

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to James Kennedy SC4553  
Audited Account No. 4234

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[p 12: Coversheet for Indent No. 346 Book T is completely illegible as posted online]

[p 13]

The United States Dr. [Debtor] to James Kennedy  
to Service as Quarter & Forage Master to a Detachment  
of Light horse draughted from the Militia of this State &  
Commanded by Col. Daniel Horry from the 26<sup>th</sup> of March (inclusive)  
to the 8<sup>th</sup> of May – being in all 44 days at £4.2.6 per Day  
South Carolina Currency £182.10  
Charleston 16 July 1779

Mr. James Kennedy doth make Oath that the above Account is Just & true & That he has  
received no part thereof –  
Sworn before me this 16 July 1779

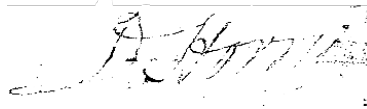
S/ Jno. Lining, JP

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Camp at Mount Prosper

This is to certify that Mr. James Kennedy is appointed Quarter and Forage Master to a  
detachment of Light horse (draughted) from the Militia of the State of South Carolina, by order  
of his Excellency the Governor Under my Command  
March 26 1779

S/ D. Horry



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<sup>1</sup> 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.

[p 15: Printed form of Indent No. 346 Book T dated June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1784 “delivered to Mr. James Kennedy this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE, for the Sum of One hundred & Sixty five pounds Eight Shillings and Nine pence Sterling additional pay allowed by the State as Lieutenant pay Mastr [pay Master] & Q. Mastr. [Quarter Master] in the So. Carolina Line in 1782 & 1783 per Account Audited.”]

[p 16: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement:

Rec'd 18 July 1789 from the Commissioners Treasury Four Years' Interest on the within Indent due at [illegibly faint text] by discount in purchase of Land

S/ J. Kennedy

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'J. Kennedy', enclosed in a rectangular box. The signature is written in dark ink on a light background. The box is partially filled with a dark, textured pattern, possibly representing a stamp or a scan artifact. A small square bracket is located at the bottom right corner of the box.