Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Cooksey SC1528 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1446

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No. 285 March 19th

Mr. William Cooksey his Account of Militia duty in 1780, 310 Days

Charged [old South Carolina currency]

£155.0.0 £22.2.10

NB. The Account does not say when the duty began or ended

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

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

[Book] O [No.] 285 Wm Cooksey

13 April 85 [1785]

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State of South Carolina Dr. V

Dr. William Cooksey

November

The 8 - 1780 To 310 days duty at 10 Shillings per day

£155.0.0

Certified per me S/ Anderson Thomas, Capt.²

Appeared William Cooksey and after being duly Sworn declares the Above Account of £150 pounds [sic] old Currency to be Just and True and that he never Received Any part of the Same Sworn to before me this 3^{rd} day of January 1784

S/ Amos Davis, JP

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¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AA) are now available online at http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the Just take me to the search page link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

² JD Lewis reports that Captain Anderson served in the Fairfield Regiment of militia under Colonel Thomas Taylor of the Camden District Regiment https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_captains.htm

[indecipherable word] April 8, 1785 and Indent Book 0 No. 285 for the within Account for Colonel David Hopkins S/ Thomas Lehre

Thomas Lehre

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Broad River 16th September 1784

Gentlemen please to deliver to Col^s David Hopkins such Indent or Indents as May appear to be due to Me from the State of South Carolina or from the United States and this be your Sufficient receipt for the Same

Witness

S/ Amos Davis, JP

C [presumably the veteran's mark]



To the Commissioners of the Treasury South Carolina

[p 6: Very faint image of the Indent No. 285 Book 0]

[p 7: Reverse of the above Indent]