

EXTRACTS FROM AN ORDERLY BOOK KEPT BY
SERGEANT L. BROOME OF CAPTAIN SIMOND'S
COMPANY OF THE 4th ARTILLERY STATIONED
AT THE NORTH AND MIDDLE REDOUBTS NEAR
WEST POINT N. Y. 1780 - 1781

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WEST POINT 1781

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Arranged by the Transcriber in Chronological Order as far as possible.....

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Memorandum: of a vision that appeared to me when I was deprived of My Senses when on board of the Ship Carolina Commanded by Cap^t Benjamin Loxley bound from London to the City of Philadelphia between ye 18th of March & ye 14th of May in ye year 1772:

I Came on board ye 18th Inst: in Perfect health and went aloft to help the Salors Lose the Sails. & in the Evening When whe came to Anchor I help^d the Same to furl them & when I Came from Aloft I went in to the Cobuse where the Provision is Cook^d and took a cupple of Bisquit and put them in Water & tosted them by the fire and Eat part of them but Whilest I Wass Eating them I wass Seased with a Strong feavour & a Violent Pain in my head Which obliged me to go to my hammock & from thare I never Returnd till verry near this Country Except in a Distracted way that the Ships Company Wass obliged to Carrey me back by force ass John Miller Who Wass my Ship mate told me after I recoverd & for the truth he may be Enquired of he being now Quarter Master Serj: in the Provost Company of Light Horse Commanded by Cap^t Van

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Flave Viz.^t - I thought thare wass a war Broke
out between England & France at Last it wass
Concluded upon that it wass to be decided by
twelve of the best Swords men that Could be
found in Each Country) that Wass the above Num-
bor from Each (I thought I wass amongst the
number of Spectators and Saw the french men Land
upon a Smooth Sandy beech Some where on the Cost
of Kent and as I wass aLooking on them thare
Came a Gentleman to me and Clapt his hand on my
Shoulder & told me that I wass Pitched upon to
fight those twelve french men: at Which I was
very much Surprised & told him that I W^{as} not
used to the Sword) he had Like wise Pitched upon ~~an~~
William Kerby Who I had formerly Lived With in
the Service of John Suffield Brown Esq^r at Lees-
thorp in Leicestershire (and I being verry much
Dishartned Concerning my unskillfullness I made
applycation to the above Kerby to take the Sword
first he being a Stout harty well made yong man
but he made answer that I was pick^d upon first
and Should take My place accordingly thare fore
I thought I prayed to the Lord to assist me and
took up the Sword in a verry weak Condition and

I thought the french man made a Longe at me which
I thought I parreyd it of over my Right Shoulder
& the second I put of on my Left Side which Gave
an open and I Rund him through the Sentere of
his boddey and he fell dead to the Ground but I
had no Sooner Slew him but thare Wass his Second
which I Served the Same and So I kept on till I
had Killd wounded or Disarmed the twelve and I
thought thare wass Great rejoycing Concerning my
being Such a hero and the Gentleman took me up to
the kings Pallace and told me that the king wass
aGoing to Settle five hundred pounds a year on me
& my airs for Ever for the honour I had Gaing En-
gland and I thought thay took me into a verry
Large beautyfull room which ~~was~~ thay Called
the board of Green Cloth and thare I wass to Stay
till the king Came to Settle the honours upon me
I haveing Staid thare Some time I thought I saw a
door open out of an other appartment and who Should
Come out but John Suffield Brown Esq^r and Pointed
at me and Saing is that him that is the Great hero
he more Deserves hanging then honours at those
Words I wass verry much terrified & by some means
Got out of the Crowd but for Some time I thought I
wass Got in to Some wild wilderness Place and no-

