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**Provost Marshals** 

A total of **nine provost marshals** were appointed during the American Revolutionary War; although all were sergeants, they were appointed to captains at the dates of their service, there was daily soldiers assigned to them

Sergeant William Marony- January 10 – October 1776

Sergeant Thomas Bryan- October 1, 1776-January 14, 1777

Sergeant John Prentice – January 14, 1777, February 15 1777, resigned

Sergeant Henry Snagg - February 1777 - January 23, 1778

Sergeant Daniel Timothy Howe-January 23, 1778-July 1778

Sergeant John Weiss-July 1778- March 1780

Sergeant Thomas O'Bryan- March- July 1789

Sergeant William Hutton- May 19, 1780-April 1782, court-martialed and dismissed

Sergeant Asa Andrus-July 19, 1781- November 1782

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#### **Commander in Chief first foot guard**

George Albin, John Barnes, John Blundin, Oliver Chapin, Benjamin Church, Sergeant Clement, John Coffin, Lemuel Coffin, Arron Crumbie, Gardner Carswell, Caleb Gibbs, William Green, Thomas Harris, Caleb Hendee, Thomas Hickey, James Johnson, Charles King, John King, James Knox, John Leary, George Lewis, Ephriam Lucas, Michael Lynch, Zenas Macombor, Hezekiah Moor, Thomas Prentiss, Samuel Raymond, Zebulon Richmond, Samuel Sherman, Jesse Smith, Michael Tullis, Daniel Warner, Francis Wood.

#### **Commander in Chief Cavalry**

Capitan George Lewis, Lieutenant Robert Randolph, Quartermaster Sergeant, Charles King Sergeants Isaac Davenport, Francis Wood Corporals John Druce, Carswell Gardner, James Knox, Saddler Jeremiah Low, Farrier Thomas McCarty, Trumpeter Nathan Pushee Privates John Blundin, William Boyd, Nathaniel Bracett, Jonathan Bryant, Michael Carswell, Oliver Chapin John Coffin, Lemuel Coffin, Philip Disclow, William Dunn, William Garret, Charles Gavat, Thomas Harris, Caleb Hendee, Daniel Hersey, William Hincher, Samuel Huston, Isaac Kidder, Abraham Lawell George Layard, Samuel Leverich, Zenas Macomber, Alexander McCulloch, Nathaniel Potter Samuel Raymond, Samuel Reynolds, Samuel Sherman, Jesse Smith, Simeon Stow, Michael Titcomb, Zebulon Titcomb

The following names are believed to be most all of those who served in the guard from 1776 till the guard did their last duty and were discharged December 20, 1783

#### **LIFE GUARD Foot Infantry**

Major Caleb Gibbs, Captains Bezaleel Howe, Henry Philip Livingston
Lieutenants, William Colfax, Levi Holden, Benjamin Grymes, George Lewis, John Nichols
Ensign, George Augustine Washington
Surgeons, Ebenezer Crosby, Samuel Hanson
Drum Major, Diah Manning

Sergeants: John Arnold, Samuel Bliss, Davis Brown, John Clements, Martin Cole, William Coram Nathaniel Cunningham, Cornelius Drake, Bildad Edwards, Lewis Flemister James Frazier, Carswell Gardner, Thomas Harris, Daniel Holt, William Hunter, John Jones John Justice, William McIntire, Reaps Mitchell, John Morris, William Pace, John Phillips Thomas Prentias, David Rice, Peter Richards, William Roach, Nehemiah Stratton John Sturm, Joseph Timberlake, John Wilson, Francis Wood, Frederick Young Corporals: Moses Cutter, John Dent, Ephraim Eddy, Joshua Forbes, Elihu Hancock John Herrick, Thomas Holland, Joel Holt, Joseph Law, Henry Randolph Asa Redington, Henry Sparks, Seth Sturtevant, Levi Talbot, Enoch Wells, Samuel Wortman Drummers: John Fenton, Theophilus Frink, William Green, Roger Manning William Simpson, Cornelius Wilson Fifers: Elias Brown, Jared Goodrich, James Johnson, Isaac Manning, Samuel Odiorne, Fredrick Parks Privates: Asa Adams, George Albin. Thomas Allen, Richard Alling, Stephan Ames, David Ashby Samuel Bailey, Amos Baker, Andrew Barker, Benjamin Barham, John Barnes, John Barton William Batchelder, John Bell, Asa Benjamin, John Berry, Nathaniel Berry, James Blair Robert Blair, Thomas Blair, John Blundin, John Bodine, Benjamin Bonnel, Mills Bourn James Bradley, James Brooks, Ebenezer Brown, Jedediah Brown, Moses Brown Zachariah Brown, \_\_\_\_\_ Bullard, John Bush, Lewis Campbell, Ebenezer Carlton, Nathaniel Chapman, Jonathan Chenoweth, Raleigh Christian, Benjamin Church, John Coffin,

