

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Nicholas Bell SC477
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 417² & 419

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[Note: This file contains documents relating to more than one veteran by this name. Use the page number of the file to identify the specific veteran to whom I believe the document relates. It is not always clear, however, which documents relate to specific veterans, so use my attribution with care.]

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[No.] 1288 [Book] Y No. 120

11 June 86 [1786]

John N^s Bell for 49 days duty as horseman in Captain Robins [Thomas Robins'] Company
Colonel Winn's [Richard Winn's] Regiment from first April 1781 2/19 May following at 20/ per
day

[old South Carolina] Currency

£49

Stg. [Sterling]

£7

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

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South Carolina Chester County} I do Certify that the within John Ns. Bell is a Soldier in my
Regiment May 28th 1786

S/ D. Hopkins

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "D. Hopkins", with a horizontal line underneath. The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.

Received 11 June 1786 full satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 1287 Book X
S/ William Bell

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. The "SC" file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

² These documents are misfiled under the name James Bell in the SC Audited Account records.

William Bell

I do hereby Empower William Bell to receive my Indent for the amount of my account against the State of South Carolina & his Receipt shall be sufficient Discharge from the to the Treasurer of the State of South Carolina

S/ John Nicholas Bell, X his mark

Signed & acknowledged
this 15th of November 1786
before S/ J. O. Brown, JP

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1 April
Until
19th May
1781

The State of South Carolina
to John Nicholas Bell
to militia duty under Captain Thomas Robins of Colonel Winn's Regiment in the
Horse Service 49 Days at 20/ per day £49.0.0

I do hereby Certify that the above
account is Just and true

S/ Thomas Robins

Cpt.

Thomas Robins
Cpt.

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[No.] 1441 [Book] Y [No.] 117 13 Sept. 86 [1786]

John N. Bell for 56 days duty as a private Soldier under the command of Captain John McCool
in Colonel Winn's Regiment at 10/ per day

[South Carolina] Currency £28

Stg. £4.0.0

N. B. from date to date the number of days will be 30 ~~days~~ more, Amounting to £15: Currency or
Sterling £2 .2 .10 ¼

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South Carolina Dr.

John Nicles Bell

From 8th Feby till 4th of May
Year 1782

To 56 days done under Captain John McCool
at Orangeburg in Colonel Winn's Regiment at 10/ per day £28.00.0
Sterling £4.0.0

I do hereby Certify that the
above account is Just & true
S/ Jno. McColl, Capt.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jno. McColl", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is dark and somewhat faded, with a vertical line to its right.