Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts relating to Samuel Bland SC642 AA10
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[p 2]
[No.] 711
[Book] X 23rd Sept. 1785
Mr. Samuel Bland his account of Militia duty as Quarter Master from 16th February to the 10th May 1779 say 83 days Charged at 40/ per day to
[old South Carolina] Curry [currency] £166.0.0
deduct 5/per day the allowance being only 35/        21.15
Sterling £145.5.0

[p 3]
The public of State of South Carolina

    to Samuel Bland

    Dr.

To Service done said State as Quarter-master to Colonel Thomas’s [John Thomas’] Regiment under the command of General Williamson [Andrew Williamson] on Savannah River SC, from the 16th of February until the 10th day of May 1779 – both days included being 83 days at 40/ per day

£166

at 35/ amounting to £145.5.0 – deduct less 20.15

Stg.

20.15

Personally appeared Samuel Bland, Quarter-master of Colonel Thomas’s Regiment before me and made oath that the above Account against the public as it stands stated is Just & true.
Sworn to before me
the 19th day of July 1779
S/ Thomas [illegible], JP Certified, John Thomas, Col.

John Thomas

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Samuel Blands
Account £166
Received 22 February 1788, the Amount of the within Account in a Treasury Indent No. 711
Book X

S/ John Thomas

[p 5]
Samuel Bland’s order to John Thomas Junior some of his account is for Quarter Master and some as a private

[p 6]
Gentlemen
Please to deliver to Colonel John Thomas Junior all the Indents due me in your office and this shall be your discharge for so doing

S/ Samuel bland
10th January 1788

The Commissioners of the Treasury will please to deliver the Indents mentioned in the above order to Colonel John Thomas Senior which will greatly oblige your humble Servant

S/ J. Thomas Junr.

[p 7: Form of Indent No. 711, X dated September 23, 1785]

[p 8: reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Samuel Bland, John Thomas, Sr., John Thomas, Jr., John Nicols, Isaac Morgan. This time the veteran signed his name as follows:

[p 9]
No. 114
[No.] 3367
[Book] X 18th July 1786
Samuel Bland For Militia Duty in Roebuck’s [Benjamin Roebuck’s] Regiment, before the fall of Charleston [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Anderson’s
[Colonel Robert Anderson’s] Return [no copy of said Return is known to be extant] amounting to [old South Carolina] Currency

£57.10.0

Sterling £8.4.3 ¼

Ex’d J. Mc. A. G.” [Executed by John McCall, Adjutant General]

Received 22 February 1788, the Amount of the Within in a Treasury Indent No. 3367 Book X

S/ John Thomas