Lemuel Coffin, John Cole, William Condel, Connor, Daniel Cook, Wilmer Cooper
Ebenezer Coston, James Craig, Samuel Craig, Joel Crosby, Aaron Crumbie, Hugh Cull
Abraham Currier, James Dady, Solomon Daley, William Darrah, Joseph Davis, John Daws
William day, Levi Dean, Joseph Delano, Henry Desperate, Antipas Dodge, John Dother
Charles Dougherty, George Dougherty, James Dougherty, Jeremiah Driskel, Levi Dunton
Daniel Dyer, Robert Eakin, Harry Eastman, Benjamin Eaton, Eaton
John Edge, Clayborne Elder, David Emery, John English, Jacob Erwin, Eliphalet Everett
Laban Fairbanks, George Farmer, William Ferguson, John Finch, Robert Finley
George Fischer, Elijah Fisher, Thomas Forrest, Adam Foutz, William Gilbert, William Gill
Thomas Gillen, James Gordon, Edmund Griffin, Hugh Hagerty, Silvanus Hall
Thomas Harmon, William Haris, Andrew Harrison, Celeb Hendee, William Henussey
Stephen Hetfield, Thomas Hickey, Spencer Hill, Joseph Hilton, Peter Holt, Philip Holt
Isaac Howell, Thomas Howell, James Hughes, John Hurring, Hutchinson
Daniel Hymer, Pendleton Isbell, John Ives, Zachariah Jackson, Solomon Janet, Asa Johnson
James Johnson, Levi Johnson, Ephraim Jones, Joseph Jones, William Jones, John Kenney
William Kernahan, John Kidder, Charles King, James Knox, Laban Landon, Jasper Langley
Elijah Lawrence, John Leary, Benjain Lester, Hezekiah Linton, William Logan
Simeon Lothrop, John Lovejoy, Seth Lovell, Ephraim Lucas, Michael Lynch, Zenas Macomber
Phineas Mapes, Peter Martin, William Martin, William McCown, James McDonald
James Madison, John Montgomery, Hezekiah Moor, Jonathan Moore, Dennis Moriarty
Morrill, David Morrison,Norris, Jesse Norr, Reuben Odell, William Odell
John Paddington, William Palmer, Joseph Parker, John Patton, John Pease, Henry Perry, Benjamin Pierce
John Pillar, Shadrack Pinkstone, Thomas Piper, Abner Pitcher, Elijah Pollock,Pope
Robert Preston, William Price, Andrew Pritchett, Henry Pullen, John Putnam, Samuel Raymond
Daniel Reed, Samuel Reeves, Samuel Reid, William Reiley, Zebulon Richmond, Timothy Ricker
Dixon Robinson, John Robinson, Christopher Rodamer, Jonathan Rundlett,Sanborn
Elnathan Sanderson, Abie Sargent, John Savory, Jacob Schriver, Samuel Sherman, Micajah Sherwood
Joseph Shipman, John Shorey, William Simmons, John Slocum, Francis Smith, John Smith

Luther Smith, Randolph Smith, Samuel Smith, Timothy Smith, Henry Snow, John Standard
John Stockdell, Joseph Stripe, Michael Sutton, William Tanner, Daniel Thompson, Reuben Thompson
Ezekiel Thurston, John Tipper, Michael Titcomb, Zebulon Titcomb, Solomon Townsend, John Trask
Simon Tubbs, Abraham Van Sickle, Jesse Vibbart, Joseph Vinal, Robert Wadsworth, Henry Wakelee
Moses Walton, Benjamin Ward, Daniel Warner, William Warrington, Edward Weed, Edward Whelan
Samuel Whitmarah, Edward Wiley, John Williams, Joseph Winch, William Wyman

