Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Arthur Jenkins SC2047 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 4016A

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[Methodology: Spelling, punctuation and/or grammar have been corrected in some instances for ease of reading and to facilitate searches of the database. Where the meaning is not compromised by adhering to the spelling, punctuation or grammar, no change has been made. Corrections or additional notes have been inserted within brackets or footnotes. Blanks appearing in the transcripts reflect blanks in the original. A bracketed question mark indicates that the word or words preceding it represent(s) a guess by me. The word 'illegible' or 'indecipherable' appearing in brackets indicates that at the time I made the transcription, I was unable to decipher the word or phrase in question. Only materials pertinent to the military service of the veteran and to contemporary events have been transcribed. Affidavits that provide additional information on these events are included and genealogical information is abstracted, while standard, 'boilerplate' affidavits and attestations related solely to the application, and later nineteenth and twentieth century research requests for information have been omitted. I use speech recognition software to make all my transcriptions. Such software misinterprets my southern accent with unfortunate regularity and my poor proofreading skills fail to catch all misinterpretations. Also, dates or numbers which the software treats as numerals rather than words are not corrected: for example, the software transcribes "the eighth of June one thousand eighty six" as "the 8th of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention.]

[Note: All of the images of the documents posted in this file are of very poor quality. Only bits and pieces of each document can be discerned. Consequently, I have elected to summarize the content of these documents as best I can from those images. My summary is as follows:

Page 2: In a document dated June 23rd, 1780, Arter Jinkins, signing his name with his mark, sold his bounty for service of ten months to John Jones. This document was witnessed by Rolen Mathis, who also signed his name with his mark. Page 3: A document dated November 20, 1789 John Jones assigned his right to a Negro to David Murreh [sic]. On December 10th, 1790 David Murrah assigned his right to John Sumter.

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Page 4: Is a document dated from the Congarees March 5th 1782 and appears to be an assignment by Arthur Jenkins of his rights as a private in the State troops of South Carolina having served under Captain Barnett [Jacob Barnett] in Thomas Sumter's Brigade. The name of the assignee in this document is too faint to discern. It purports to be signed by Arthur Jenkins with his actual signature as follows:

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Page 5 of the documents in this file reads as follows:

I Assign over My Right and Title of the within Certificate to John Duffy. This document is signed by Jacob Barnett and is dated April 18th, 1784 as follows:

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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 I know this to be the actual signature of Captain Jacob Barnett based on other documents encountered in the South Carolina audited accounts.

I Certify that if the Indent for Said Negro comes into My hand that I will give it to [text obliterated] with this Certificate Legally assigned to them.

S/ J. Barnett

I do assign over my Right to Ethel Heath June 2nd 1785

John Suffer

S/ John Duffey