

on the field &
discipline in the camp
fully merits your
the recommendation

Commanding officer
to give him

Respectfully
Yrs. W. B. B.
M. J. B.
Brig. Gen.
Camp

Richmond Aug 23. 64

Sir

Pardon me for intruding your attention to

the promotion of Col John Bealton of the 6th South Carolina Regiment, now
under Major General Jenkins command of District Corps. When you
propose to take a new Brigade's General from South Carolina, I

would write your secretary to the same terms in which Col

Bealton is recommended by his commanding General for promotion.

Col Bealton is well known to me. He is a grandson of Col

Bealton who surprised and defeated the British & Tories under

Frank in York District South Carolina during the revolution.

The present Colonel Bealton was cast in the antique mould of a

man of Philanthropy. He had an army lead by such officers as

Bealton might be destroyed but could never be destroyed.

Yours truly

J. H. Seddon

William W. Boyce

Head Quarters
May 31st 1864
South Carolina
Chas. Child
Maj Gen

Col. that a Brig Gen
may be assigned or
appointed to command
a Brigade in the Center

Head Quarters
May 31st 1864

Respectfully for me
and the appointment
of Col. Patton who
is a well known and
excellent officer and
concerned in

D. H. McLean
Maj Gen

Head Quarters
In Camp
May 31st 1864

Gen. Brig Gen W. Jenkins
commanding a Brigade of South
Carolinians in my Division was
killed in action at the Battle of the
Wilderness May 6th.

I have the honor
to request that a Successor to him
may be assigned or appointed.

Col. John Patton 6th So. Co.
the Senior Col. has commanded
the Brigade since Gen Jenkins died.
I respectfully suggest his promotion
to the vacancy.

Bratton John

Co. 6, } **6 South Caroli**
Co. —, } **Infantry.**

(Confederate.)

Private Colonel

CARD NUMBERS.

1	49445871	20	49445871
2	5888	21	80
3	0000	22	4421
4	6000	23	4434
5	2000	24	7830
6	2000	25	
7	2000	26	
8	2000	27	
9	2000	28	
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12	2000	31	
13	2000	32	
14	2000	33	
15	454434	34	
16	6524	35	
17	6822	36	

The Confederate States

To Col. John Bratton

For the value of his horse,

killed in action, May 12th 1864.

The certificates of Col. Walker and of
Lt. Col. Hob and Bowen show that they
knew well the horse of Col. Bratton
when he came into service, that they
"appraised him to be worth thirty
four or fifty dollars at the time
he came into service." The same cer-
-tificates also show the killing as above
stated.

Per "Pay for horses killed in action".

Act. no. 48 sec. 7 March 6th 1861.

App. Act Feb. 17th 1864

Payable to Col. John Bratton

Treasury Department &c.
Comptrolling Office

No 30

No 1 Oct 7 4th 1862

Requisition for Fuel
Col John Patton

Nov & Dec

1862

Confederate States of America,

To *Jno Bratten 3rd Co C 6 Regt 500*

WHAT ACCOUNT.	COMMENCEMENT AND EXPIRATION.		TERM OF SERVICE CHARGED.		PAY PER MONTH.		AMOUNT.		REMARKS.
	From—	To—	Months.	Days.	Dollars.	Cts.	Dollars.	Cts.	
<i>Myself</i>	<i>19 June 1861</i>	<i>31 Aug 1861</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>152</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>off pay 100 June 1861</i>
<i>year's service,</i>									
<i>for</i>									
<i>horses,</i>									
							<i>\$ 152</i>	<i>10</i>	

I hereby certify that the foregoing account is accurate and just; that I have not been absent, without leave, during any part thereof; that I have not received pay, forage, or received money in lieu of any part thereof, for any part of the time therein stated; that I have actually and legally held the appointment and did duty in the department; that I have been a commissioned officer of years stated in the charge for every additional five years' service; that I am not in arrears with the Confederate States Treasury; and that the last payment I received was from *J. D. Thompson*

and to the *18* day of *June* 1861.
 I, at the same time, acknowledge that I have received of *J. D. Thompson* the sum of *One hundred & twenty two* dollars on the *18* day of *June* 1861.

Confederate States of America.

No. 10. *Strophomena* *Will. Har. and L. Har. & L.*

[illegible]

hereby certify that the foregoing account is accurate and just; that I have not been absent, without leave, during any part of the time
 for; that I have not received pay, forage, or received money in lieu of any part thereof, for any part of the time therein charged; that
 es were actually kept in service and were mustered for the whole of the time charged; that, for the whole of the time charged for my
 pointment, I actually and legally held the appointment and did duty in the department; that I have been a commissioned officer for the
 of years stated in the charge for every additional five years' service; that I am not in arrears with the Confederate States on any ac-
 count; and that the last payment I received was from Capit J. D. Wright, Pres.
 and to the 3rd day of August, 1861
 at the same time, acknowledge that I have received of Capit. H. F. Gaillard, Genl.
10th day of December, 1861, the sum of One hundred & 80 Dollars,
 amount in full of said account. 100

Receipt No. 17

paid the 14th day of June 1864

John B. Robertson

Dr. Henry C. B. R. & Co. S.

from the 1st day of June 1864

to the 31st day of June 1864

Pay 3

Forage.

