

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Duff SC2482
Audited Account No. 2063

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Petition of William Duff praying for payment for Revolutionary services
Claims

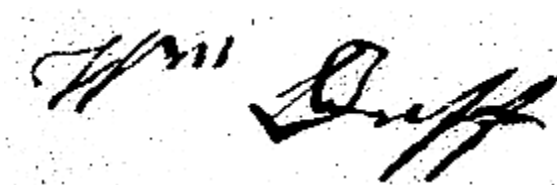
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To the President of the Senate & other Senators of the State of South Carolina

The Petition of William Duff Humbly Sheweth that he was enlisted as a private in the revolutionary War & Served about Seven years in the third Continental Regiment for which he has never received any compensation nor has he received the bounty in lands your petitioner was entitled unto according to the terms of his enlistment

Your petitioner therefore prays your Honorable body would inquire into the merits of his claim & grant him such compensation as in the Justice he may be entitled unto & your petitioner will ever pray

S/ Wm Duff

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Wm Duff', written in a cursive style. The signature is somewhat faded and has a grainy texture, possibly due to the scanning process.

[p 15: identical petition addressed to the South Carolina House of Representatives]

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The Committee on Claims to whom was referred the Petition of William Duff praying payment for Military Services rendered during the Revolutionary War – Beg leave to Report

That they have had the same under Consideration and recommend that the prayer thereof be not granted

S/ Thomas Carr, Chairman

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Report of the Committee on Claims on the Petition of William Duff

Rejected

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