

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Samuel Nelson, Sr. SC5135
Audited Account No. 5476

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[Book] W [No.] 620

No. 57

27 August 85 [1785]

Mr. Samuel Nielson [sic] his Account of Militia Duty done as a private previous to the reduction of Charles-Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] & for Waggon Service & 3 Horses lost on Militia Account in 1779 & 1780 the Whole Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £916

Stg. [Sterling] £130.17.1 ½

Ex^d J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]
a horse included in the above for £100 old Currency not certified

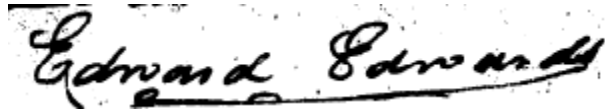
£105.17.1 ½

Passed

ED

Rec'd 14 May 1790 full satisfaction for this Account in an Indent No. 620 Book W by virtue of an Order Given by Mr. James Davis and he sent it to me to draw the Indent

Edward Edwards



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State So Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Samuel Nielson [sic]

for Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant] £ 13

Wagon Service in 1779 & 1780 at [???] 648

3 Horses Lost in 1779 & 1780 £80 255

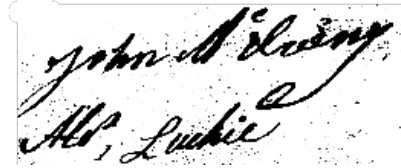
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Currency £916
Stg. £130.17.1 ½

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The Public of South Carolina to Samuel Nilson [sic] Dr.
to one horse appraised by John Mkelvine [sic] and Alexr. Luckie Sworn
appraisers at £75.0.0 Currency according to the value of said
horse then in the value of money Now
Sworn to this 16th day of July 1783
before me
William Luckie, JP

John McLveny [?]
Aldr Luckie [Alexander Lucky]



Ninety Six District}

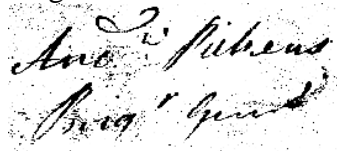
Personally came Samuel Nilson [sic] and made oath that the said horse died with him at
Betch Island [Beach Island?] under the Command of Genl. Pickens [Andrew Pickens] when he
was [undeciphered word]² in the year 1780 at that Place. Sworn this 19th day of July 1783
before me
William Luckie, JP

Samuel Nelson



I believe the above horse Died as set forth in the Deposition above

Andrew Pickens
Brigadier General



The Publick of So. Carolina to Samuel Nillson [sic] Dr.
to one Dun Horse
appraised to £100 Currency old Rate

Ninety Six District} Personally appeared William Dronan [sic] and Thos. Coil & made oath that
they knew the above Horse & have appraised him to 1 Hundred pounds Currency at old Rate
Sworn to before me this 19th of July 1783 William Drennan


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Patrick Calhoun, JP

Thomas Coil
Wm. Brennan
Tho. Coil

Samuel Nillson [sic] also made oath that the above Horse was Impressed into the Service in January 1779 & lost at Punensburg [Purrysburg] in March under the command of General Lincoln [Benjamin Lincoln] & that the above Horse was his own property & that he Never got said horse or any satisfaction for him.

Sworn to before me this 19th of July 1783

Patrick Calhoun, JP

Samuel Nelson

[p 13: Printed form of Indent No. 620 Book W in the amount of £105.17.1]

[p 14: Reverse of the above Indent]

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Gentlemen

You will please Let Capt. James Davis Have My principal indent of £105, which He has this Order to Shew that I have given this from under my hand that the above Capt. Davis is to receive it and Dispose of it as he thinks proper. Given under my hand this 26th day of April 1790

Samuel Nelson Senior



To John Edwards Esquire Public Treasurer