

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Bennet SC505 AA9
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 444B
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No. 174

Lib. [Book] U July 8th 1785

Mr. James Bennet his Account of Duty in the Militia as Private since the reduction of Chas.

Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £16.0.0

Stg. [Sterling] £2 .5 .8 ½

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

Received July 8, 1785 full satisfaction of the within in an Indent No. 174, Book U by an Order for John Owen

S/ Thos. Johnson

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State of South Carolina

Dr. to James Bennet

for Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return £16

Stg. £2 .5 .8 ½

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December 10, 1784

Pay to Mr. John Owen or order the Sum of Ten pounds Sterling or the whole amount of the Sum due to me for Militia Service done the publick of the State of South Carolina to be paid in an

Indent as per Account delivered into the Auditor General's Office.

The Commissioners of the Treasury

Charleston

S/ James Bennet, X his mark

[p 6: Form of the Indent No. 174, Book U dated July 8, 1785 issued to James Bennet.]

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