Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to David Johnson SC1952 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 4042

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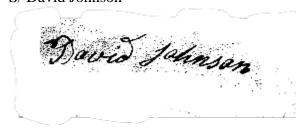
[p 2: Heavily edited for spelling]

South Carolina

Know all men By these present That I David Johnson Have empowered Philemon Waters my Captain in the State Troops Colonel Middleton's [Charles Myddleton's] Regiment & General Sumter's [Thomas Sumter's] Brigade to Draw all my Draft of one grown Negro for my ten Months Service & I hereby empower my said Captain to sign any Receipt as a Quitten [sic] to the public & I solemnly swear on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God that I have not to fore Sold my Draw on the Public or authorized any Parson [sic] but my Captain to Draw my Draft as above Mentioned.

Witness S/ Thomas Slater Sworn Before Me this 9th September 1785 S/ P. Waters, J. Q.

S/ David Johnson



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Rec'd of Philemon Waters the Sum of Thirty yineys [guineas] in full for my Draw on the publick for one grone [grown] Negrow [Negro] for my tenn [ten] Months Servis [Service] in ye State trupes [Troops] Colonel Midleton's Regmt & ye sd Waterses Trupe Recd [?] per Me this 30th September 1785

S/ David Johnson

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.

[p 4: Printed form of Indent No. 3121 Book M dated October 1st, 1784 "delivered to Mr. David Johnson late Private in Waters' [Philemon Waters] Troop, Thomas's [John Thomas's] Regiment Sumpter's [Thomas Sumter's] Brigade this our Indented Certificate for the Sum of Ninety-four pounds Sterling amount pay and bounty due him for Services in that Troop Together with Interest thereon from the first April 1782 to date hereof Agreeable to Resolution of General Assembly of the Eleventh March last."]

[pp 5-6: Images of the reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Philemon Waters, Thomas Sumter, Richard Richardson, Peter Bocquet and John Edwards, commissioners of the Treasury, Thomas W Waters.]