Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Samuel Bennett SC509 AA23 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 446

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[p 2] No. 117 No. 1589

2nd Feb. 1788 Book Y

Saml. Bennett for 250 days duty as a horseman, and 123 days as a footman from 10 November 1780 to 4th of September 1782, alternately under the command of Colonel David Hopkins –

Charged [old South Carolina] Currency £311.10

Deduct less on 1st Chg'd

2 days at 20/£2

Do on last at

2 do at 10/£1.0.3

Currency Stg. [Sterling]

In No. 62 S. Bennet Junr. Has an account for 196 days in 1781

64 do 1782

No. 92 S. Bennet

do

291 in all 31 do

The Commissioner thanks the Auditor can best

find out whether this Claim may

be included in the Account above Referred to

in No. 62 & 92 which Numbers were passed by Him, &

were therefore never sent to Us

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

[p 3] 1780

November 10th

The State of South Carolina to Samuel Bennit

1781 To To 250 days duty done under the Command of Col. David Hopkins As

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July the 16th deduct 2 days

a horseman in the Militia Service at 20/ former Curry per day

Aug. yth 10th To 62 days duty performed as Foot man £250.0.0

1782 do 1 da

July 6th in the Militia Service under the Command of Colo.

David Hopkins at 10/ former Currency per day 31

Sept. 4

To 60 days duty performed as A foot Soldier in the Mi

Do 1 day

Litia Service under the Command of Colo. David Hopkins

At 10/ form Currency per day £30.10 30.10

£[illegible].10

I do Certify that the Above 373 days duty was performed

Under my Command S/ David Hopkins Lt. Colo. R. M.

South Carolina

Chester County} Appeared Mr. Samuel Bennit [sic] and made Oath that the Above Account of 311 pounds former Currency is Just and True as it Stands Stated and that he has never Received any part thereof and that the said Bennett Sent and Account to the Above Amount by John Quinn to be delivered to the Auditor General his office in Charleston which Account cannot be found there

Sworn to before me this 13 day of April 1786

S/D. Hopkins, JP

S. Bennet Junr. (Rec'd 29 May 86)

No. 62 {196 days in 1781

No. 92 {64 do in 1782 £18.11.5

S. Bennet An Acct. for 31 days in Genl. Marion's [Francis Marion's] Brigade Amtg. To

£15.10/ Curry

All charged as private of Foot

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Rec'd 15 May 1790 full satisfaction for this Account in an Indent No. 1589 Book Y by virtue of an order

S/ D. Hopkins

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Chester County – Broad River June 1, 1786

Gentlemen) Please to Deliver to Captain Daniel Muzeck [Daniel Mazyck] such Indent or Indents as May appear to be due me from this State or from the United States and this shall be your Sufficient Receipt for the same

Witness

S/ D Hopkins, JP S/ Samuel Bennet

Samuel Bennet

[p 5] No. 62 No. 90 Lib. W Aug

Lib. W Augt. 3rd 1785 Samuel Bennet Junior for 64 days Militia Duty in 1782 and 196 do in 1781 Amount

£4.10.8 Sterling

Add

14.0.9 £18.11.5

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

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The State of South Carolina

1782

To Samuel Bennet, Junior

Dr.

1 Novr.

To 64 Days Service in General Marion's Brigade as a Private at 1/5

£4.10.8

State of South Carolina Camden District} Personally appeared Mr. Samuel Bennet Junior who being duly Sworn maketh oath that the above Account is just and true and that he has received no pay for the same.

Sworn before me this 18th day of March 1784

S/ David Rogers, JP

S/ Samuel Bennet, Inr.
Samuel Bennet for

South Carolina February 18, 1788

Please to Deliver any Indents that may appear to be due me from the public Treasury of this State to John Chandler and you will Greatly Oblige

Your Obedient Servant

S/ Saml. Bennett, Jnr.

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Received 7 May 1788 full Satisfaction for the within Account in an Indent No. 90 W per order S/ John Chandler

John Chandler John Fhan Med

[p 9: Form of Indent No. 90 Book W]

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The State of So. Carolina

To Samuel Bennet

Dr.

Sam! Bennett In?

July 2, 2018 1783 To thirty one Days Duty don [done] in Genl. Marion's Brigade at 10/£15.10/ Currency or

£2.4.3 1/4 Stg.

So. Carolina

Cheraw District Personally came before me Zachariah Nettles one of the Justices for the Said District—Samuel Bennet who being Duly Sworn on the holy Even's of Almighty god sayith that the above Account is a just account and that he hath Rec'd no part thereof Sworn to before me this 26 of July 1785

Zach Nettles, JP Rec'd Augt. 2nd 1785