

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Turner SC2249

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South Carolina State

Know Ye to Whom it May concern That I James Turner of Colonel Middleton's [Charles S Myddelton's] Regiment of Light Dragoons & Captain Waters [Philemon Waters] Troop have this Day Bargained, Sold & Made Over to the said Captain Waters My Right & Claim against ye Public for one grown Negro according to General Sumters [Brigadier General Thomas Sumter's] [one or more undeciphered words] of a grown Negro to each Private that he enlisted himself and faithfully served in the State Troops for the space of ten Months Giving him Power to Draw my Draft to lock [?] and keep ye above Negro. By these Presents [I] Do acquit him the said Waters [undeciphered words] of any Claim or Claims to ye Negro by Me my Heirs or assigns as witness my Hand this 8th Day of November 1781

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S/ Saml. Jackson

S/ James Turner, X his mark

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