Amount \$11.00

the 2nd Field Division
June 14th 1864

Special Order

No. 1

Proof of appreciation
to value such honors
may be brought before it

Wm. W. H. Murray
atty.

Files now in possession of
Capt. Geo. W. Dratton

Order again Sept 3
1864

Mr. Garrison

RECORD DIVISION

RECEIVED
JUN 15 1864

Recd Sept 30 1864.

Re: Dratton's
Sept 4/64

Signature of
to be given, of
Col. Dratton, Lt. Col
Bower, Col. Chas

St. Louis, Mo.
June 14th 1864

Special Order

No. 1

Month of appreciation
to value such hours
may be brought before it

W. H. Dickey
att'y.

Sites howe & name of
Maj. Gen. M. D. Patton

Order of Gen. S. P. T.
1864

Mr. Garrison

RECORD DIVISION

RECORDED
INDEXED

Recd. Sept 3rd 1864.

Ret. to the
Sept 4th

Signature of
to be given to
Col. Allen St. Col
Bower. Col. Brown

Major Malcom Hill
June 14th 1864

General Order
No. 3

The following named Officers are hereby
ordered of appearance to value any horses which are
brought before them.

Detained for the Board

Col Jos Walker Pelham's Sharpshooters

Let Col W. Goss

" " Bowen's 2nd Rifles S.C.V.

By Order of

Major Chas Field

Willis P. Jones

Adj. Genl

The Board must present to the above order, all the
present, living members of Col Jos Patton's Command, who
have horses belonging to him when he came into service,
at about the last of March 1864. That and killed in
the evening of the 12th May 1864. Appraised said
horses at fifteen hundred \$1500.00 Dollars as
he came in service. Joseph Franklin Col

P. 21

7. 11/11/13
See also
11/11/13
Feb 2/13

S.C. 770438

South Carolina

X 735

11/11/13

Respectfully forwarded.

Col. ^{RECORD DIVISION} Gordon is one of our
most gallant and worthy
officers. He is worthy of the
position for which he
is recommended. I doubt
if a better selection can
be made.

Henry Street

St. Louis, Mo.

11/11/13

Camp ...
B. 36

S.C. 77D 438

In testimony of the gallant conduct
of Col. John Braxton in battle
and recommending his
promotion

South Carolina

X 735 1st Lieut James W. B.

Respectfully forwarded
Col. ... DIVISION
... is one of our
most gallant and worthy
officers ... of the
position for which he
is recommended. I think
of a better situation can
be made.

Very truly
Yours
St. M. ...

1st Lieut James W. B.
... as evidence of the
... I hope ...
... that there is no
... in the ...

Camp near Fredericksburg
January 24th 1862

General, I beg to recommend to your
Brattle, Commanding the 6th Regiment
Carolina troops, for promotion to the rank
Brigadier General.

His superior capacity and constancy in
discharge of his military duties as a General
would strongly recommend him for promotion,
but he merits it more particularly for gallantry
and conduct in battle.

At Seven Pines, he was one of the leaders in the
and unflinching charge of the 2nd Brigade of
Division, which encountered and beat a far
superior force of the enemy, in four successive
battles, driving them two miles from their
position.

Throughout the whole action he was conspicuous
for skill and courage; coolness and gallantry
at the close of the fourth and last encounter,
he was severely wounded through the arm and

Richmond April 4th 1863

Sir

We beg leave to call your
to the ~~same~~ matter of the promotion of Col John B. Bratton
commanding the Sixth South Carolina Regiment. The
high terms in which Col Bratton has been recommended
for promotion, his commanding officer is Gentlemen
Longstreet and Lee, render it unnecessary to state
of his merits.

Yours

James L. Orr

Willesmith. Bice

Brother (Mr)

James L. Orr

April 21/63

James L. Orr

but Mr. Gentles
 recommends upon
 this subject
 recommends Col. Jack
 for promotion
 in that quarter
 Jan 1863

RECORD
 Jan 1863
 approved
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1863
 H. L. A. St. V.
 28 Jan 1863
 See remarks of
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Sec. of War. C. S.
 I consider
 duty, in justice to the
 to present for your con-
 in filling the vacant
 from South Carolina,
 of an officer, of high
 and service. Col.
 Senior Colonel of this
 one of the Senior Colonels
 has. Having had
 -larity as his immediate
 of judging, in continuance
 active service, of his
 qualifications, I feel
 upon me, as an officer
 that the best selection
 is important a position
 in character and rank

(CONFEDERATE.)

John Bratton
Bratton's Brigade

on an

Inspection Report

Division, commanded by Brig. Gen.
H. L. Benning.

