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**BOONVILLE, INDIANA, MILITIA
DOCUMENT, 1833**

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

Article VII of the 1816 Indiana State Constitution provided for a militia of able-bodied free white men between the ages of 18 and 45. Exemptions were made for conscientious objectors who were required to pay a fine. Subalterns, captains, majors, and colonels were to be elected by those serving in the militia. The rank of general was to be voted upon by commissioned officers.

Sources:

Buley, *The Old Northwest* volume 1, page 72.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The document is the results of the election for a lieutenant colonel of the 34th Regiment for Booneville, Warwick County, Indiana on 2 February 1833.

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