#### Last mission of the Guard.

These guardsmen were: 1st Sergeant Nehemiah Stratton, 1st Corporal Asa Reddington (his diary- Journal of his life and war, of which I have a copy, is at Stanford University); Corporal Joel Holt, who served as wagon master, Privates: Stephen Ames, William Batchelder, James Blair, Ebenezer Coston, Abraham Currier, William Ferguson, David Morrison, Benjamin Pierce and Luther Smith.

## This is a list of the names added to the Marcechaussee-Von Herr Troup of Horse during the years 1779-1780, they were to serve for a 3 year enlistment:

Enlisted at Reading: David Fuchus(Fox), Ludwig Boyer, Sebastin Cunitz(Kuhns), Jacob Fuchs(Fox), Adam Koch, Daniel Richtmeyer, Carl Schuman, Peter Thun Henry Wilhausen and Henry Ziegler

Enlisted at Lancaster: Stephan Barth, Henry Frankforter, Andreas Stapper and Diedrich Strauss

Enlisted at Pottsgrove: John Ignatz Effinger, John Burkhardt, Johan Gerach, Valentine Gruber, Philip Grulich, Ludwig Kaiser, Frederick Mutler, Philip Neumann, Leonard Schwartz, Adam Zink and Henry Reiss(Hessian)

Twenty four members enlisted at Philadelphia, but does mean they resided there. Francis Harker, George Hess, Schaeffer, John George Hiller, John Adam, John Baumann, Dentzler, John Durie, Casper Groene/Green, Casper Hauser, John Kratzer, Andreas Pfaffenbach, Anthony Waechter, Wulzer and David Eckstien.

# Muster Roll call cards from the Troop of Horse, showing they enlisted and applied for a pension from Fold 3.com

There is no known duty roster for the chosen who escorted Washington back to Mt. Vernon, so we must go by pension papers. Highlighted were discharge December 31, 1783

#### **CAPITAN Bartholomew Von Herr**

1st Lieutenant <mark>Jacob Mytinger</mark>, 2nd Lieutenant Philip Strubeng, Sergeants George Balser Hess, Frank Harker, John Mutter

Trumpeters Lewis Wolf, John George Hiller

Corporals David Ekstine, John Ignatius Effinger, Anthony Wachter, Jacob Shafer, , Philip Shafer, Philip Smith

Privates, John Adams, George Anthony, Jacob Baclet, Stephan Barth, Henry Barth, John Bauman, Lewis Boyer, Peter brown, Joseph Buob, John Burkhardt, Alexander Campbell, Peter Cryobck, Sebastin Curutz, Christian Darrler, John Durie, David Eckstein, John Eicholtz, Andrew Eisnack, John Englehaupt, Andrew Fox, David Fox, Jacob Fox, Henry Frank, Henry Franforter, George Fricker, Peter Fricker, John Gerlach, Henry Ginser, Frederick Graff, Casper Green, Valentine Gruber, Philip Grulich, Casper Hauser, William Howe, Lewis Kaiser, Adam Koch, , John Kratzel, Henry Laffelot, John Morris, Frederick Mueller, Jacob Mueller, Philip Newman, Andrew O'Bryan, Peter Ox, Robert Pape, Andreas Pfaffenbach, Philia Picard, Henry Reiss, Daniel Richtmeyer, George Robert, Frederick Roster, Jacob Reppert, Joseph Saugarat, Michael Sechler, Peter Shoemaker, Charles Shuman, Leonard Swartz, John Sievoigt, John Stadeiman, Andres Stapper, Diedrich Strauss, Mathew Taylor, Peter Thum, Frederick Titus, Thomas Trisher, John Turk, John Ullick, John Wagner, John Weikell, Henry Wilhausen, Balser Wilhem, Ludwig Wolf, Isaac Woolsey, John Yachter, Philip Young, , David Zabern, John Zapz, Henry Ziegler, Abraham Zink, Peter Zopple, Henry Zullick