. Martin Lenoir, Maj. Thomas</p> <p><u>Folder #11:</u> McNeill, Neill Sellers, Capt. John Pinkham, Capt. Nathaniel Smith, E. Prescott, Alven Johnson, Paschal</p> <p><u>Folder #12:</u> Rose & McKissock Dixon, Jeremiah Bailey, 1st Lt. William Fuller, Bradshaw Williamson & Lea</p> <p><u>Folder #13:</u> Williamson, Lt. James Sikes, John Lasitor, Capt. George Lasitor, Lt. Robert Nailor, Ens. Abraham</p>

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Folder #14:
Cherry, James
Hamrick, Nathan
Durham, Charles

9 **Miscellaneous Material, 1812-1817.**

Joseph Phillips's commission as captain, 1812 (signed by President James Madison). [NOTE: Missing since at least 1986]
Pay scale of United States troops, 1813.
Abstract of rations due Carteret militia, 1813.
County militia's receipts for arms, 1813.
Roster of officers, 7th Detached Regiment.
Morning report of the 7th Detached Regiment, March 19, 1814.
Prisoners brought into Elizabeth City on board the "Nymph," 1814.
Muster rolls of Corps of Artillery at Fort Moultrie, 1815.
Muster roll of Captain Donoho's Artillery, 1815.
Ration return of Elijah Dever's Company, 1815.
Powers of attorney to receive soldiers' pay, 1813-1817.
Account of the State with Gen. John Roberts, 1813-1815.
Affidavit that Brig. Gen. Boon Felton reviewed the troops in his district, 1817.
Blank North Carolina U.S. Army enlistment forms (2)(uncut).

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10 **Miscellaneous Material, 1812-1822.**

Accession information: These records were received from Dr. Sarah M. Lemmon on February 12, 1975. They consist of photocopies and xeroxes of National Archives and Library of Congress documents obtained by Dr. Lemmon for use in preparing *North Carolina and the War of 1812*.

Accessioned: February 17, 1975.

Schedule Reference: None.

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Arrangement: See description below.

Finding Aid prepared by: Cathy Jackson.

Date: February 17, 1975.

[See also MILITARY RECORDS. War of 1812 (Microfilm Collection)].

Letter from Capt. Benjamin Forsyth and enclosing documents requesting authorization to raise a regiment of riflemen, October 24, 1812.

Letter from Andrew Jackson reporting on the Battle of Horseshoe Bend, April 2, 1814.

Letter to Johnston Blakeley, commander of the USS *Wasp*, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, from W. Jones of the Navy Department, March 3, 1814.

Documents relating to the USS *Wasp* and to its captain, Johnston M. Blakeley, 1814-1816.

John Randolph letters to Richard Stanford from the Garnett Manuscripts (Library of Congress), 1814, 1822.

- 11** Pay and Receipt Rolls (laminated and bound)
[These appear to have been compiled from Boxes 2-6].

Miscellaneous Materials (OVERSIZED):

Photostatic copy of the Annual Report, Fifth Division of the Militia of North Carolina, 1813, Maj. Gen. Montfort Stokes, commanding. [Location: Map Case, Military Collection, Stack Level 2A].

Microfilm Records:

Z.2.34 Pay and Receipt Rolls, War of 1812