January 31, 1865

of organ- }
service } 186

War
Commissioned officers accounted for:

186

10. - inclosure 10.

O. T. Taylor

(CONFEDERATE.)

John Bratton
Brig. Genl.

appears on an

Inspection Report

Bratton's Brigade, Field's Division, Longstreet's
Corps, commanded by Brig. Gen. John Bratton.

Report dated Lines near Richmond
January 27, 1865

Date of muster of organ- }
ization into service } 186

Term of service
Absent commissioned officers accounted for:
By what authority

Date 186

Remarks

Inspection Report P, No. 51, inclosure 14.

O. T. Taylor

(CONFEDERATE.)

John Bratton
Brig. Genl.

appears on an

Inspection Report

Bratton's Brigade of South Carolina Volunteers,
commanded by Brig. Gen. John Bratton.

Report dated Under Lines below
Richmond Dec 27, 1864

Date of muster of organ- }
ization into service } 186

Term of service
Absent commissioned officers accounted for:
By what authority

Date 186

Remarks

Inspection Report P, No. 42, inclosure 7.

O. T. Taylor

(CONFEDERATE.)

Bratton's Brig.
Jno. Bratton
Brig. Gen.

Inspection Report

Division, 1st Army Corps, Army of
Virginia, commanded by Brig. Gen.
L. Benning.

Richmond, Va.
Feb 27, 1865

Date of organization into service } *April 1862*, 1861
war.

Commissioned officers accounted for:

By what authority

186

Inspection Report P, No. 61; inclosure 5.

J. Kline

(CONFEDERATE.)

B
Jno. Bratton
Brig. Gen.

Appears on an

Inspection Report

of Bratton's Brigade, Field's Division, Long-
street's Corps, commanded by Brig. Gen. John
Bratton.

Report dated *Lines Below Rich-*
mond Va. *Feb.*, 1865

Date of muster of organ- } *Feb.*, 1865
ization into service

Term of service

Absent commissioned officers accounted for:

By what authority

Date } 186

Remarks:

Inspection Report P, No. 61; inclosure 10.

W. B. R.

(CONFEDERATE.)

B *E. J.* *16*
John Bratton
Brig. Gen.

Appears on an

Inspection Report

of Bratton's Brigade of South Carolina Volun-
teers, commanded by Brig. Gen. Jno. Bratton.

Report dated *Lines near Williams-*
burg Road Nov. 26, 1864

Date of muster of organ- } *Nov.*, 1864
ization into service

Term of service

Absent commissioned officers accounted for:

By what authority

Date } 186

Remarks:

Inspection Report P, No. 47; inclosure 8.

W. B. R.

Confederate.

Bratton
Gen. P. A. G. S.

as a signature to a

of Prisoners of War,

Army of Northern Virginia, this
surrendered by General Robert E. Lee, C. S. A.,
commanding said Army, to Lieut. Genl. U. S.
Grant, commanding Armies of United

Appomattox Court House, Virginia.
April 9, 1865.

Confederate.
General and Staff.
Bratton's Brigade.
John Bratton
Bratton's Brigade, Field's Division.

Appears on a

Roll

of Prisoners of War belonging to the Army of
Northern Virginia, who have been this day
surrendered by General Robert E. Lee, C. S. A.,
commanding said Army, to Lieut. Genl. U. S.
Grant, commanding Armies of the United States.

Done at Appomattox Court House, Virginia,
April 9, 1865.

Roll dated *Not dated*

Department

Remarks:

Concurred

260

(533e)

John Bratton

Approved

(CONFEDERATE.)

John Bratton
Brig Genl.

Appears on a

Register

Appointments, Confederate States Army.

State *S. Carolina*
for whom report *Genl. R. E. Lee*

Date of appointment *June 9, 1864*

Date of confirmation *June 9, 1864*

to take rank *May 6, 1864*

Date of acceptance *July 7, 1864*

delivered *Army N. Va*

Subsequent disposition

Secretary of War *J. A. Seddon*

Remarks:

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Bratton
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le, South Carolina Infantry,
Brig. Gen. John Bratton.

ersburg Va.
Sept 20 1864

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Report L, No. 15, Inclosure

L. E. Felt



No. 1
Col. Geo. Bratton

Due him \$1300.00
Pay for horses killed in
action Oct no 48, sec 7
March 6 1861
Appl Oct 7 Feb 17 1864

~~For horses killed~~
~~in action March 1861~~
REBEL ARCHIVES
Deposited Sept 5 1864
RETURNED TO DEPARTMENT

6
Recd Sept 1864 of 20
Auditor, California No
11602, in full of the
amount due

W.D. 83

Col. Geo. Patton
6th S.C.



Received by Hon.
W.W. Boyce for
promotion to
Brigadier General
5-6-64

Note for attention when
a Brigadier General S.C. is
in

26 July 64

file
Note from 25 July