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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Daniel Murphy SC4215 Audited Account No. 5409

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[No. 311 Book L 18th October 1784]

Mr. Daniel Murphy his Account of Sundries for Militia use in 1780, 1781 & 1782

Charged £58.2.2 ½ Stg. [Sterling]

Deduct less 21.6.6

£36.15.8 ½

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

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

pass for Fourteen Pounds Stg. S/LS

Sworn to this 5th May 1783

S/ Wm Tate JP

S/ Daniel Murphy

Somel Murphy

I do Certify that the within Account is Just Certified by

S/W. Bratton Colo. [William Bratton]

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State of So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Daniel Murphy

Sterling

[illegible]	Service in the Militia As Private at Per Day 20/	Days	£	S	D
1780 to	[20 shillings old South Carolina currency]	100	14	5	0

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the Just take me to the search page link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

the 10 th Day	Horseman	[illegible]			
of Sept.	To Bay Mare pr. Vouchers Lost at Sumter's		2	16	6
	Defeat ²		2		
	1 Smooth Gun pr. Vouchers Lost At Ditto				
	To a saddle Bridle				
From the 26	To Service Done tower [tour] Near the Corner	35	5	0	0
of July till	[Moncks Corner] at 20/ per Day Amount				
the 24 th of					
August 1781					
From the 19 th	To Service Done in a tower at Orangeburg as	70	20	0	0
of December	Quarter Master At Per day 40/				
1781 to ye 27 th of	-				
February 1782					
	Sterling		?	?	?

To 135 days Duty at 20/ £135 70 days as Quarter Master at 35/ 122.10 £257.10 £36.15.8 ½

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I Do hereby Sertify that Daniel Murphey [sic] served In the Melitia from the 1st Day of June 1780 to the 8th Day of September 100 days

S/ Jos Howe Capt [Joseph Howe]

I Do hereby sertify that the article Which Daniel Murphey [sic] Lost at Sumter Defeat Was Worth the Money they are vallued to in the Bill viz. £16.10.6 Sterling

S/ Thomas Nesmith

Shomos Nesmith

I do hereby sertify that Daniel Murphy served In the Militia from the 20th of July to ye 25th of August 1781 Days 35 Days

S/Wm Davis Capt. [William Davis]

I do hereby sertify that Daniel Murphy served In the Malitio as Quarter Master at orange Burgh From the 19th of December 1781 to the 27th of February 1782 Day 70

S/ Wm Hanna Capt. CmD [William Hanna]

² Fishing Creek, August 18, 1780



I do hereby sertify that the article that Daniel Murphy Lost at Sumpters defeat was as follows

To one Mair valued at £14 Sterling

14 2

To saddle Bridle Blanket & [undeciphered]

2.16

To gun Bagonet & the acutrements

Sterling

£18.16.0

Appraised by us

Thomas Nesmith

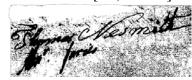
Alex Jones



The above Duly attested before Me this 5th May 1788 [could be 1783] Jos. Howe, JP

S/ Thomas Nesmith

S/ Alex faris [sic, Jones?]



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Rec'd the 18 Octo 1784 from the Commissioners of the Treasury full Satisfaction for this Account in an Indent No. 311 Book L

S/ Daniel Murphy



Rec'd 12th April 1787 full Satisfaction for the residue of this Account in an Indent No. 73 Z, by Virtue of a Letter Inclosed

S/ Daniel Smith



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Yoark County [York County] October first 1787

Estemed [esteemed] friend after my Compliments to you I would beg the favour of knowing by the bearer if my indent is ready yet I have sent Thrice times to you and no return and [if] it is ready if it Could be Sold for its value or [text too faint to discern] it as I am distrest [distressed] for want of money going thru [through] a long Seres [sic, series?] of wos [sic, woes?] and our money falling to nothing has reduced me to the last Extremety [extremity] which I could

demonstrate clearly if presant [present] honored sir if you Can find a gentelman [gentlemen] that wants it and Can Spear [spare] the money you will lay me under perticuler [particular] obligacions [obligations] besides a hansum [handsome] fee and I will go down as soon as I receive an answer from you while I remain your Sencer [sincere] and distrist [distressed] friend.

S/ Daniel Murphy

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 311 Book L4 £36.15.8 ½]

[p 8: Reverse of the above Indent bearing several endorsements by Daniel Murphy and Adam Gilchrist.]

[p 9: Printed form of Indent No. 268 Book Z dated April 12, 1787 "delivered to Mr. Daniel Murphy this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE, for the Sum of Fourteen Pounds Sterling – Residue of an account No. 311 Book L for Sundries for Militia use per account from the Commissioners."]

[p 10: Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Daniel Murphy and Jacob Williman]

[p 11: Printed form of Indent No. 73 Book Z dated December 15, 1786 "delivered to Capt. Daniel Murphy this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE, for the Sum of Fifty Six pounds Sterling for Militia Duty per Account passed by the Commissioners."]

[p 12: Reverse of the above Indent bearing several endorsements, among which are the following:

I Indorse over my Right & title of the Within Indent full Value Received to Henry Wolf as Witness my Hand this 11th Day of December 1787

S/ Daniel Murphey

Henry Wolf signed with his mark in what appears to be a foreign language, as shown below:

Daniel Murphy

Howy & 6. 19 /2 con welf

³ Daniel Murphy is listed by JD Lewis as being a Captain in Col. William Hill's Regiment of Light Dragoons. https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_captains.htm

To my amateur eye, the signature of Captain Daniel Murphey appears to me to be the same as that of private Daniel Murphy appearing above with the exception that the captain added an 'e' before the 'y' in his surname, something the private never did.