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thing to be seen but Woods and that the War Wass
not over but that I Saw Great Numbers of men Co-
ming from all Quarters in Indian file and I
thought that they assembled on Such high hills
that I had never Seen and I Distinctly Saw upon
theese hills two Long rows of tents and in the
rear of them a Great Number of marquees and that
I Wass verry buisey amongst them but Could not
tell What I Wass adoing aney further then running
backward and forward first to one and then to an
other at Last thare Wass a Gentleman Came to me
and Said take you forty Men and Goyou down that
hill and Look if you Can Se aney of the Enemy I
obeayd my orders and March^d at the head of the Men
till I had pass^d through a Large Wood at Last I
Came in to a verry Large Meadow & what Should I Se
thare as far as I Could Se to Right and Left but
two ranks of men in Red Cloaths With verry bright
arms. I thought the Men that Wass a Long with
me Said to me Good God Whe are never able to fight
those men thare is two maney of them: With that
I thought I made answer: my brave men be of Good
Courrage & do not be daunted fire upon them by
plattoons and keep a Constant fire & you are sure

to beat them: When I had Said that the firing
begun & an other Such Noise I thought I never
heard and it Continued for for Some time at Last
I thought I Saw the Enemy Break and run scaterd
all over the meadow & I and my Small Party runing
and Shouting after them and in Pursuit of the Ene-
mey I thought I got Lost from my Company and
wandred up and down by my Self at Last I Got to
the Incampment Where I Set of from first and I
Wass Imeadeatly put in Confinement and thay told me
the Crime Wass for Cowardice Which I thought
Greeved me verry much thinking in my own brest
that the Crime wass wrong not withstanding thay
tried me at a Court Martial and Sentenced me to
be Shot for being a Cowerd and I most Certainly
felt all the agoneys of one in those Circumstances
and the day and hour Came that I wass to Suffer
and Just as thay wass Going to Lead me out thare
Came forth a yong man and Said is this the man
you are a Going to Shoot for Cowerdice thay ans-
wered yes for he deserves it the other Made answer
he doeth not for the ^{truth} ~~Enemy~~ is whe wass all Dis-
heartned and he Courageous for this is the Man
that Commanded us the other day when whe beat the
Enemy and he deserves honour more then death I

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thought that I meadeatly realeased me and all my
former Greef and Agoneys of death was turned in
to Joy and Gladness and that was Just a Going to
Give me Some Great reward and all of a Sudden the
tents & marquees & the army disappeared & through
Gods Mercy I recovered~~ed~~ and Came to this Country
and honestly Served four years for my freedom and
now trust in the Lord I Shall Live to Se this un-
natureall war over and Peace and freedom in these
thirteen united States of America and have the
Happyness of relating these ^{truths} ~~facts~~ to my Wife
and Children Who I have been Seperated throm for
upwards of Nine years and a half and these Lines
are Nothing but the real trueth Wrote at the North
Redoubt Feb^{ry} ye 18th 1781 -----

Whitness my own hand

Leonard Broome Serj^t in Cap.

^{Simonds}
~~Simonds~~ Comp: ^y ye 4th Reg^t

atrl^y Comm^d by Col^o Tho^s

Procter -

Acct of Provisions Drawn for Capt Simmonds Comp'y of Artillery Stationed at the North and Middle Redoubts from the 13th of Nov. to the 30th; 1780 = from M^r. Bell A. C. I. N. ham. r. Bregade. ^{New Hampshire}

