Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Bell SC483 AA117 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 417

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[No.] 1287 [Book] Y No. 120 11 June 86 [1786]

William Bell for 86 days duty as a footman, and 63 days do as horseman from 8th May 1780 to 14th of August 1782, alternatingly under the Command of Colonel Hopkins [Lt. Col. David Hopkins] & Winn [Richard Winn]

Charged [old South Carolina] Currency £106

Deduct less 65 days

at 10/ per day not vouched

Currency Sterling

William Ba

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G." [Executed by John McCall, Adjutant General]

Received 11 June 1786 full satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 1287 Book Y. S/ William Bell

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The State of So. Carolina to William Bell Dr.

1780

May 8th To 21 days Militia duty at 10/ per day 10.10

Ye 29th following

To 23 days duty at 10/ per day 1781 11.10 28th May To 42 Days duty at 10/ per day 21

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This veteran's audited account documents have been misfiled under "James Bell." The page numbers refer to that

file.

To £43.0.0

19 June 1781

4 July to 14 Augt. 1782

1780 Nov. 1 to 63 days duty as a horseman in the 2nd Jany 1781 Militia Service Under the Command

Of Colo. Hopkins at 10/ former

Currency per day £ 20

£63 £106.0 0

South Carolina Chester County

I do Certify that the above Account of 63 days duty was performed under my command

S/D. Hopkins L. C.

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The State South Carolina to William Bell Dr.

28th May to 23 Days militia dutty under Capt.

Until Thomas Robins of Col. Winn's Regiment £.S.D 19 June at 10/ per Day 11.10.0

1781

4th July to 42 Days militia duty under

Until Lt. Joseph Robeson 10/ per Day 32.10.0

11 August 1782

William Bell being duly sworn declares that the above account is Just & true Sworn this 28^{th} May 1786 before me

S/J.O. Brown, JP

8th The State of South Carolina to William Bell Dr.

May to 21 Days militia Duty as a Detachment

Until Colonel Winn's Regiment command of Lt. Co. Joseph

The 29^{th} Brown at 10/ per day 10.10.0

1780

Certified per J.O. Brown, Lt. Colo.

South Carolina Chester County} Appears Mr. William Bell being duly sworn declares that the above account of 10 pounds 10 shillings old currency is Justly due him

Sworn to before me this 28th day of May 1786

S/D Hopkins, JP

[p 91: Form of indent No. 1287 Book Y for £10.10.]