

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John King SC4617
Audited Account No. 4296

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No. 29

Lib. [Book] V} July 19th, 1785

John King his account of 250 pounds Beef for Continental use in [illegible]

Charged £3.4.2 –

Also for 31 days duty in the Militia as private at 10/ [10 shillings old South Carolina] Currency per day²

Charged £2.4.3 ¼ the whole Amounting to £5.8.5 ¼ Sterling

N:B: the Certificate for 31 days duty said to be lost [illegible]

Ex^d. J.H.S. [Examined by J. H. S. [identity unknown]]

J. M^c. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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South Carolina

Chs. District} John King made oath before me that the within Account is Just & that he has never received any satisfaction for the same.

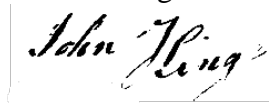
Sworn before me this 9th day of August 1783

S/ Thos. Powe, JP

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July 18th 1785 Gentlemen please deliver my Indent to Mr. ~~Peter Allen~~ Amos Windham and you Will much obliged gentlemen your humble servant

S/ John King



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² this was the per diem pay rate for a militia man serving on foot

To the Public Treasury of South Carolina
To Certify I saw John King sign the above
S/ Elias Dubose, JP

[p 15: Printed form of Indent No. 29 Book V in the amount of only £3.4.2 in payment for the beef claimed but no amount paid to the veteran for his service claim.]

[p 16: Reverse of the above Indent]

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No. 810 Book Y 31st December 1785

John King for 180 days Duty as Lieutenant in General Marion's Brigade from 15 December 1780 to 15 July 1781 alternately at 5/ [5 shillings Sterling] per day is Sterling £45
Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

[p 23: Restatement of the veteran's claim as set forth above except in a slightly different format.]

So. Carolina

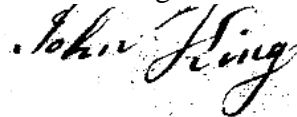
Cheraw District} SS Personally appeared Lt. John King before me & duly made Oath that the above Account is Just and True as it stands Stated & that he never Received any pay for the Same.

Sworn before me

3rd of August 1785

S/ Lambl. Benton, JP

S/ John King



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Rec'd 31st December 1785 full Satisfaction for the within in an indent No. 810 Lib Y per Order
S/ Amos Windham



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Gentlemen

Please deliver Amos Windham my Indent and you will much Oblige
Gentlemen

Your most Humble Servant

S/ John King

To the Commissioners of the Public Treasury

South Carolina

Darlington County} SS I do Certify that I saw Mr. John Cain Sign the above Order
8th June 1786 S/ Saml. Benton