No. of Days	No. Days of the Month	No. of Officers & Wagon	No. of Artillery	Lb. of Beef	Drummers and Brevet	Skins of Deer	Quarts of Rum	Buttels of Potatoes	No. of Days	Days of the Month	No. of men women & children	No. of Horses	Lb. of Beef	Drummers and Brevet	Skins of Deer	Quarts of Rum	Buttels of Potatoes		
4	13	7	44	44	22	4	--	--	4	13	26	104	104	52	8	--	--	--	
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	15									15									
4	16	7	44	22	11	4	$3\frac{1}{2}$	$2\frac{1}{8}$	4	16	26	104	52	26	4	--	--	6	
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	18									18									
	19									19									
4	20	--	--	22	--	--	--	--	4	20	--	--	52	--	4	--	--	--	
	21									21	17	68	68	68	6	--	--	--	
	22	5	32	32	32	3	--	--	4	22		68	68	68	6	--	--	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	23									23									
4	24	--	--	32	32	3	$2\frac{1}{2}$	--	4	24	17	68	68	68	6	--	--	--	
	25									25									
	26	5	32	32	32	3	--	--	4	26		68	68	68	6	--	--	--	
	27									27									
	28									28									
4	29	7	22	22	22	2	--	--		29	[27]	50	50	50	4	--	--	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	30									30									
				174	119	16	6	2 $\frac{3}{4}$					394	264	32			6	7 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions Drawn for Capt Simonds Comp^y of Art^y
 Stationed at the North and Middle Redoubts from
 ye 1^t Dec^r to ye 31st from M^r Bull A.C.I. N ham:^{rs}
 Bregade

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[Similar in form to that on Page 8 except
 that "Candles" are added to the list
 of Provisions.]

Provisions Drawn for Cap^t Simonds Comp^y Stationed
at the North & Middle Redoubts from the 1^t of
Jan.^{ry} to the 31 = 1781 from M^r Bull A.C.I. to the
New Hampshire Bregade

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Provisions Drawn for Cap^t Simonds Comp^y Stationed
at the North & Middle Redoubt -- from y^e 1^t Feb:^{ry}
to the 28th - 1781 from M^r Bell A.C.I. to the New
Hamshire Bregade

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Acc^t of Provision Drawn in Cap^{tn} Simonds Comp^y y^e
4th Reg^t of Artillery from the Connecticut Lines
Commiss^y M^r Morgan North Redoubt March y^e 1^t 1781 -

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#	#	#	#

[All of above similar in form to that on Page 8
except that "Candles" are added to the list
of provisions.]

Proposals _____ Made
to the Noncommissioned officers & Soldiers of the
Pennsilvania Line at Princetown January ye 7th
1781.

His Excelency Joseph Reed Esq^r
Presid^t and the Hon^{ble} Bregadeer Gen^l Potter of
the Council of pennsilvania haveing heard the
Complaints of the Soldiers as Represented by thair
Serj^{ts} - Inform^d them that they are fully autho-
rised to Redress Reasonable Grevances and they
have the fullest Dissposition to Make them as
Easey as Possable, for Which End they propose -
1^t - that no Noncommiss^d officer or Soldier Shall
be Detained beyond the time for Which he freely and
voluntarly Ingaged but where they appear to have
been in any respect Compelld to Enter or Sign,
Such Inlistment to be Deemed Void -- and the Sol-
dier Discharg^d, 2^{dly} to Settle Who are and Who
are not bound to Stay, three Persons to be ap-
pointed by the President & the Counsel, Who are to
Examine into the tearms of Inlistment, Who Where
the orriganal Inlistments Cannot be found the Sol-
diers oath to be admitted to Prove the time and
tearms of Inlistment & the Soldier to be Discharg^d
upon his oath of the Condition of the Inlistment —

3^{dly} Where Ever aney Soldier has Inlisted for
 three years or During the War he is to be Dis-
 charg^d. Unless he Shall appear afterwards to have
 reinlisted voluntarily & freely, the Gratuerty of
 one hundred Dollars Given by Congress Not to be
 recond as a bounty or aney Men Detaind in Consi-
 quence of that Gratuerty, the Commissioners to be
 appointed by the President & Council to ajust aney
 Difficultys Which May Arise on this article allso -
 4^{ly} the Auditors to attend as Soon as Possable to
 Settle the Deppreseaton With the Soldiers & Give
 them Ceartificates, thair arrearages of pay to be
 Made up ~~ass~~ Soon as Circumstances Will admit =
 5^{ly} a pair of Shoes overhaws & Shirt Will be Deli-
 verd to Each Soldier in a few Days as thay are
 allready Perchaced, & readey to be Sent forward
 when Ever the Line Shall be Settled, those who are
 Discharg^d to rec^{ve}ive the above artticles at Fren-
 town, Produceing the Generals Discharge _____
 The Governer hopes that No Soldier of the Pennsil-
 vania Line Will break his bargain, or Go from the
 Contract made with the Publick, and thay May Dep-
 pend upon it, that the uttermost Care Will be taken
 to furnish them With Every Nessary fitting for a

