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- Abstract: This is a collection of muster rolls for the Louisiana militia companies or detachments in federal service during the War of 1812. The earliest dated muster rolls show federal service for militia units from the former Louisiana Territory governed from Saint Louis, but a few of the 1813 rolls are for companies from the state of Louisiana. The bulk of the rolls are for units mustered in federal service between December 16, 1814, and March 15, 1815.
- Scope and Context: The muster rolls usually provide a headcount by rank of the men in a company or detachment as they enter or leave federal service. Disposition is given as to number of men present, missing, sick, deserted, absent without leave, etc. The unit is listed by commanding officer and then by regimental commander providing information on organizational structure of the militia during the Battle of New Orleans.
- Historical Note: The Louisiana Militia was first organized between 1803 and 1805, reorganized in 1808, and again in 1810 when the Florida Parishes were added to the Territory of Orleans. Under pressure from Andrew Jackson and William Charles Cole Claiborne, a reluctant state legislature authorized the formation of a small battalion of “Free Men of Color” in October 1814 under the regimental command of Colonel Michel Fortier and Major Lacoste. The legislated limits were already exceeded for Lacoste and then ignored when a second battalion under Major D’Aquin, the former head of the Orleans Battalion of Uniformed Volunteers, was formed from the former garrison of Santo Domingo Free Men of Color into the service of the United States in December 1814. This move, as Jackson explained to Monroe in his report on the battle (Andrew Jackson to James Monroe, February 13, 1815, from *Correspondence of Andrew Jackson*. Edited by John Spencer Basset. http://www.loc.gov/resource/maj.01032_0187_0194.) that he enrolled FMC troops in the Army to ensure that they would fight for the United States rather than against it. The muster rolls show a rapid military mobilization in reaction to the invasion, the consolidation of understrength regiments, and the supply network in Baratavia using both Baratavian and militia units.



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Powell A. Casey, *Louisiana at the Battle of New Orleans*, (Battle of New Orleans sesquicentennial historical booklets: 1965, Eastern National reprint: 1998, 2002) and 1955 Photostats Louisiana Militia Muster Rolls – War of 1812 in Jackson Barracks Archives.

Louisiana Militia Organizational Chart: Unit and Term of Federal service.

W.C.C. Claiborne, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of militia

1st Division: Maj Gen Jacques Philippe Villeré	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
1st Brigade: Brig Gen Jean B. Labatut	16 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
1 st Regiment: Col Jean B. Dejean (Orleans)	
Cpt Caleb Cox	16 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt Charles R Hicks	16 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt Francis Neda	16 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt George Simpson	16 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
2 nd Regiment: Col Zenon Cavelier (Orleans)	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
Cpt Jean Baptiste Pinta	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
Lt F. Delabosfries (detachment)	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
(11 men out of 53 missing or “claimed by French consul”)	
Cpt J. Trent Durel	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
Cpt Barthelemy Favre	17 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
Cpt Francis Perrilliat	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
Cpt Peter Peyroux	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
(10 men out of 35 missing or “claimed by French consul”)	
Lt Martin G. Visoro (artillery)	16 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
3 rd Regiment: Col Pierre Denis de la Ronde (Plaquemines)	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Michel Andrey	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Charles Carel	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt John W. Collins	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt Edouard Ducross	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Augustin Reggio	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Saint Pierre Bayhi	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Jacques Tantant	16 Dec 1815 – 20 Mar 1815
4 th Regiment: Col George W. Morgan (Orleans)	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt Anthony Duriocourt	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt August Gerard	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt A. Louis Harang	17 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815



