Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Jenkins Harris SC3630 Audited Account No. 3362

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[No.] 384

No. 60

[Book] T

June 23rd 1785

Mr. Jenkins Harris his Account of Duty in the Militia as Private before and since the reduction of Chs. Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency

£233

Stg [Sterling]

rling] £33.5.8 ½

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

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

Received June 23rd 1785 full Satisfaction for this Account in a Treasury Indent No. 384 Book T, by virtue of an order

S/ John Owen

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State South Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Jenkins Harris

for Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant]

£233

Stg.

£33.5.8 ½

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Paid to Mr. John Owen or order the sum of Twenty Eight pounds Seventeen Shillings and six pence Sterling in an Indent To which I am Intitled to for Services done the public of the State of South Carolina in the Militia as per Account delivered Into the Auditor Generals – August 16th

S/ Jenkin Harris, X his mark [sic]

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The Commissioners of the Treasury Charleston

State of South Carolina Ninety Six District} Personally appeared Jinkin Harris [sic] before me and made Oath that he gave and Assigned the above order to Mr. John Owen for the Sum of Twenty Eight pounds Seventeen shillings and six pence Sterling in an Indent and that he has received full satisfaction for the same by the Hands of James Lamar Junior.

Sworn to this 16^{th} day of August 1784

Before S/ John Herndon, JP

S/ Jinkin Harris, X his mark [sic]

[Note: This is one of the few instances in which the amount of the discount which a speculator paid to acquire a veteran's indent for services rendered during the revolution is ascertainable. It has been the experience of this transcriber that in almost all other instances, the assignment by the veteran to the speculator simply recites that the veteran has received "full satisfaction" or "full value" from the speculator.]