

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Thomas Beckum Jr. SC450  
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 399

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No. 50

[illegible]

Mr. Thomas Beccum [sic] Junior his Account of Militia Duty as Private since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780]

Amounting to [old South Carolina] Currency

£69.2.6

Stg. [Sterling]

£9.17.6

Ex<sup>d</sup>. J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G." [Executed by John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State South Carolina

To Thomas Beccum Junior

Dr.

for duty per Anderson's [Colonel Robert Anderson's] Return

£69.2.6

Stg.

£9.17.6

Received 9<sup>th</sup> of July 1785 full satisfaction for the above in an Indent No. 214 Book U by an Order

S/ Edmond Martin



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State of South Carolina Ninety Six District}

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

Gentlemen

Please deliver to Mr. Edmond Martin the Indent due me from the Publick of  
South Carolina for Duty Done in Colonel LeRoy Hammond's Regiment of militia  
S/ Thomas Beckum

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Thomas Beckum". The ink is dark and the handwriting is fluid, with a prominent initial 'T'.

[Acknowledged on September 21, 1785 by Aquilla Miles, JP in Ninety Six District South  
Carolina]

[p 5: Form of Indent No. 214, Book U issued to Thomas Beccum Junior]

[p 6: reverse of the Indent bearing an assignment by Thomas Beckum of his right and title to the  
indent to Samuel Benjamin.]