

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to David McNeley [McNeely] SC2105 AA3  
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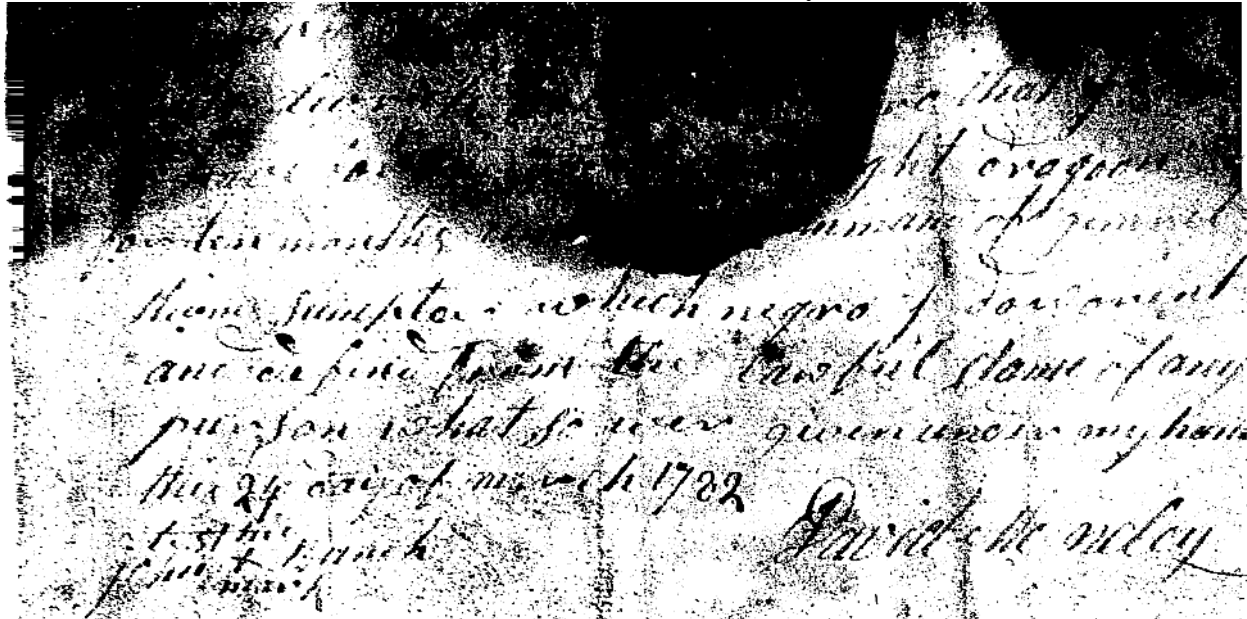
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that  
[li]ght dragoon  
for ten months \_\_\_\_\_ [co]mmand of general  
Thomas Sumpter [Thomas Sumter] which negro I do covent [covenant?]  
and defend from the lawful Clame [claim] of any  
person what So ever given under my hand  
this 24 day of march 1782

test

S/ John Bunch [?], X his mark

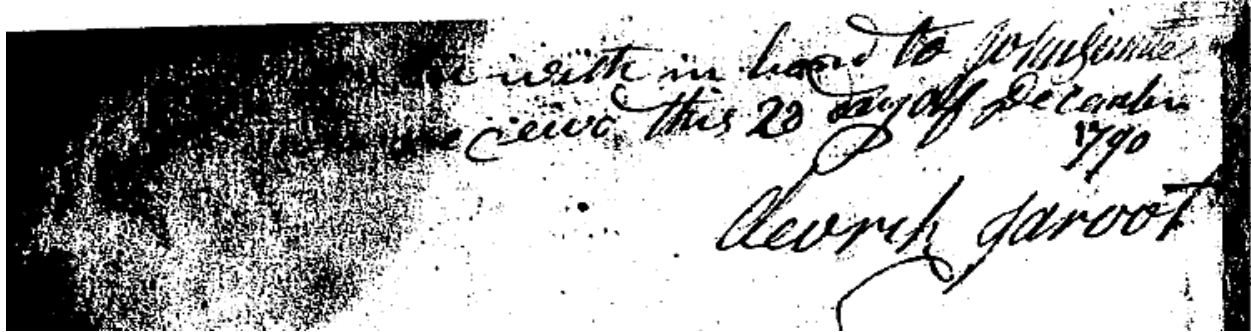
S/ David Mc neley



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\_\_\_\_\_ with in hand to John McGuade [?]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [re]ceiv'd this 28 day of Decamber 1790  
S/ Clevrik Jarvot [?]



The image shows a handwritten receipt in cursive script. The text is: "I have with in hand to Mr McGuade receiv'd this 28 day of Decamber 1790 Clevrik Jarvot". The signature "Clevrik Jarvot" is written in a large, flowing cursive at the bottom right.

[Note: David McNeely is listed on the roster [\[B232\]](#) of Captain Francis Moore of Charles S Myddelton's Regiment of Thomas Sumter's Brigade 10-Month State Troops who were to be paid in Negro slaves confiscated from the Tories. That form of payment for service in Sumter's Brigade was known as "Sumter's Wages." That roster indicates that McNeely was a Sergeant and had received one grown Negro but was owed ¼ of a small Negro at the time his services ended. I believe this veteran is the man referred to on that roster even though the above documents do not explicitly list him as having been a Sergeant under Captain Moore.]