Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Josiah Lewis SC4895 Audited Account No. 4550

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Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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Josiah Lewis his Account Pay for 33 days Duty in Militia as Sergeant at 12/6 [12 Shillings and six pence old South Carolina currency] per day amt to

[old South Carolina] Currency

£20.12.6

Amt Stg. [Sterling]

£2.18.11

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

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The State of South Carolina to Josiah Lewis

Dr.

To 33 days Militia Duty as a Sergeant in

Genl. Marion's [Francis Marion's] Brigade Commenced the 20th

of September 1782 under Lieutenant

Vol. Rowel [Valentine Rowell]² of Col. Baxter's [John Baxter]³ Regiment

Before me James Johnston 1 of the States Justices for Georgetown District personally appeared Josiah Lewis who swears the above account is Just and true

October 9th 1784 S/ Jas. Johnston, JP

S/ Josiah Lewis

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.

² He served in the Lower Craven County Regiment under Capt. John Rogers https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_lieutenants.htm

³ He served in the Pee Dee Regiment John Baxter SC414

Gentlemen/

Please to send by Mr. William Baker my Indent with the Annual Interest thereof it being for thirty three days Militia duty as a Sergeant in Genl. Marion's Brigade and his receipt shall be in full To

Oblige Gentlemen Your Very Humble servant S/ Josiah Lewis

To the Gentlemen of the Treasury office in Chs. Town Certified by me this 27 day of May 1786 Bn Davis Junr. J. P.

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Received 26 October 1785 full Satisfaction for the within in an indent No. 121 Lib. Y per Order S/ Willom Baker