Soldier———— The Governner will recommend
to the States to take Some favourable Notice of
those Who Ingaged for the War ————— The Com-
missioners Will attend at Frentown where the
Cloathing & the Stores Will be Imeadeatly brought
& the regiments to be Settled With In thair order,
a Feild officer of Each Reg^t to attend Dureing the
Settlement of his Reg^t ————— Pursuant to Gen^l
Wayn orders of 2^d Ins^t No man to be brought to any
trial or Cencure for What haith happened on or
Since New years day, but all Matters to be buried
in obvelion —————

{ Joseph Reed
{ James Potter

Monthly Return of Cap^t Simonds Comp^y in y^e 4th Reg^t of Artillery Command^d by Col^o Thomas Procter -----

Distribution North Redoubt January y ^e 27 th 1781	Officers										Alterations Since the Last ---					
	Commis ^d					Noncommis ^d					Total	Joined	Deserted	Discharg ^d	Dead ---	
	Cap ^{tn}	Cap & Lt.	1 st Lieut.	2 ^d Lieut.	Serj ^{ts}	Corps ^{ls}	Bombad ^{rs}	Gunnrs	D & Fife	Mattrosses						
Effective ft for Duty			1	1	4	4	3	4	2	21	40	16				
Sick Present							1				1					
D ^o Absent										1	1					
on Command					2						2					
on Extra Service							1			1	2					
on Furlough	1	1			1					1	4					
Confir ^d							1				1					
Total	1	1	1	1	7	4	5	5	2	24	51					

Sick Absent } one Mattross at Robinson house
 on Comm^d } two Serj^{ts} at Philadelphia Detained by y^e board of War
 on Extra Service } one Gunner at Gen^l Knox^s } artificier
 } one Mattross with Horses in Pennsylvania
 on Furlough } one Cap^t Lt to Philadelphia Dec^r y^e 11th
 } one Cap^{tn} & one Mattross to Morristown Jan^{ry} y^e 5th
 } one Serj^t to the Jerseys the Date not known
 Confir^d } one Bombadeir at Boston -
 Join^d } three Serj^{ts} one Corp^l two bombad^{rs} one Gunner and
 } Seven Mattrosses from Cap^t Freemans Comp^y ---
 } one Mattross from Cap^t Walters Comp^y
 } one Mattross Transeferd from Col^o Livingstons Reg^t

Leonard Broome Serj^t y^e 4th Reg^t
 Artillery -

Monthly Returns of Captain Simonds Company
of the 4th Regiment of Artillery for the following
dates, identical in form to the Return on the pre-
vious page:-

- February 24, 1781
- March 25, 1781

Weekly Returns of Captain Simonds Company
of the 4th Regiment of Artillery for the follow-
ing dates, identical in form to the Monthly Return
on the previous page:-

- February 2, 1781
- February 9, 1781
- February 16, 1781
- February 23, 1781
- March 3, 1781
- March 9, 1781
- March 16, 1781
- (Return with no date given)
- March 30, 1781

NOTE: All of the above returns were made while the
Company was at North Redoubt, near
West Point, N. Y..

[One page containing the accounts of Leonard Broome with several individuals and companies.]

