

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to George Benison SC497
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__ performed
___ on horseback
___ Rosamond's
__y [Pay] Bill from Feby 19 [?]
to May – 83 [1783] inclusive
altog. [altogether] £352 For Militia
Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's]
Return the whole amtg [amounting]
to £421.6 Currency
or £60.2.10 ¼ Stg [Sterling]

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

[p 3 also very compromised image]
_____Duty as a private per
_____Saml Rosamond's [Samuel Rosamond's] Pay Bill Commencing
_____ [illegible]81 & Ending May 18th 1783 at 20/ £90
__ Days Do Do per Capt. Saml
Rosamond's Pay Bill commencing [illegible]
Feby 1779 & Ending May 12th 1780 at 20/ 60
To Militia Duty per Col. Anderson's Return
Vizt.
£30
And 322
Currency £421
Stg. £60.2.10

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.

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Gentlemen

Please deliver to John Ewing Colhoun [John Ewing Calhoun] my Indent for Militia duty done under Colonel McCall & Colonel Anderson – he having given me full Value for the same

S/ George Benison

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "George Benison". The signature is written in black ink on a white background. The letters are fluid and connected, with a prominent flourish at the end of the word "Benison". The signature is positioned to the right of the typed name "S/ George Benison".

Signed before me
this 6th August 1785
S/ Geo. Sheed