

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Welcome Hodges SC3908
Audited Account No. 3653

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[No.] 776 [Book] Y No. 96 31st of December 85 [1785]

Welcome Hodges for 40 days Duty as a Sergeant of Foot at the Siege of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780]² in 1780 in Col. Benton's [Lemuel Benton's] Regiment at 12/6 [12 Shillings six pence old South Carolina currency] per day is

Currency £25

Stg. [Sterling] £3.11.5

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

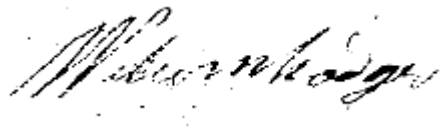
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Gentlemen

Please to Deliver my Indents to the bearer Major Trism Thomas [Tristram Thomas] and
You will much

Oblige Your Humble Servant

S/ Welcom hodges



To the Publick Treasurers
of the State of South Carolina
State South Carolina

Cheraw District} Signed Before me the [illegible] 1786

S/ Jos. Pledger, Junior

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

² Battle of Charleston <http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/800401-charleston/>

[p 4: Printed form of Indent No. 776 Book Y]

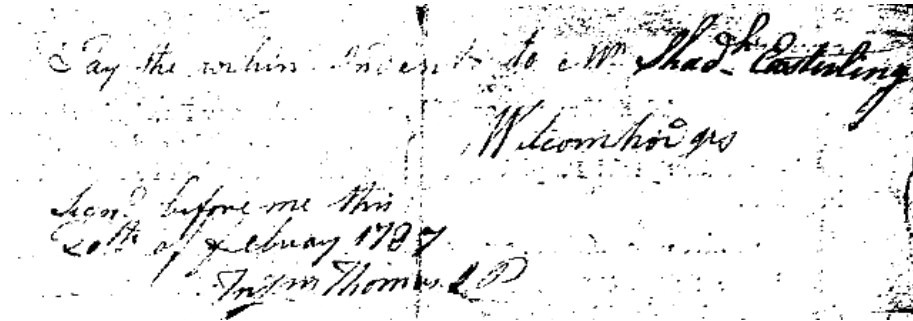
[p 5: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among over, the following endorsement:

Pay the within Indent to Mr. Shad^h Easterling [Shadrach Easterling]

S/ Welcom hodes

Signed before me this 20th of February 1787

S/ Tris^m Thomas JP



Pay the within Indent to Mr. Shad^h Easterling
Welcom hodes
Signed before me this
20th of February 1787
Tris Thomas JP