Artillery orders

Jan^{ry} ye 24th - 81

The officers Commanding the art^y at the different Posts will Se the platforms Cleand from Snow and that Everything is put in the Most perfect read^{ey}ness for action -----

HeadQuarters New Windsor

Jan^{ry} ye 30th - 81

The Gen^l Returns his thanks to Major Gen^l Howes for the Judiceious Measures he persued, & to the officers & Men under his Comm^d for the Good Conduct & Alacrity with Which thay Excicuted his orders for the Surpressing the Late Mutiny in part of the New Jersey Line, it Gave Inexpressa- ble pain to have been to have been oblig^d to Imploy thair arms upon Such an ocasion & Convinced that thay them Selves felt all the Reluctance which former Affection to fellow Soldiers Could

Inspire, he Considers the patience with which they Conducted their fateague of the March through rough & Mountainious Roads Renderd Almost Impassable by the Depth of the Snow & the Chearfullness with Which they performd Every other part of thair Duty as the Strongest proof of thair fidelity - attachment to the Service Since of----- Subordaination & abhorrance of the principales th actuated the Mutineers in So doing & Attrocious a Departure from what they owed to thair Country, to thair officers to thair oaths and to themselves ----- The Gen^l is Deeply Sensable of the Suffering of the army, he Leaves no Expedient unassaid to Releive them & he is persuaded that Congress & the Several States are Doing Every thing in thair power for the Same purpose ----- but While We Look to the publick for the fullfillment of its Engagements, We Should do it with a proper allowance for the Embaresment of publick affairs We began the Contest for Liberty & Independence ill provided with the Means for War, Relying on our patriotism to Supply the Defficiency, We Expected to En-

counter maney wants & Distresses & We Should
 Neather Shrink from them When they happen nor
 fly in the face of Law and Government to pro-
 cure Redress _____ Thare is no doubt in
 the Event, the publick will do ample Justice
 to Men fighting & Suffering in its Deffence,
 but its our Duty to bear present Evils with
 fortitude Looking forward to the pereod when
 our Services _____ History is full of
 Examples of armeys Suffering with patience —
 Extrameties of Distress which Exceed those which
 whe have Expeerenc^d, and this in the Cause of
 ambition and Conquest, nd in that of the right
 of Humanity of thair Country of thair famelys &
 of themselves - Shall Whe Who aspire at the Dis-
 tinction of a patriot armey Who are Contending
 for Every thing Precious in Socity — Against
 Everything hatefull & Degradeing in Slavery,
 Shall Whe Who Call our Selves Cityzens, Discover
 Less Consistancy & Millatory Vertue the Merceary
 Instriments of ambition _____ Those who in
 the present Instant have Staind the Honour of
 Americain Soldery & Sulied the Reputation of
 patiant Vertue, for which thay have been So Long
 Eminent, Can ondley attone for this Pennsilvanion
 Defection by a Life Devoted to Glorious & Exam-

plary Discharge of thair Duty ——— The Gen^l
 is perswaded that a Greater part wher Influenced
 by the Pernicious advice of a few who proberbly
 have been paid by the Enemy to betray thair
 Associates, The Gen^l is happ^y in the Lenity Shewn
 in the Excicution of ondy two of the most Guilty
 ——— after Compelling the Whole to a Condi-
 tional Surrender and he flatters him Self no
 Simelar Instance will hereafter Disgrace our
 Millatory History ———

It Can ondley bring ruion to those Who are
 Mad enough to Make the attempt for Lenity in aney
 future Ocasion, would be Crimnal & Inadmissable —
 The Gen^l at the Same time presents his thanks to
 Major Gen^l Parsons for the prudent & Millatory
 Dispositions he made & to Lt Col^o Hull & the of-
 ficers & Men under his Comm^d for the Good Conduct
 address & Currage, with which they Excicuted the
 Enterprize against a Corps of the Enemy in West
 Chester, haveing Destriod thair barricks & a Large
 Quanterty of forrage, Burnd a Bridge aCross Harlam
 river under the protection of one of their Redoubts --
 Brought of 50^o Prissioners and a Number of horses
 & Cattle, With ~~an~~ Incon-
 siderable Loss, Except the Loss of Ensign Thompson

of the Sixth Massachusetts Reg^t an active Expe-
 rianc^d officer _____ The Gen^l Allso thanks
 Col^o Flazon & his party for thair Conduct and
 bravery in Covering Lt Col^o Hull^s Retreat and
 Repelling the Enemy, and Col^o Scammell and
 Sherburn and in Genaral and in Genaral all the
 officers & Men of Gen^l Parsons Commd for thair
 Good Conduct in Supporting the advanc^d Corps