Cpt Anthony Hebrand	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Lt Livingston (detachment)	17 Dec 1814 – 17 Feb 1815
Cpt G. M. Plicque	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Lt Nicholes Sennott	31 Jan 1815 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt Zacheus Shaw (Light Artillery)	15 Dec 1814 – 31 Jan 1815
(Fort St. John: 15 Dec 1814 – 31 Dec 1814))	
Cpt Voisin	17 Dec 1814 – 9 Mar 1815
Cpt L. J. L. Wiltz (Chapitoulas)	17 Dec 1814 – 10 Mar 1815
5 th Regiment: Col Alexander LaBranche	25 Dec 1814 – 2 Mar 1815
(German Coast: St. Charles, St. John the Baptist)	
Cpt Zenon Bondousquie	25 Dec 1814 – 2 Mar 1815
Cpt Michel Caranbin	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt Alexander Chenet	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt Chauvin Delery	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt Andre Deslonde	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt Pre Dumaine	25 Dec 1814 – 2 Mar 1815
Cpt Edmond Fortier	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt J. J. Haydel	25 Dec 1814 – 2 Mar 1815
(E. Trepagne plantation – German Coast)	
Cpt Ursin Jacob (German Coast)	18 Dec 1814 – 1 Mar 1815
Cpt Francois Rillieux Dragoons	24 Dec 1814 – 6 Feb 1815
2nd Brigade: Brig Gen Stephen A. Hopkins	22 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
6 th Regiment: Col Louis Landry	22 Dec 1814 – 7 Mar 1815
(Acadia: St. James, Ascension - Donaldsonville)	
Cpt Abraham Arcenaux	23 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Louis Le Bourgeois	25 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Joseph Gaudaits	22 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Ferdinand Landry	22 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Narcisse Landry	22 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Pierre Lalannes	23 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Sosthene Romain	23 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Lt F. St. Martin	22 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
7 th Regiment: Col LeBeouf (Assumption, Lafourche Interior)	
Cpt Burrell Aycock	28 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Jean Guillot	28 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Francois Mollere	27 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Pierre Richoux	28 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Lt Francois St. Martin (detachment)	6 Mar 1815 – 20 Mar 1815
8 th Regiment: Col Nathan Miriam	6 Jan 1815 – 5 Mar 1815
(Iberville, West Baton Rouge)	
Cpt Zenon Allain	29 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815



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Cpt David Hatch	27 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Michel Lambremont	29 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Denis Landry (Iberville)	26 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Pierre Joseph Landry	24 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Alexys LeBlanc	24 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt F. Seguin	29 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Cpt Jacques de Villiers (Donaldsonville)	26 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815
Lt Joseph Orilliony detachment	25 Dec 1814 – 4 Mar 1815

9th Regiment: Col _____? (Pointe Coupee)

2nd Division: Maj Gen Philemon Thomas

3 rd Brigade: Brig Gen Robert McCausland	23 Dec 1814 – 25 Mar 1815
10 th Regiment: Col Robert Young (Feliciana)	
11 th Regiment: Col Philip Hickey (East Baton Rouge)	
Lt John Poret	22 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
12 th Regiment: Col Abner Womack (St. Helena)	
Maj John Wright	
13 th Regiment: Col Thomas C. Warner (East of Tangipahoa River: St. Tammany)	
Maj Lawrence Moore	
4 th Brigade: Brig Gen Garrigues Flaujac	
(member state Legislature – fought without command)	23 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
14 th Regiment: Col Joshua Baker (St. Mary)	
Cpt W. Biggs	2 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Joseph DeBlanc	2 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Alexandre Lemelle FMC Militia (St. Martin?)	
Cpt Frederic Pellerin	24 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
15 th Regiment: Col <u>Alexander DeClouet?</u> (St. Martin Parish)	
Cpt Levi Foster (Franklin, Attakapas)	24 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Fortune Penne (Ft. St. Leon)	31 Oct 1814 – 31 Dec 1814
Cpt Shadrach Porter (Attakapas)	3 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Thomas W. Scott	21 Oct 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
16 th Regiment: Col John Thompson (Opelousas)	
Cpt Guy H. Bell (detachment)	2 Mar 1815 – 19 Mar 1815
Cpt Gerard Chretien	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt William George	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
(St. Tammany: Florida Parishes East of Amite River)	
Cpt W Hawthorn	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Baptiste Jeansonne	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt George King	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Francois Coulon de Villier	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815

5th Brigade: Brig Gen _____?

17th Regiment: Col Josiah S. Johnston (Rapides, Avoyelles)



Cpt R. J. Sackett detachment Fort St. Leon (muster rolls)

18th Regiment: Col James Bloodworth (Natchitoches)

19th Regiment: Col _____? (Ouachita)

20th Regiment: Col William Willis (Concordia, Coushatta)

Consolidated Regiments of 2nd Division: (muster rolls)

Consolidated 10th & 20th Regiments (Lt Col William Willis): Right Bank of River

Cpt Elijah Adams Mounted Rangers	25 Dec 1814 – 14 March 1815
Cpt John Bills	22 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
Cpt David F. Dearmond Mounted Infantry	25 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
2 nd Lt Draughon detachment Rt. Bank	25 Dec 1814 – 11 Feb 1815
Cpt Samuel Leaven	24 Dec 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Thomas Neasom	25 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
Cpt Moses Odam (New Orleans)	24 Dec 1814 – 31 Mar 1815

