

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John McElhenny SC5451
Audited Account No. 5031

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[No. 829 Book X September 30, 1785]

John McElhany [sic] for 365 Days Militia duty on Horseback from 15th June 1780 to 15th June 1781 amounting to 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency] per day to

Currency £365.0.0

Sterling £52.2.10 ¼

Ex^d. T. W. [Examined by Thompson Whitehurst]

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

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State of So. Carolina to John McElhany [sic]

Dr.

1780

June 15th To 365 days Duty as Horseman at 20/ £365

to June 15th

1781 this Duty is returned in Capt.

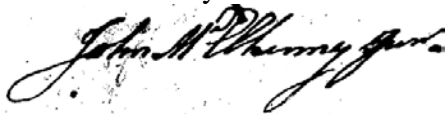
John Collins's Pay Bill and there Certified

State of So. Carolina

The Justness of the above Account attested to this 16th August 1785 before me

J. McCall, JP

John McElhenny Junr.



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Received the 30th September 1785 from the Commissioners of the Treasury full Satisfaction for
the amount of the within Account in an Indent No. 829 X By the Virtue of an Order

Wm Holms

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Wm Holms", written over a horizontal line.