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Bounty Land Warrant of Barnard Beekman BLWt301-500 Transcribed by Will Graves

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S. C.	Beekman, Barnard	B.L.Wt.301-500-Col.
		Issued June 7, 1796
		No papers

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Bernard Beekman Audited Account Microfilm file No. 404

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To the Honorable John Lloyd Esquire President and the Members of the Honorable Senate of the State of South Carolina

The Memorial of the under written

Sheweth

That your Memorialists have served for several years past as Commissioned Officers of the said State, in the Army of the United States, that their pay and Subsistence have been settled up to the Commencement of the year 1780. That the same was paid in the kind of money which fell far short of the generous Intentions of the Honorable the Continental Congress, or of those of the Honorable the General Assembly of this State. That the reduction of Charles Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780], Involved them in Common with the rest of their fellow Citizens in Circumstances the most distressing. That from that fatal era, this State has been Totally unable to Assist them in a manner adequate to the very liberal Resolves which from time to time have been passed in their favor – That the impracticability of furnishing their Quota of men, has pointed out to Congress the expediency of retaining no more Officers then were Actually necessary for Commanding the men we have, thereby the greatest Number of your Memorialists are Deranged, without being Allowed to draw Even the Scanty Support of Rations, & though in want of Every thing, are without any present Subsistence whatever - Their attendance to the duties of their Respective Offices having thrown them Out of the line of their former Occupations, and which they have not yet been able again to enter upon – To add to their distresses, many of them still Remain prisoners of war on parole.

Thus situated, your Memorialists beg leave to Intrude on your important Hours, so far as to request that their Situation may be taken into your very Serious Consideration – that their

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at <u>http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/</u>.

Arrearages for pay and Subsistence, and depreciation for pay and subsistence may be finally liquidated and Adjusted and Treasury Indents bearing the usual Interest given to each Officer for the same – That if this Honorable House should think it improper, that the whole of such Indents should be received In payment of Publick property, Sold at auction, That at least a part thereof should. Or that such other Relief Should be granted them, as this House in their wisdom shall think proper –

S/B. Beekman, Colo.

And your Memorialist will Ever pray. Charles Town 15th February 1784

S/ Felix Warley, Capt. S/ Richard B. Roberts, Captn. S/ Simon Theus, Capt. S/ James Mitchell, Capt. ANalvarle Richard B. Roberts Car James Mitchell S/ John Wiekley Capn S/ Jos. Warley [?] Capt. S/ Harmon Davis Capn S/ John Hampelton, Lieut. S/ Barnard Elliott, Captn S/ Jese Baker, Capt. S/ LeVacher de St. Marie, Capt. S/ George Warley, Capt. S/ Jno. Goodwyn, Lieut. S/ Richard Mason, Capt. S/ Henry Collins, Flagg Surg. S/ Joh Martin, Capt. S/H. P. Gadsden, Capt. S/ Danl. Langford, Lieut. S/ Peter Fayssoux, P & S. Gl. Regt. S/ George Liddell Capt. S/ Thos. C. Russell, Lieut. 6 pluster Gapt. John Wickley Capin John Wasputton Level Kannon Davis Cap Jesi Baker lat" George Markey Cap-Barnara Elligth, Ca ichand Mason Com ohn Martin Ga Langlord Lie Leddell S/ Benjn. Lloyd, Lieut. S/ Edward Lloyd, Lt. Surg They limk_ Edward Lloyd Lm

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A List of those which had Land Surveyed & is not Included in those which the Public are

Charged with Who (it is expected) will pay the expenses for Running their Own Land Colonel Bernard Beekman £2.17.6 Doctor John S Budd £2.17.6 Richard Bokum Baker² Capt £2.17.6 Lt. Samuel Beekman £2.17.6 Lt. Charles Brown £2.17.6 Captain Charles Crowley naval department £2.17.6 Andrew D. Elliong Majr³ £2.17.6 Captain William Donnom £2.17.6 Captain Harmon Davis £2.17.6 Captain Bernard Elliott £2.17.6 Doctor Peter Feysseaux £2.17.6 Thomas Fitzgerald Naval Department £2.17.6 Alexander Gillon Commodore £2.17.6 Do do £2.17.6 Captain John Gilbank £2.17.6 Captain John F Gorgett [Gorget] £2.17.6 Peter Horry Colonel £2.17.6 John Lewis Pierin Hoff £2.17.6 Michael Kelterson Captain Naval Department £2.17.6 James Legaree [Legare], Lt. £2.17.6 Abraham Ladson in trust for J. E. £2.17.6 Major Charles Motte £2.17.6 Henry Moore Captain £2.17.6 Lavacher DeSt. Maria Capt. £2.17.6 John Moore Captain £2.17.6 Captain Thomas Mashal [Marshall] £2.17.6 Captain Daniel Mazyck £2.17.6 Captain Lewis Martin £2.17.6 Lieutenant Stephen Mazzyek [Mazck] £2.17.6 L. Natt. Marston Naval Department £2.17.6 John Nixon Naval Department £2.17.6 Hugh Alexander Nixon Naval Department £2.17.6 Major Samuel Wise £2.17.6 Captain Thomas Weaver £2.17.6 John Peter Ward Lt £2.17.6 Reverend Henry Purcel [Purcell] Judge Advocate £2.17.6 Philip Frederick Van Plater Lt £2.17.6 **Richard Brook Roberts in trust** £2.17.6 **Colonel William Scott** £2.17.6 Captain Richard Shoebrick [Shubrick] £2.17.6 **Captain Jacob Shubrick** £2.17.6 Captain Thomas Shubrick £2.17.6 Captain Simon Theus £2.17.6

³ Probably Andrew Dellient, a major in the 2nd SC Regt. taken POW at the surrender of Charleston in May 1780.

² Name also spelled Richard Bohun Baker