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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Holditch [Houlditch] SC3943 pp6 Audited Account No. 3684

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[p 2]

To the Comissiners [Commissioners] appointed to pay of the State Trups [Troops] Under the Comand [Command] of General Thos Sumpter [Thomas Sumter] Pleas [Please] to send Mee by the beror [bearer] Capt. William Smith My Wages Due to Mee for my 10 Munths [Months] Servis [Service] in sd [said] Bregad [Brigade] in the Company Comanded by sd Capt. William Smith –, and you Will oblige

Gentlemen yr humble Srvt. [Servant]

S/ William Holditch, X his mark Decr. the 10^{th} –1785

[p 3: Printed form of Indent No. 454 Book M dated first of October 1785 "delivered to Mr. William Houlditch late Private in Smith's Troop Thomas's [Lt. Col. John Thomas, Jr.] Regiment in Sumpter's [Thomas Sumter's] Brig^d St. Troops this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE for the Sum of Ninety four pounds Sterling being amount pay and bounty due him for Services in that Troop Together with Interest thereon from the first April 1782 to date hereof Agreeable to Resolution of General Assembly of the Eleventh March last."]

[p 4: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement:

I Do hereby Assign over the Within indent to Wm Smith full Value Rec'd of him as Witness My hand this 26th Day of December 17??

S/ Wm Holditch, X his Mark

[p 5: Printed form of Indent No. 2038 Book X dated June 22, 1787 "delivered to Mr. William Holditch this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE, for the Sum of One pound five Shillings and Six Pence Sterling for Arrears Cloathing due him for Services in Captain Smith's Company Col.

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Thomas Regiment Sumter's Brigade, State Troops per Certificate from the Commissioners for adjusting the Claims of that Brigade &c."]

[p 6: Reverse of the above Indent bearing the signatures of Thomas Sumter, Thomas Sumter Junior and George James. How these men acquired an interest in the indent is not disclosed by the documents in this file. Those signatures appear as follows:

The Suntreput Geo. James 1c Jum