Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts 1 relating to Alexander McCalpin [McAlpin] SC5255 Audited Account No. 4890

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No. 308 No. 36 Book P

Mr. Alex. McCalpin (Capt.) his Account of Militia Duty done alternately before and after the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant] & for Sundries for Militia in 1779 the whole Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £395.14.8

Stg. [Sterling] £56.10.8

Ex^d. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

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

Rec'd Columbia 12 February 1791 from Commissioners [of the] Treasury an Indent No. 308 Book N for 56 pounds 10/8 in full for the within (per Order)

£56.10.8

R. Hampton [Richard Hampton]

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State So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Alex. McCalpin for Duty in the Militia done alternately before and after the reduction of Charleston per

Col. Anderson's Return say 3 Tours

£255.10/

26

78.10/

Currency

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Sundries in 1779 per Account enclosed

Currency $\frac{35.14.8}{£395.14.8}$ Stg. £56.10.8

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The Publick of South Carolina to Alexander McAlpin [sic]

Dr.

June 10th:1781

To his pay in Actual Duty as a volunteer on horseback

14 Days at 20/ [20 shillings old SC Currency] per Day

£14

Thence to his pay on Actual Duty to the

15th of August as Capt. on scout Duty

with men from Different Companies per

Order of Col. Anderson 52 Days at 60/& 10/

£.7

£182

Solomon McAlpin his Son 14 Days on foot at 10/ & 52 on Horseback

59.10

10 less

£255.10 £36.8.6 3/4

Alexander McAlpin made Oath before me that the Account is Just: Sworn to the 21st of July 1783

Before me William Luckie, JP

The Above Duty was performed by my Order [text too faint to discern] 1783

Robt Anderson Colo. [Robert Anderson, Colonel]

· Bothmanner

[p 4] Sir

I am the widow of the late Capt. Alexander McCalpin Deceased & as administratrix on the Estate of my said Husband I have for value Received this 21 Day of January 1791 Assign over to John Bynum Esquire right title and Claim which my Said Husband had against the Public of South Carolina for Services performed, during the late war, you will please deliver to Mr. Bynum all Indents in your office which appear Due to the Estate of said Intestate and his receipt shall be in full for the same

Mary McCalpin

Widow

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State of South Carolina Lexington County} Mr. Joel Lockhart duly maketh Oath before me, that he was personally present, & saw the within Mary McCulpin [sic] Sign the within Instrument of Writing for the purposes therein Contained

Joel Lockhart

Jack Lackhary

Sworn to this 31st of January 1791 before John Hampton, JP

J Bynum