Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Abraham Alexander SC142 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 63A

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Know all Men by these Presents that I Abraham Alexander Jr. [?] [of] the State of North Carolina and County of Mecklenburg have bargained and Sold and do hereby bargain and sell unto Doctor Isaac Alexander of the State aforesaid and County of Rowan for and in Consideration of the Sum of Forty Pounds Current Money of the State aforesaid, the Receipt of which I do hereby acknowledge, my whole Right and Claim to a prime Slave which I was entitled to draw from the State of South Carolina as a Second Lieutenant in the First Regiment of State Troops under Command of Brigadier General Sumpter [Thomas Sumter] – and I do hereby relinquish and give up to Doctor Isaac Alexander aforesaid his Heirs & Assigns all Title and claim to said Slave which was to have been given as a Reward for my public Services as Lieutenant aforesaid. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th of December 1783

In presence of

S/ Abrm Alexander

S/ Nathaniel Alexander

S/ Abraham Alexander Junior{Seal}

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The State of North Carolina Mecklenburg County SS

Personally appeared Lieutenant Abraham Alexander before me the Subscribing Justice & made Oath that he Joined Captain William Alexander's Company of Light Dragoons to the aid of South Carolina under the command of Brigadier General Sumter being the first completed in said brigade, that he was promoted as a Lieutenant in Captain Burn's [Peter Burns'] Company that he has received in part of his Cloathes two Shirts & one waistcoat, That the remainder of the Contract remains due from the State of South Carolina which said Balance he has sold to David [surname unclear, could be 'Allison']² for Value of him Received this 7th day of December 1784

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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 http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. The "SC" file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

S/ Abm Alexander

S/ Hez. Alexander, JP [Hezekiah Alexander]

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South Carolina Lancaster County}

Before me Adam Wainborn [?? very faint] a Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid Personally appeared Abraham Alexander formerly Lieutenant Abraham Alexander of Colonel Wade Hampton's Regiment of State Cavalry and being duly qualified made oath that he has bargained and sold to Doctor Isaac Alexander of Camden and State aforesaid his whole Right & Claim to a prime Slave which according to the Term for Payment of the Troops in that Service he was entitled to have drawn.

Sworn September 6th, 1785 [?]

Before me

S/ Adam Wainborn, JP [?]

S/ Abm Alexander

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[Note: The file contains three form Indents, each issued to "Mr. Abraham Alexander" for 'Services and Supplies' as follows:

Indent No. 134 Book C. J. in amount of £375.18.5 ½

Indent No. 135 Book C. J. in amount of £372.5.3

Indent No. 136 Book C. J. in amount of £159.4.3

Each indent recites that it is issued in lieu of previously issued indents. The previously issued indents are not in the file.]