Consolidated 12th & 13th Regiments

Consolidated 17 th , 18 th , 19 th Regiments Field & Staff	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Lt Francesco Albarados (Col Bloodworth)	9 Jan 1815 – 18 Feb 1815
Cpt John L Buard	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
1 st Lt Charles Cappel	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
2 nd Lt Thomas G. Cherny	6 Nov 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Francois Durcy	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Alexander Germeuil	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Jas. H. Gordon (Light Infantry)	6 Nov 1814 – 19 Nov 1814
Cpt Coleman A. Martin (New Orleans)	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Thomas Patterson (New Orleans)	8 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Consolidated 17 th , 18 th , 20 th Regiments	
Cpt R. J. Sackett – Ft. St. Leon	Oct 6, 1814 – Apr 20, 1815
Cpt Charles Forneret FMC Militia – Ft. St. Leon	23 Dec 1814 – 14 Feb 1815

(Look at “Louisiana Militia” companies – they may not be “Separate Companies”)

Casey and Muster Rolls:

Brigade of Louisiana and Mississippi Drafted Militia:

Brig Gen David B. Morgan	14 Dec 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
(15 th ?) Regiment of Louisiana Drafted Militia: Col Alexander DeClouet (Louisiana)	
Maj Michael Reynolds	
Cpt F. Carmouche (St. Martin Parish)	3 Jan 1815 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt J. B. Dufas	10 Sep 1814 – 17 Mar 1815
Cpt John H. Goff	28 Sep 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Charles R. Hicks (Lafourche)	14 Oct 1814 – 6 Apr 1815
Camp Hopkins	
Lt Henry S. Thibodaux Lafourche Volunteers	23 Dec 1814 – 28 Feb 1815



(Camp Hopkins)

Cpt Samuel Laughlin	26 Sept 1814 - 31 Mar 1815
Cpt Claude Laloise (LaLoire below?)	23 Dec 1814 – 17 Mar 1815
(Detachment and Baratarian Detachment- Temple Jackson)	
Lt Benjamin M. Stokes	23 Dec 1814 – 17 Mar 1815
(Temple Jackson & Camp Powers Point: 31 Dec 1814 – 28 Feb 1815)	
Cpt Valery Martin	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt M. Patin (M. Martin?)	3 Jan 1815 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Thomas W. Scott:	21 Oct 1814 – 31 Mar 1815
(Camp Morgan 31 Dec 1814 – 28 Feb 1815)	
Cpt Issac Townsend	31 Oct 1814 – 31 Mar 1815

Uniformed Battalion of Orleans Volunteers:

Maj Jean Baptiste Plauché (City of New Orleans)	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Carabineers (Grenadiers): Cpt Pierre Roche	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Dragoons D'Orléans: Cpt Henri St. Gême	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Francs: Cpt Jean Hurdry	17 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Chasseurs: Cpt Augustus Guibert	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Louisiana Blues: Cpt Maunsel White	17 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
Cpt Dominique Youx Artillery (Barataria, Orleans)	23 Dec 1814 – 16 Mar 1815

Free Men of Color (FMC) Regiment: Col Michel Fortier

	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
1 st Battalion: (City of New Orleans)	16 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Maj Pierre Lacoste	
Maj Vincent Popolus	
Cpt Ferdinand Listeau	
Cpt Jean Ternior	
Maj Daniel Hughes (Fort St. John)	16 Dec 1814 - 18 Feb 1815
2 nd Battalion: (City of New Orleans - Saint-Domingue: Garrison of Santo Domingo)	
Maj Louis D'Aquin	19 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Lefevre	19 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Berlin Rouzier	19 Dec 1814 – 20 Mar 1815
Cpt Charles St. Martin (3 rd Militia Volunteers of Saint-Domingue)	

Separate Companies (Casey):

Commodore Patterson, USN

Cpt Francis Alpuente Louisiana Bayou Militia (Orleans)	20 Dec 1814 – 14 Mar 1815
Sgt Peter Hog	
Cpt Thomas Beale Company of Orleans Riflemen (Orleans):	16 Dec 1814 – 14 Mar 1815
Cpt Jean Chaveau Company of Cavalry (Orleans)	18 Dec 1814 – 14 Mar 1815



