Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Eidson [Etson] SC2583 Audited Account No. 2176

Transcribed by Will Graves

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No. 330 Lib. [Book] U July 13th, 1785

Mr. John Etson [sic] his Account of Duty in Ye Militia as Private since the reduction of Chs. Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency ± 182

Stg. [Sterling] £26

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

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

South Carolina Ninety Six District} I Do hereby Empower Mr. Thomas Worren [sic Thomas Warren] to Receive My Indents from the Treasurers Office in Charles Town Given under my hand this 6th day of August 1785 Certified by me S/ George Mee, JP S/ John Eidson

John Eleron

[p 3] State South Carolina

Dr. to John Etson for Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant] <u>£182</u> Stg. £26

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <u>http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/</u>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the <u>Just take me to the search page</u> 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. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

Received 13 July 1785 from the Commissioners of the Treasury full Satisfaction for the Above Account in an Indent No. 330 Book U by Virtue of an order Witness S/ John Davis S/ Thomas Warren, X his mark for Jno. Elson [sic]

[p 4: Printed form of indent No. 330 Book U]

[p 5: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement:

I Do hereby Endorse this indent for the [word too faint to discern] contents to Mr. Arthur Watson as witness my hand this 16th Day of October 1786

S/ John Eidson]