

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to George Keriss SC4573  
Audited Account No. 4248

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[No.] 140

Lib. [Book] V            July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1785

George Keriss his Account [old] 250 days duty on Horse as Private from 10 May 1781 to the 16 April 1783 at 20/ [old South Carolina] Currency per day

Charged            £35.12.0 Stg. [Sterling]

add more                  .2 .3 ¼

£35.14.3 ¼

Ex<sup>d</sup>. J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

Gentlemen

Orangeburg District

Please to Deliver my Indent for Duty Done in Capt. Creeches [Richard Creech's]

Company Commanded by Col. William Harden to Mr. Tarlton Brown

Signed before me 18<sup>th</sup>

July 1785        S/ John Wyld, JP

S/ George Kerish [sic], X his mark

To the Publick Treasurers in Charleston

[p 3: Printed form of Indent No. 140 Book V]

[p 4: Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Tarlton Brown, Bartlet Brown, William Casey and the veteran. The endorsements by the veteran read as follows:

I do hereby Endorse Over the within Indent unto [name obliterated] as witness my hand this 20<sup>th</sup> of November 1786

S/ George Keriss, X his mark]

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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.

Rec'd 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1786 from the Commissioners of the Treasury 4 Pounds 13/in part of the within  
by Discount in the purchase of 200 Acres of Land (granted to James Lee) for George Keriss