Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Massey SC5174 Audited Account No. 4823

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Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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No. 66

[Book] X [No.] 85

12 August 1785

James Massey for 89 days Militia Duty in 1781 & 1782

Amount

£6.7.1 ½ Stg. [Sterling]

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M^c. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

[p 3: Very faint image of the document that seems to list the veteran's services as follows: 22 days service in an expedition under Colonel Thomas Taylor in Captain James Craig's company; and 67 days at Orangeburg under Colonel Taylor.]

I Certify the above account to be true

Thos. Taylor Colo.

Gentidy the above act to be true

[Illegibly faint County] Personally came James Massey and made oath that the above account is Just and true. Sworn & before me this 31st day of July [? very faint] 1784

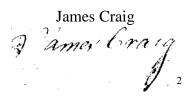
James Massey, X his mark

James Craig, JP

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Received 12 August 1785 full satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 85 Book X

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[p 5] Gentlemen

Please Deliver the Public Indent as also the Interest thereof to James Craig to bring to me and his Receipt to you shall be a Discharge for the Same your Compliance will much oblige Gentlemen your very humble servant

James Massey, X his mark

Messrs. Bocquet and Mitchell, Treasurers

Witness

? Winn

² this is the signature of Captain James Craig of the Camden District Regiment of South Carolina militia