Extracts from Gen^l orders ----

Head Quarters New Windsor Feb^y 3^d - 81

all the Men Serving in this Department who have not had the Small pox, to be Given in to the orderly office ass Soon ass possable by Bregades --

Artillery orders West point Feb^y ye 4th - 81

Commanding officers of Companey's at this post and its Dependencys to Make out Returns With out Delay, of Men Who have not had the Small Pox, theese Returns to be Given to the Adjutant

Garreson Orders West Point Feb^y ye 5 = 1781

[Orders Muster for the next day at 11 a. m. Light Infantry Companies to be reassembled.]

Artillery orders West point Feb^y ye 5th - 81

[Companies to be mustered at 11 a. m. the next day.]

Behold Happy is the Man Whome God Correcth - thare
fore Despise Not the Chastening of the Almighty -
for he maketh Sore - and he Bindeth up - he Woundeth -
and his hand maketh Whole - he Shall Deliver them
In Six trubbles yea in Seven, thare Shall no Evil
touch thee - in famine He Shall Redeem thee from
Death - & in War from the Power of the Sword -

North Redoubt
February ye 18th 1781 ----- Lt Broome Serjt in
ye 4th Regt of Artillery

an address Before Meat

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an address after Meat -

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North Redoubt
March ye 28th 1781

Remarks for the Month of Febuary 1781 In Cap^t

Simonds Comp^y of art^y

-
- 2^d William Gill Confind at New Windsor for theft --
 - 5 Serj^t Hyer & three Mattrosses Sent to new Windsor
for Cloathing -----
 - Thomas M^cFarling Returnd from Comm^d from Kings
Ferry -----
 - 11 Charles Proud being Detaind by the river being
Not Passable Drawd 2 Days Provision
 - 14 Frances Parry Returnd from fourlough. James Pameley
Came from Stony Point boath of them Drawd
three Days Provisison Each -----
 - 15 Edward Wallace Returnd from C^d at N: Windsor
 - D^o Serj^t M^cCarty Peter Ripley & Joseph Jones Sent
to New Windsor for 9 Blankets and thirty
Seven Pair of Buckles - y^e 17th Inst Returnd
With the above } y^e 18th Re[?]d y^e Buckles --
 - 19 9 Blankets Deliverd to the Comp^y by Lottery & 37
pair of Copper buckles } a Lottry-fer-ye Blankets-
 - 20 Jerim^h Paschall on Furlough to Amwell Township
Jerseys for forty Days -----
 - 25 John Jones Came from the Hospital & Sent to y^e Mid-
dle Redoubt -----
 - 19 ommitted } L^t Doty gave me orders to Erase the Names
of Pollard & Jones out of the Company Role --
 - 28 Serj^t M^cCarty Corp^l Little & ³ Mattresses Sent to ye
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Park for Shoes & Shirts & Stockings &c --
7 omitted } ~~Peter Jordain - William Robinson - &~~
~~Patrick Riley Deserted Mar. 2^d. Returnd~~
15 omitted } Rudolph Esling Discharg^d. at Philadelphia

Return of the ^{mr} Q: Gen: ^{ls} Stores in Cap: Simonds
 Comp.^y in y: 4 Reg: of Artillery Command^d by Col:
 Thos Procter -----

Distribution North Redoubt: March y: 1. 1781.	Good	B ad	Total	Alterations Since the Last			
				Drawn	Delivered	Worn out	Lost ...
Horse mans Tents		1	1				
Wall D:							
Common D:	3	5	8				
Tent Poles							
L. Portmantues							
C: Valeices							
Knapsacks		10	10				
Buckets		1	1				
Bowls	3	4	7				
Canteens	5		5				
Iron Spoons	2		2				
Camp Kettles	5	8	13				
Axes	4	2	6				
Spades		3	3				
Pix		1	1				
Shovels		13	13				

