Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William McCleskey SC5310 pp 6 Audited Account No. 4929F

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[Book] T [No.] 206

No. 36

Mr. William McClosky [sic] his Account of Duty in the Militia done alternately before and since the reduction of Charles Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] as Private Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency

£245.10/

Stg. [Sterling] £350.1.5

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

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

Charleston, Auditor's office, August 30th 1784

This is to Certify that in Col. Robert Anderson return [not extant], Mr. William McClosky [sic] has for Accounts against this State, said to amount to £245.10/ old Currency, which are unexamined

witness to the within

James Elisnore

J. McCall, Aud. Genl.

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State So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to William McClosky [sic]

for Duty per Col. Anderson's return 4 Tours

£245.10/

Stg. £35.1.5

Rec'd 14 April 1785 from the Commissioners of the Treasury an Indent No. 206 Book P for £35.1.5 in full satisfaction of this account by virtue of an order Saml Adams [Samuel Adams]

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[p 4] Charleston the 18 November 1784

Rec'd of John Ellison full satisfaction for the amount of the within account Except \$10 to pay the Indents due for 100 acres of Land and I do request the treasurers to deliver the amount of the within to John Ellison

Wm McCleskey



Witness

John [undeciphered surname]

Gentlemen Please deliver to Mr. Samuel Adams or Order an indent for the within Account when presented & your oblige your Humble Servant



To the Commissioners of the Treasury