Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Harbirt SC3578 pp9 Audited Account No. 3306

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9th May 1785

[No.] 121 [Book] Q

No. 40

Mr. John Herbirt, his Account of 60 days Militia Duty in 1781 & 1782

Amounting to £5.11.5 Stg [Sterling]

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

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

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State of South Carolina John Harbirt Dr.

1781

18 days Militia duty at the Congaree [River]

Colonel Thomas Taylors Regiment Horseman at 20/²

Benjamin May Espi

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Certified by S/ Benjamin May Capt.

1782

42 days, at Orangeburg (foot man) at $10^{/3}$

Certified by John Hunter Lt. Col.

£39 £5.11.5

£18

£21

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² 20 shillings old South Carolina currency was the per diem pay rate for a mounted militia man providing his on horse and equipment

³ 10 shillings old South Carolina currency was the per diem pay rate for a militia man serving on foot

South Carolina Camden District Before me Henry Hampton Esquire Personally appeared John Harbirt, and being duly Sworn made Oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, that the above Account (as it Stands Stated) is just & true, and that he never has received any part thereof

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Sworn before me the 11th day May 1784 S/ H. Hampton, JP Q

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Received the 9 May 1785 full Satisfaction for the within Account in an Indent No. 121 Lib 24 £5.11.5 Sterling in Virtue of an Order

S/ Rd. Winn [Richard Winn]



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April 26, 1784 – I have this Day Received from General Richard Winn, the full Value of my Account against the Public now lying in the Auditor's Office for auditing, and afterwards to get an Indent for the same from the Treasury, and I do request the Commissioners of the Treasury, of the State of South Carolina to make out the Indent for the Same, with the Interest pursuant to the Resolve of the Legislative [sic] in that Case, to him, the said Richard Winn, and to accept this as a Receipt in full against the Public for the said account

S/ Thomas Baker, JP

S/ Jno. Harbirt

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[p 8: Printed form of indent No. 121 Book Q]

[p 9: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, endorsements by Richard Winn]

⁴ This is the signature of Colonel Richard Winn of the South Carolina militia