Cloathing Delivered to y^e Men in Cap^t Simonds Comp^y
 in y^e 4th Reg^t of artillery Comm^d by Col^o Tho^s
 Procter - - - - -

North Redoubt						
Mar y ^e 3 ^d - 1781						
Mens Names			Shirt	P ^r of Shoes	P ^r of Stockings	P ^r of Breeches
Leon ^d Broome.....	1	1	1	1	Ma ^r y ^e 9
Jacob Speigel.....	1	1	1		
Jn ^o Hyer.....	1	1	1		
#	#	#	#	#	#	
#	#	#	#	#	#	
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Leonard Broome Serj^t

Artillery

Roll of Cap^t: Simonds Company in ye 4th Reg^t of
Art^y under y^e Comm^d of Col^o Thomas Procter ----

<u>Serj^{ts}</u>	<u>Mattrosses</u>
1 Leon ^d Broome <i>oc^d</i>	21 Pet ^r Gainer
2 Jacob Speigel <i>ab^{with} Seive</i>	22 Ja ^s Robinson
3 Jn ^o Hyer [Hyer]	23 Edw ^d Wallace <i>J^p</i>
4 ow ⁿ McGarty	24 Pat. Riley <i>ab^{without} L</i>
5 B ^{apt} is. Collings <i>oc^d</i>	25 W ^m Robinson <i>D^o</i>
6 Jn ^o Dixon <i>oc^d</i>	26 Tho ^s M ^c Farling <i>oc^d</i>
<u>1^s Corp:</u>	27 Pat. M ^c Nullty <i>J^p Kinsey</i>
7 Ja ^s Litle	28 In ^v Cauldwell <i>Ext^o Service</i>
8 Jo ^s Oliver	29 W ^m [?]
9 Jn ^o M ^c Donnald	30 Fran ^{cs} Parry
10 Jn ^o Rickey	31 Ja ^s Pamely
11 Jerim ^h Paschal <i>Des[?]</i>	32 Jn ^o Jones
12 Geo. Gadsby <i>abs^t wthout L</i>	33 Jn ^o Dunn <i>ab^{with}out Seive</i>
13 Sam ^l : Assop	34 Clark Dicker
14 Jn ^o Brian	35 W ^m Kershaw <i>J^p abs^t</i>
<u>Gunners</u>	36 Jn ^o Lilley <i>abs^t wth Seive</i>
15 Jo ^s Williams	37 Dav ^d Griffiths <i>abs^t wthout L</i>
16 Jo ^s Fletcher <i>ab^{with}out L</i>	38 Jn ^o McGill <i>D^o D^o</i>
17 Char ^s Proud <i>on F</i>	39 Pet ^r Ripley
18 Jos Jones <i>ab^{with}out L</i>	40 Jn ^o Vinson <i>D^o D^o</i>

Drum & Fife

- 19 Jn^o Scrome
20 William Murphey

[Note:- The entries made above in ink were in the original made with different ink from that used in writing the roll, and apparently entered at some later date.]

Remarks for the Month of April 1781
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2^d Capt L.^t Power went to Philad.^a - Peter Riply
 obtained a furlough to Go to Philad.^a for Twenty
 Days -----

5 Geo Gadsby W^m Robinson Pat. Riley Jo^s Fletcher
 Jo^s Jones Jn.^o Dunn David Griffiths Jn.^o M^cGill
 Jn.^o Vinson Deserted --- L.^t Porter Sent after
 them With two Serj.^{ts} & 7 Men & Return^d y^e 6th
 not hearing aney thing of them:

[See Note on Page 27]

[The next to the last page of the book contains a short note written in cipher with a key to the cipher.]

[On the last page of the book only very few words are distinguishable.]