

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Earwood SC2024
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North Carolina Rowan County} This day came William Earewood [sic] one of the man who Served ten months in the State of South Carolina in Captain William Alexander's Company Colonel Wade Hampton's Regiment & General Sumpters [Thomas Sumter's] Brigade in the year 1781 and made oath that he did not take Any of the Publick Property of the State of South Carolina nor any Private Property of Any Person an Inhabitant of said State to convert it to his own use or the use of any other Person nor Convey it away himself or Cause it to be Conveyed out of the said State to the Prejudice of the Publick or Any Individual
Sworn & Subscribed this 3rd day of February 1783 before me Justice of the peace for said County

S/ Jacob Nichols, JP

S/ William Earewood, X his mark

This may certify that I William Earwood of North Carolina & Lincoln County have Made over unto Jacob Nichols of Rowan County one Negro which is Due to me for my Service Done in South Carolina a ten months in General Sumter's Brigade Colonel Wade Hampton's Regiment Captain William Alexander's Troop for Value of him Received and do hereby Authorize him to Draw said Negro as if I were personally present

Witness my hand this 17th of April 1782

S/ Joseph Nicholls, Wit.

S/ William Earwood, X his mark

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Received of Jacob Nicholes [sic] Esquire Eight pounds in hard money upon Robert Chambers

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Gentlemen

Please deliver to Captain John Reed the claim of William Earwood which he has assigned to me December 27 178 [last digit obliterated]

S/ Ja Nichols



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