

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Knight SC4725
Audited Account No. 4355

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[No. 814] [Book] Y No. 96 31 December 85 [1785]

John Knight for 153 days Duty as a Private in Col. Benton's [Lemuel Benton's] Regiment in
1781 and 1782. Charged Sterling £10.16.9

Add more .1.9 ¾
£10.18.6 ¾

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

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The State of So. Carolina to John Knight
1781

Dr.

June 5th To serving Sixty Days as a private
Soldier in the Militia at 1/5

£4.5

Dec. 23rd To Do. Do Thirty two Days at 1/5

2.5.4

1782 March 1st To Do Do. Thirty Days at 1/5

2.2.6

Aug. 1st To Do Do. Thirty one Days at 1/5

2.3.11

Sterling £10.16.9

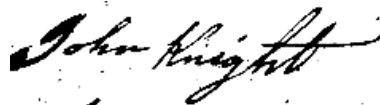
Add .1.9 ¾

£10.18.6 ¾

South Carolina

Cheraw District} SS Personally appeared John Knight before me & duly made Oath that the
Above Account is Just & True, & that he Never Received any pay for the Same –

S/ John Knight



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² Pages 25-40 of this file relate to a "Thomas Knight."

Sworn before me
20th September 1785
S/ Lemuel Benton

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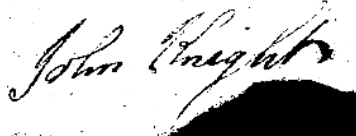
Received 31st December 1785 full satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 814 Book Y
S/ Robert Blair

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert Blair", written in dark ink on a light background.

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Gentlemen

Please to deliver my Indents to Mr. Robert Blair and You'll very Much Oblige
Gentlemen Your Humble Servant
S/ John Knight

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Knight", written in dark ink on a light background.

To the Public Treasurers of
the State of So. Carolina
Certified by me this 25th January 1787
S/ Moses Pearson, JP