Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Cook SC1514 AA44 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1438

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No. 46

[No.] 403 [Book] S

Mr. John Cooke [sic] his account of Militia duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return as private since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780]

amounting to [old South Carolina] Currency

£152

Sterling

£21.14.3 1/4

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

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

[p 10]

Received the 16th June 1785, full Satisfaction for the above in an Indent No. 403, Lib. [Book] S (by Virtue of an Order) for John Cooke

S/ John Fearis

John Teares

[p 11]

The State of South Carolina

To John Coock [sic]

Dr.

To 100 days actual duty as [word blotted out] in the Militia in General Henderson's [William Henderson's] brigade at 12/6 [12 shillings and 6 pence] per day £8.18.6 3/4

Personally appeared John Coock and being duly Sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God made oath that the above account is Just and true and that he had received no part thereof

S/ John Coocke, X his mark

Sworn before me this 28 day of May 1784

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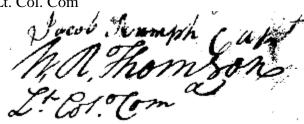
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I do hereby Certify that John Coock has served in my Company as Sergeant, the above mentioned 100 days

S/ Jacob Rumph Capt

S/W. R. Thomson [William Russell Thomson]

Lt. Col. Com^d



[p 12: Very faint that appears to be an assignment by John Cook of his right to the indent to John Fearis. The document appears to have been signed in York County South Carolina on August 1, 1785 by Cook using his mark.]

[p 13: Printed form of Indent No. 403 Book S dated June 16th, 1785 issued to John Cooke]

[p 14: Reverse of the above Indent containing the following endorsement supposedly signed by John Cook. I use the word "supposedly" recalls in all the other documents relating to this man's claim he signed his name with his mark.]

June the 22nd, 1786

I do Endorse the [indecipherable word] Indent to Absalom Jackson

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James Mar John Cook

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Jackson

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