## **Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters**

South Carolina Audited Accounts 1 relating to William Farmer SC2684 Audited Account No. 2302

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## Transcribed by Will Graves

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[No.] 471

Mr. William Farmer his account of Militia duty as private since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency

Stg. [Sterling] £2.7.1 ½

£16.10.0

Ex<sup>d</sup>. T. W. [Examined by T. W. [identity unknown]]

J. M<sup>c</sup>. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina

To William Farmer

Dr. [Debtor]

Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant] Currency £16.10

£2.7.1 ½ Stg.

William Farmer for duty in Captain John Moore's Independent Company

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paid by Indent No. 403 book 04 above Services

Rejected by the Board

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This is to Certify that William Farmer a Soldier in my Company in this State Service has served his time faithfully & honestly, as a good soldier, until discharged, & is entitled to the same proportion, & Bounty of Land's as the Continental Soldiers of the South Carolina Line, who were enlisted for During the War, Charleston Cott 10<sup>th</sup> June 1785

S/ John Moore//

Capt. Indepdt. Compy

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Know all men by these presents that I, William Farmer of Ninety Six District, In the State of South Carolina Yeaman have for sundry Good causes And weighty Considerations nominated constituted ordained and appointed and by these presents do nominate constitute ordain and appoint my Trusty and will beloved friend John Irwin Captain of the same District And State aforesaid to be my true and lawful Attorney to Ask – Demand recover and receive for me and in my name and to my use and behoof gieving and by these presents Granting to my said Attorney my Sole And full power and Authority, to Levy receive and recover All that the public of this State of South Carolina do owe me for the Militia service and likewise all the land thats owing Me for my Continental Service in the regular troops belonging to this State of South Carolina under the Command of Captain Benjamin Tutt In one of the Independent Companies of this State And Enlisted By Captain John moor [John Moore] during the war And served until I was Regularly Discharged and Likewise what money Is owing me for my regular Service I, Do by these presents Authorize Captain John Irwin my true and lawful Attorney to receive and Levy the Same by the same authority as is above mentioned And I, William Farmer Do Authorize And Empower the Said Captain John Irwin my true and lawful Attorney to Give receipts Discharges and Aquittances for what is above mentioned for me And In my name In every respect, as I, my Self ought, or could do If I were personally present my Self and [appoint] Attorneys one or More for the purposes aforesaid to make at his pleasure to revoke, Ratifying by these presents allowing all and whatsoever my said Attorney Shall in my name lawfully do or Cause to be done in and About the premises by Virtue of these presents. In witness whereof I, have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February In the year of our Lord 1784

Signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of us S/ Andrew Warnock S / Hugh Warnock

S William farmer, X his mark

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Ninety Six District

Abbeville County Personally appeared before me the subscriber John Irwin & being duly Sworn deposeth & Saith That the within Indent is justly due to him & that he hath never received the same nor any person by any authority from him & that the power of attorney herewith Sent from William Farmer [one or more words obliterated] Same he received for That purpose together with this Order

Sworn to before me

the 25<sup>th</sup> of April 1791 S/ Julius Nichols, Jr. JP

S/ John Irwin