Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Daniel Cannon SC1155 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1034

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[Note: Although this indent does not relate to payment for militia or other military service, I thought it important to include in our database because of the difference in rations allowed for white men versus Negroes for work done at Fort Moultrie and Haddrell's Point in 1776 and 1777.]

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The State of South Carolina

Dr. to Daniel Cannon

To nineteen thousand one hundred eighty-six Rations supplied the white men working at Fort Moultrie & Haddrell's Point from January 1776 to October 1777 – at 7/ [7 Shillings per day old South Carolina] Currency each

To one hundred forty-nine thousand six hundred and two Rations supplied the Negroes at Do. from January 1776 to October 1777 at 3/6 [3 Shillings and six pence per day old South Carolina] Currency each

Rations allowed a White men per day: 1 lb. Beef

1/2 lb. Bread 1 Quart Rice

4 oz. Butter & Salt

Do. for Negroes: 34 lb. Beef & Salt

3 Pints Rice

Total Amount of the above Account £30,184.16.2

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