

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Francis Nichols SC2093
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No. 3375

Book X

July 19th 1786

Francis Nichols for 247 days duty in Colonel Peter Horry's Cavalry from August 26th, 1781 to May 3rd 1782

163.27/90 lbs. dollars

£37.17.11

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

original Certificate is wanting

Colonel Horry must Certify that the above Service was done in his Regiment

S/ E L

Passed

S/ E. D.

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Francis Nichols of Colonel Peter Horry's Corps of Cavalry having Served his time is hereby Discharged from said Corps and Service

Lenud's Ferry August 15, 1782

S/ Francis Marion} Counterfeit

I William Stafford Do Certify as Justice of the peace That the above is a True Copy from the original

1st July 1783

S/ William Stafford, JP

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Received 19 July 86 full Satisfaction for this Account in an Indent No. 3375 Book X per Assignment

S/ John Fenwick

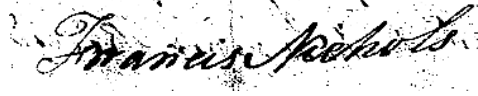
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Sir Please to pay the Bearer Mr. Seth Stafford the wages which is due me from the State of South Carolina for Eleven months and twenty Days Service Done in Colonel Peter Horry's Corps of Cavalry as Mr. Seth Stafford has made me full Payment for the above – and this my order Shall be your receipt for the Same and am Sir your most humble Servant

S/ Francis Nichols



Capt. William Fishburn

Gentlemen you'll please to Deliver John Fenwick Esquire an Indent for Francis Nichols' public Accounts for Duty done in Colonel Peter Horry's Cavalry and you will oblige gentlemen your humble Servant

25th January 1787

S/ Seth Stafford



Tes S/ William Stafford, JP

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State of South Carolina Beaufort District } SS Came before me William Stafford one of the Justices of the peace for said District Francis Nichols who being Duly Sworn declares that he has Served in Colonel Peter Horry's Corps of Cavalry as a boulder [bugler?] from the 26th of August 1781 to the 15th of August 1782 and he has never Received no pay for the above Services.

Sworn before me this 1st Day of July 1783

S/ William Stafford, JP

S/ Francis Nichols

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 3375 Book X dated July 19, 1786 in the amount of £37.17.11]

[p 8: Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by John Fenwick and Seth Stafford]