

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Elder SC2434
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 2183

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[No.] 3480

No. 114

[Book] X

8 August 86 [1786]

James Elder, Captain, For Militia Duty in Roebuck's [Benjamin Roebuck's] Regiment since the fall of Charleston [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Anderson's [Colonel Robert Anderson's] Return [not extant] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency	£934.10
Sterling	£133.10

Received ___ full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 3480 – X, per Order
S/ Wm Smith [William Smith]

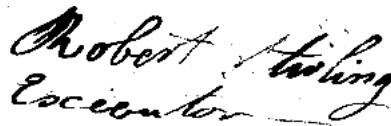


[p 3: Repeat of the above information]

[p 4]

State of South Carolina/ Gentlemen Please Deliver all Captain James Elder's Indents to William Smith with the Interest due thereon and this my order shall be your Receipt for the same November 28th, 1786 to the State
Commissioners in Charleston

S/ Robert Sterling
Executor



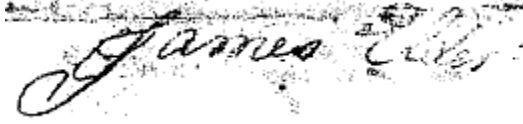
S/ Thomas Brandon, JP

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[p 5: Image of the printed form of Indent No. 3480 Book X]

[p 6: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement:

I Assign the with[in] indent to Messrs Brasselman & Company
S/ James Elder



[no date on this endorsement]]

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[Book] X [No.] 742 – 26 September 85 [1785]

James Elder for a horse lost in Public Service in 1779

Amounting [to] £17.3.4 $\frac{3}{4}$ Stg.

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M^c. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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[No.] 75

Past £17.2.10

Say 17 Pounds 2/10 Stg. S/ J. I [?]

[No.] 1420

[Book] X

Estate of James Elder for 30 days hire of Wagon, Team and Driver in 1780

Amount £17.2.10 $\frac{1}{4}$ Stg.

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M^c. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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Gentlemen 7 June 1786

Please to Deliver to Mr. James Faris all the Indents due to James Elder, Deceased, and give Credit thereon for the purchase money of 100 & 60 acres of land in the name of Moses Purvines and in so doing this shall be your discharge, from, as well as oblige Your Humble Servant

S/ Robert Sterling

Test S/ H. White, JP

I do hereby certify that the above Robert Sterling is the Administrator of James Elder Deceased, and that I saw him sign the above Order

S/ J Thomas Junior Ordinary for 96 District