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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Foster, Jr. SC2847 Audited Account No. 2510

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[Book] O [No.] 422

28 April 85 [1785]

Mr. James Foster his Account of Militia Duty as Private per Capt. McGaw's Pay Bill from 1780 to 1783 – say –

on Horse 11 Days $\underbrace{11}$ on Foot 14 Days $\underbrace{7}$ [old SC] Currency $\underbrace{11}$

Stg. [Sterling] £2.11.5

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

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

Received __ full Satisfaction for the within Account in an Indent No. 422 Book O by Order [no visible signature]

Ninety Six District} I do hereby Authorize and Empower Samuel Foster to draw and Receive the Indents due me from the Public for Militia duty done by me, with the Interest due thereon, the Accounts of which [were] Rendered into the Auditor's Office by Col. Robert Anderson – Given under my hand the 10^{th} of June 1785

S/ James Foster

I do hereby Certify that James Foster Ju^r did sign the above Order before me, date above written S/ Andrew Hamilton, JP

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² Either John McGaw or William McGaw both of the Ninety Six District Regiment

[p 3: Repeat of the above information]

Received 21 April 1785 full Satisfaction for the 11 days on horse at 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency] £11 [and] 14 Days on Foot at 10/ £7 above Account in Indent No. 422 O per Order £18

S/ Samuel Foster

Stg. £2.11.5

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[p 4: Printed form of Indent No. 422 Book O]

[pp 5-6: Reverse and retake of the reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Samuel Foster one of which has a clearer signature as follows:

