Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Butler, Sr. & Jr.² SC1068 AA5 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 964

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July 9th 1785

Mr. James Butler Senior and James Butler Junior their Accounts of Duty in the Militia before and since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina Currency]

£278.15/

Stg. [Sterling]

£39.16.5

Ex^d. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

J. M^c. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina

Dr. James Butler Senior and James Butler Junior

for Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return £278.15/

Stg.

£39.16.5

Received the 9th July 1785 full Satisfaction for the amount of the within Account in an Indent No. 221 U for Messrs James Butler as Administrator

S/ Russell Wilson

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² Both of these men were killed at the engagement on Cloud's Creek on November 7, 1781 http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_clouds_creek_2.html. In that action James Butler Senior acted as a Captain of the militia.