## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Edward Martin SC5139 Audited Account No. 4798

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## Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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[Note. The cover sheet for this Indent is largely illegible as posted online except that it was in the amount of £20 Sterling and was examined by the following:  $Ex^{d}$ . W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General

The following information is taken from Salley, Stub Index, Book l-n, p 43 No. 263

Book L Issued the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 1784 to Mr. Edward Martin for 20 Pounds Sterling for 140 Days Militia Duty in 1780 as per Account audited – Principal £20.0 Annual Interest £1.8 –]

State of So. Carolina Dbtr. [Debtor] to Edward MartinCommencingJulyto one hundred and forty[illegible]Days a Soldier under1780Capt. McCluer<sup>2</sup> at  $20S^3$  per day£140.0.0£20

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <u>http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/</u>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the <u>Just take me to the search page</u> 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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This could be either Hugh McClure of the Turkey Creek Regiment or John McClure of the New Acquisition District Regiment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 20 shillings old South Carolina currency was the per diem pay rate for a mounted militia man providing his own horse and equipment.