Cpt Charles Fornoret FMC Militia – Fort St. Leon	23 Dec 1814 – 11 Mar 1815
Cpt James H. Gordon Company of Volunteers (Rapides)	
Cpt Llewellyn Griffith Mounted Riflemen (Feliciana)	29 Oct 1814 – 24 Mar 1815
Cpt Bela Hubbard Mounted Company (Lafourche Interior)	
Cpt Claude Laloire, Louisiana Militia (Orleans) <i>see DeClouet above</i>	
Cpt Francois Logan Louisiana Volunteers (Orleans)	12 Dec 1814 – 16 Mar 1815
Stationed at Fort St. Philip: 28 Feb 1815 – 16 Mar 1815	
Cpt Zenon LeDoux Cavalry (Pointe Coupee)	26 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Peter V. Ogden Orleans Dragoons (Orleans)	20 Dec 1814 – 14 Mar 1815
Cpt Jedidiah Smith Troop of Feliciana (Feliciana)	
Cpt Thomas Songy Marines (Orleans)	22 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815
Cpt Robert Spriggs Company of Boatmen	17 Dec 1814 – 14 Feb 1815
Lt Henry S. Thibodeaux Lafourche Volunteers (Iberville) <i>see DeClouet above</i>	
Cpt Joseph Thomas Louisiana Militia	22 Dec 1814 – 22 Mar 1815
<i>(Under command of Maj Saul P. Thomas, East Baton Rouge)</i>	
Cpt Rene Trudeau Troop of Horse (St. Charles)	14 Dec 1814 – 16 Mar 1815
Cpt David E. Wallace Company of Boatmen	25 Dec 1814 – 14 Feb 1815

Louisiana Volunteers Infantry:

1 st Battalion: Maj George T. Ross	31 Dec 1812 – 31 May 1813
2 nd Battalion: Maj Henry D. Piere (Powder Magazine)	31 Oct 1812 – 31 Dec 1814
Cpt Ferdinand L. Amelung	31 Dec 1812 – 31 May 1813
Cpt Joseph Dubuelet Troop of Hussars (Opelousas)	1 Nov 1814 – 3 Apr 1815
Cpt Louis de Marance	28-Feb 1813 – 31 Dec 1813
Cpt Esquin de Mirepoix:	31 Dec 1812 – 31 Dec 1813
Lt Francis Hurst (Barataria)	31 Aug 1813 – 31 Oct 1813
Lt Anatole Peychaud, Jr. (promoted below)	Nov 1812
Cpt Anatole Peychaud, Jr	31 Dec 1812 – 31 Jul 1813
Cpt Pierre Achille Rivery	8 Nov 1812 – 31 Oct 1813

Louisiana Volunteers Artillery:

Cpt William Allen (the Balize)	1 Feb 1813 – 30 Jun 1813
Cpt Abraham Miller (the Balize)	30 Jun 1813 – 31 Oct 1813
Cpt Antoine Chaudurie	1 Feb 1813 – 28 Feb 1814
Cpt [Jean Baptiste] Colsson Company of Orleans Artillery:	17 Dec 1814 – 13 Mar 1815



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Governor Benjamin Howard (St. Louis, Missouri)	22 Sep 1812 – 19 Oct 1812
Cpt William H. Ashleigh Mounted Riflemen	7 Sep 1812 – 7 Oct 1812
Cpt Elijah Collard, Louisiana Militia	17 Feb 1812 – 17 Mar 1812
Cpt Calloway Company of Mounted Riflemen	3 Jun 1812 – 17 Jun 1812
Cpt Henry Dodge Company of Mounted Riflemen	30 Aug 1812 – 28 Sep 1812
Cpt Andrew Henry Mounted Riflemen	29 Sep 1814 – 19 Oct 1814
Cpt John Hughes Mounted Riflemen	9 Sep 1812 – 25 Oct 1812
Cpt Alexander McNair Mounted Riflemen	27 July – 3 Sep/12 Sep – 12 Oct 1812
Cpt David Musick Mounted Riflemen	27 July – 2 Sep/12 Sep– 12 Oct 1812
Cpt Risdon H. Prices	4 Sep 1812 – 18 Oct 1812
Cpt Andrew Ramsey Mounted Riflemen	3 Oct 1812 – 19 Nov 1812
Cpt James Rankins Mounted Riflemen	20 Oct 1812
Cpt Morris Young of Mounted Riflemen	3 Oct 1812 – 19 Nov 1812