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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Joseph Gardon SC2983
Audited Account No. 2672

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[No.] 1446 [Book] Y No. 117 13 September 85 [1785]

Joseph Gardon for his pay as Captain in 2nd Company of Foreign Residents in Charleston from 24th of March 1779 to 12th May 1781 being 781 days at £3 per day –

[old South Carolina] Currency £2343

Stg. [Sterling] £334.14.3 ¼

“N: B: “Not Certified”

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

Received remark within which referred to the Auditor

Passed £38.11.5 Stg. S/ T J [?]

[p 3: Printed form of indent No. 1446 Book Y dated September 13th, 1786 “delivered to Mr. Joseph Gardon this our Indented Certificate, for the Sum of Thirty-eight pounds Eleven Shillings and five pence pay as a Captain in 2nd Company of Foreigners residents in Charleston per Account passed by the Commissioners.”]

[p 4: Illegible image of the reverse of said Indent]

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Joseph Gardon

Captain Gardon was included in the pay Bill of the Marquis of Bretigney [sic, Marquis De Bretigney] to 6th July 1779 & which was rec'd [?] £171 –

Quere [Query]: is there any resolution or law of the State allowing a year's pay to foreigners after the capture or otherwise as Captain Gardon charges to May 1781 – although he left this country in August 1780

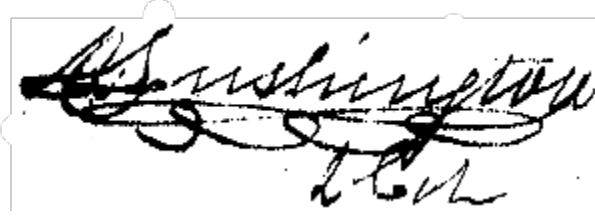
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It appears by the Pay Bill, that this company was paid up to 6 July 1779 per Rost [? roster?] of the Col the Marquis De Bretigney – and as pay Bill has been Returned Since that time – we presume that they did not go on duty till the Militia was called out, or the approach of General Clinton [Henry Clinton, Commander in Chief of all of the British forces in North America], which was about 12 February 1780 from which time to the Surrender of the town – 12 May 1780 is 3 months – We think the full-time that Captain Gardon may be entitled to Pay; but before We can Pass the Account for that time – as Certificate must be annexed, that the Service – was performed

I Certify that I saw Monsr. Gardon acting in a Military Line near Gibbes Whf [Wharf] during the Siege [in] 1780 Say 90 days at £3 per day – £270

is Stg. £38.11.5

S/ R. Lushington [Lieutenant Colonel Richard Lushington]



Past for Thirty Eight Pounds 11/5 Stg.

S/ T J [?]

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The State of South Carolina

To Joseph Gardon

Dr.

To his pay as Captain of the Second Company of
Foreigners Residents in Charleston from the 24th

of March 1779 to 12 May 1781 inclusive is 781 days at £3 per day

Currency £2343.0.0

Stg. £334.14.3 ¼

Berkley County
Charleston District }

The above Account duly attested before me this 6 day of June 1786

S/ J. McCall, JP

S/ J. Gardon

