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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Reuben Dollar SC2390 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1968A

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina Your Petitioner Humbly Sheweth that he were a Soldier in the Revolutionary war in the Militia on the Liberty Side Commencing under Captain William Miles of Spartanburg District of this State in Colonel Thomas's [John Thomas, Sr.'s] Regiment Shortly after the Commencement of the War and continued with him a considerable time on duty he left a part of us to Guard Princes' Fort and he took a part of the Company and went in pursuit of a Parcel of out Lying Tories in which he got Killed, then Mason Folia [sic, Mason Foley] took the Command and appointed me orderly Sergeant I Continued with him until after the British Took Charleston [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] then from Folia_mes Company Filed to North Carolina and Virginia as Refugees I stopped in North Carolina Orange County shortly after I arrived there I attached myself to Captain Abraham Allen's Company and were with him in Several Routes after the Tories and were then Drafted for an eighteen month Tour but peace were made before the day of Rendezvous and we dismissed, –

The following is a Schedule of the Property I now possess Viz. myself old and infirm not able to Labor and my Wife nearly as infirm as myself a small Tract of Land and old Negro Man quite infirm and an old Negro Woman who is & has been much afflicted with a Small Stock and some Household Stuff & Furniture. And your Petitioner Humbly Prayeth that your Honorable Body will take my Case into Consideration and allow me what you in your Judgments may think I Merit & your Petitioner will ever Pray

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S/ William Berry

S/ Reuben Dollar, X his mark

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South Carolina Anderson District} Personally came Reuben Dollar before me and makes oath in due form of Law and Saith on said oath that the foregoing Statement of my Services Together with the Schedule of Property is Just and true to the best of my knowledge and Judgment. Sworn to and subscribed this 19th of November 1831

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S/ William Barry, JP

S/ Reuben Dollar, X his mark

I do hereby Certify that I were well acquainted with Ruben Dollar before and During the Revolutionary War he Boarded in the same House with me all the time of the War except while he were in the Service of his Country on the Liberty Side I were knowing of his Services under the command of Captain William Miles in Colonel Thomas's Regiment and were knowing to Mason Fror [sic] taking the Command after Captain Miles got Killed by the Tories were knowing of his Company fleeing from the State for Safety and went with this Deponent Reuben Dollar to Orange County North Carolina and were knowing of his going and attaching himself to Captain Abraham Allen's Company and were several Tours after the Tories were knowing to his being Drafted for an Eighteen month Tour but Peace being made before the day of Rendezvous they were all Dismissed, Given under my hand this 19th of November 1831

S/ Walker Williamson

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State of South Carolina Anderson District Personally came Walker Williamson before me and makes oath in due form of Law and Saith on said oath that the foregoing Certificate of my knowing of the Services of Reuben Dollar in the Militia During the Revolutionary war are Just and true. Sworn to and subscribed this 19th of November 1831 S/ William Berry, JP S/ Walker Williamson

Finding it Necessary to Value the Property owned by an applicant I give the following Schedule viz. one Hundred and Fifty acres Land Estimated at Four Hundred & fifty Dollars one old Negro man not thought [worth] more than to support himself one old Negro Woman Estimated at Fifty Dollars one Mare Colt Estimated at Sixty Dollars Two Cows and Calves & two yearlings Estimated at Twenty Four Dollars Nine Sheep Estimated at Nine Dollars nine Shoats Estimated at nine Dollars Two Beds & Furniture Estimated at thirty Dollars other Household Stuff Estimated at Fifteen Dollars making in all Six Hundred and Forty Seven Dollars

State of South Carolina

Anderson District} Personally came Reuben Dollar before me and makes oath in due form of Law and Saith on said oath that the above Schedule as Estimated [is] Just and true to the best of his knowledge. Sworn to and subscribed this 23^{rd} of November 1831

S/ Reuben Dollar, X his mark

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Rogersville PO Anderson District South Carolina 24th November 1831 Messrs Whitner & Rice/

Enclosed I send Mr. Dollar's Petition I want you both to use your influence for him he says if he does not Draw something he will have to scatter what Little Property he now has also if you can do anything with Mr. Roaches & Mrs. Partan's it will accommodate them Very much as they are Needy especially Mrs. Partan as she has no friends to help her and not able to do anything herself of Consequence

Yours Respectfully

S/ William Berry

William Berry

[p 7: envelope cover] General Whitner or Colonel Rice Columbia South Carolina

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The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Reuben Dollar praying for a pension – Report and recommend the prayer thereof be rejected – December 1st, 1831 S/ R Richardson, Chairman