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South Carolina Audited Accounts relating to Charles Lockhart SC4959 pp 11 Audited Account No. 4630A

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I do hereby Certify that Charles Lockhart, a Sergeant in a Quarter of Cavalry Commanded by Lt. Col. H. Mayhem [Hezekiah Maham] has served faithfully for Twelve Months in said Corps. And is hereby entitled to a discharge. And Twelve Months pay as a Continental Sergeant of Dragoons

S/ James Theus

Captain & Commandant

Faburey 8th 1783 Given at Cavalry Quarters Watboo [Wadboo] 22nd September 1782

I sin [sign] over my right

of this Cirtificate for value

Recved of him givin

from in under my hand in the presence of the widow Wise

S/ Charles Lockhart

15 May 1784

Certified S/ H. Mayham

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Sir/ Please to deliver to John Adair all Indents due me from the Public, having sold all my Claims of every kind to him full Value Rec'd.

To the Treasurer of So. Carolina

S/ Charles Lockhart

before me the 4th June 17[last 2 digits unclear]

S/ Andrew Hemphill, JP

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Personally appeared before me John Palmer Junior one of the Justices for Charleston district John Roberts who being duly Sworn [text obliterated, probably "made"] Oath that the within endorsed Certificate is Justly due him & no part has ever been paid. Sworn to this 15th May 1784 S/ John Palmer, Junior

Sir/ Please deliver the within Indent to Henry Palmer and his receipt for the same shall be good from me June 14th 1792

To the Treasurers in Charleston

S/ John Adair

John Adair

Signed in presence of

S/ John Hampton, JP

For duty in Colo. Maham's Core [sic] light horse

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Charles Lockhart claimed by John Adair

Charles Lockhart, has not in his order said for what his claim is, which he must have known, therefore insufficient. See remarks of John Perkins; order claimed by the above rejected by the Board

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To the Honorable the Speaker & Members of the House of Representatives – Humbly Sheweth,

That whereas Charles Lockheart [sic] of the State of North Carolina Did enlist in as a private soldier in Colo. Maham's Regiment of Light Dragoons belonging to So. Carolina in the Late War – Your petitioner prays that you will Grant to your petitioner all the Claims due to the Estate of the said Charles Lockheart Deceased – as Administrator to the aforesaid Estate in your petitioner as in Duty bound will Ever Pray

S/ John Abernathy, Administrator

[p 9: same petition addressed to the South Carolina Senate]

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The Committee to whom was Referred the Petitions of John Abernathy & others – praying to draw the claims of Charles Lockhart & George Ridley for services done in Colo. Maham's Regiment of light Dragoons –

Report –

That the [they] find the following persons has accounts passed by your commissioners for said services – to wit Charles Lockhart and George Ridley –

Therefore recommend that your Treasurers be directed to Issue indents to the lawful Claimts [Claimants] for the Same.