Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Odill [Odle] SC753 AA7 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 5604

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[p 2] [illegible]

Mr. John Odill, his Account of 62 days Militia Duty in 1782.—

Amotg. [amounting] to £4.8.6 ¾

Four Pounds eight Shillings and six Pence three farthings Sterling

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

Received the __ 1784 from the Commissioners of the Treasury an Indent No 287 Book G for £4.8.6 3/4 Sterling in full Satisfaction of the within Account—rec'd [received] in Virtue of an Order from General Sumter S/Wm Murrell [William Murrell]

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The State of South Carolina

To John Odill Dr.

Augt. 2 To 29 Days Service in Genl. Marions' [Francis Marion's] Brigade

Decr. 3 33 Days Do at Curry [old SC currency] Stg [Sterling] £4.8.6 3/4

State of South Carolina

Camden District Personally appear'd Mr. John Odill who being duly sworn maketh oatha

That the above Account is just and true, and that he has not Received any pay for the Same.

Sworn before me this 10 October 1783 S/ John Odil

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David Rogers, JP

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[p 4: Printed form of Indent No. 278, Book G dated June 18th 1784 delivered to Mr. John Odill "for the Sum of Four pounds eight Shillings and Six pence three farthings Sterling for Sixty two days Militia duty in 1782 as p [per] accot. [account] Audited."]

[p 5: reverse of the above Indent endorsements by Wm Murrell dated 30th September 1784 for interest due on the indent; by Thos. Sumter [General Thomas Sumter] dated Feby 14th 1786 also for interest due on the indent; by Thos. Andrews [Thomas Andrews] dated Oct. 20, 1786 for interest due; by John Reynolds dated Sept. 26, 1787 for interest due; and the following:

I acknowledge to have received the Amount of this Indent for Negroes² belonging to the State Troops, & now deliver up the same to the Commrs. [Commissioners] of the Treasy [Treasury] in payment for the Sale thereof

12 Feb. 1788

Thos. Sumter

[Note: the signatures of the others listed on the reverse of the indent are as follows:

S/ Thos. Andrews

S/ John Reynolds

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² Men who volunteered to serve in 1781 or 1782 in the SC State Troops commanded by General Thomas Sumter were promised 'payment' in the form of Negro slaves confiscated from Tories. This form of 'payment' was called "Sumter's Wages."