

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Archibald McDonald SC48 AA23²
Audited Account Microfilm File No. 5008

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[p 2: As evidenced by the Indent posted below, a veteran by the name of Archibald McDonnell was granted an indent in the amount of 68 Pounds 8 Shillings and 10 Pence Sterling for service as a private in the South Carolina Continental line from 1779 to 1783.]

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

PURSUANT to an ACT of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY passed the 16th of March, 1790, &c. the COMMISSIONERS of the TREASURY, have this day delivered to

Archibald McDonald

this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE for the Sum of *Eighty eight pounds eight shillings and ten pence* Sterling for service as a private in the South Carolina Continental line from 1779 to 1783 inclusive of the sum of *two* shillings and six pence per annum interest on the said sum from the 1st of January 1783 to the 1st of January 1791.

the said *Archibald McDonald* his Executors, Administrators, or Assigns will be entitled to receive from this Office the Sum of *eighty eight pounds eight shillings and ten pence* Sterling on the demand of *one* year's Interest on the Principal Sum of *eighty eight pounds eight shillings and ten pence* Sterling and the like Interest Annually *from the 1st of January 1783*

The said *Archibald McDonald* his Executors, Administrators or Assigns, will be entitled also to receive, and shall be paid, if demanded, the principal Sum of *eighty eight pounds eight shillings and ten pence* Sterling on the 1st of January 1783 and the said *Archibald McDonald* his Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, may make any Purchases at any Public Sales of Confiscated Property, (except such as shall be ordered by the Legislature for special Purposes,) and this INDENT shall be received in Payment.

For the true performance of the several payments in manner abovementioned, the PUBLIC TREASURY is made liable, and the FAITH of the STATE pledged by the aforesaid ACT.

GIVEN under our Hands at the TREASURY-OFFICE, in CHARLESTON, the *fourth* Day of *April* one thousand seven hundred and eighty *seven*.

Robert B. Boyce Commissioners of the Treasury.

Wm. Mitchell Principal.

68-8-10 Annual Interest.

4-15-9

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 This file contains documents relating to a number of different veterans named Archibald McDonald. The page numbers relate to documents which I believe apply to one specific veteran so named.