

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Thomas Leach SC4820
Audited Account No. 4475

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Mr. Thomas Leach his Account of Militia Duty as Private on Horseback in 1780 say
22 Days at 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency] per day £22

Stg. [Sterling] £3.2.10 ¼

Ex^d. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

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

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State So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Thomas Leach
for 22 Days Militia Duty on Horse in 1780 per
Capt. Freeman's² Pay Bill at 20/

£22

Stg. £3.2.10 ¼

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State So. Carolina

Ninety Six District} Thomas Youngblood appeared before me one of the justices of the peace
for said District & made oath that he was one of the Drovers under Thomas Leach and was sent
by him to Drive Beaf Cattel [sic, Beef Cattle] from Myson Smith, John Fleek, Peter Dorst, & the
Widow Durn, & Drove the said Cattle to general Green's [Nathanael Greene's] Army, But Saith
on his oath that the Number of Cattel that was Drove from Each plase [place] he has forgot,
Sworn to before me the 17th of June 1783

S/ John Moon, JP

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² Could be either Joseph Freeman of the Fairfield Regiment or William Freeman of the Upper Ninety Six District regiment https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_captains.htm