

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Jesse Davis SC1840 AA5

Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1800

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[Note: I am not a handwriting expert but the signatures on the 2 documents appearing below appear to me to be by the same man even though both claims for militia service in 1779. Based on the thousands of audited accounts I have now read and transcribed, it is very unusual for the state to have granted separate indents for service by the same man in the same year.]

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No. 56

No. 424 Book R

Jesse Davis for 130 days duty in Militia in 1779

Amount £9.5.8 ½ [Sterling]

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by John McCall, Adjutant General]

Gentlemen be pleased to deliver all my indents That is in your office for Duty done in Granville County Regiment Deliver them to Mr. John Peasley as I have sold them to him for a Consideration This 2nd day of August 1791

This order was assigned

before me this 2 day of August 1791

S/ John Chisoley, JP

S/ Jesse Davis



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Jesse Davis

A 99

30 of August 1791

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AA) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

To the Commissioners of Treasury in Charleston

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[No.] 4404 [?]

No. 55

22 August 85 [1785]

Jesse Davis for 15 days duty in Militia in 1779

Amount £1.1.5 Stg. Bracket Sterling]

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by John McCall, Adjutant General]

“not attested.”

Pass

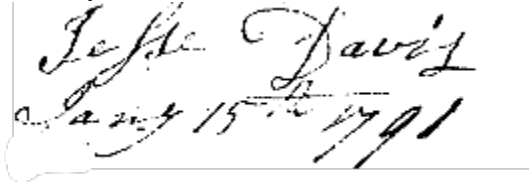
S/ E. L.

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Gentlemen Please deliver my Indents in Your Office to John Bostick for Militia duty done in Colonel Stafford's [William Stafford of the lower Granville County Regiment] Regiment under Captain Garvin [John Garvin] as I have sold him my Indent & received full value for the same. I am Gentlemen Your humble Servant

S/ Jesse Davis

January 15th, 1791

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jesse Davis" followed by "Jan 15th 1791". The signature is enclosed in a rectangular border.

The Public Treasurers

Columbia

Certified per S/ William Stafford, JP