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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Massey SC5176
Audited Account No. 4824

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[No. 28 Book O]

Col. William Massey his Account of Pay as Muster Master General for the State of So. Carolina in 1779 & 1780 Balance Amounting to

Stg. [Sterling] £22.10/

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

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1782 10th January rec'd of Colonel Wm Massey out of the Military [text obliterated] the Sum of One Hundred & Eighty Dollars for three Months pay as Muster Master General of the State of South Carolina. The Continental pay was Sixty Dollars per month – & that allowed by the State was Five Pounds per Day – the deficiency is charged to the State.

[Illegible]

£450

202.10

£157.10/

The State of South Carolina to Col. Wm Massey
To the difference of Pay between 60 Dollars per month
the Continental Pay – & five pounds per Day as allowed
by the State; from the 16th of October 1779 to 16th
January 1780 being 3 months is

Dr.

Currency
£157.10

Stg. £22.10

Chs.ton District

Personally appeared Colo. Wm Massey and made Oath that the above Account is Just, as it stands stated, and no part thereof has been received

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Wm Massey



Sworn to before me
the 23rd March 1784 J. McCall, JP

Rec'd full Satisfaction for the above Account in an Indent No. 28 Book O for Mrs. Massey
John Edwards Junior



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I certify that the last payment made to Colo. Massey as Muster Master General appears by the Treasury books to have been on the 16th October 1779

Edward Blake

[p 5: Printed form of indent No. 28 Book O dated January 19, 1785]

[p 21: Note: I'm not sure document relates to the same man as above but I wanted to include it because it provides information concerning the location of troops under the command of General Andrew Williamson.]

State SO Carolina

Camden District } Personally appeared James Massey before me one of the justices appointed to
Keep the peace in the District aforesaid and Being Duly Sworn According to Law on Oath Saith
that at the time Genl. Andrew Williamson Lay Encamped on Savannah River Nigh to agusta
[Augusta Georgia] he Did see a quantity of Whiskey taken by Some officers and privates
belonging to Genl. Williamson[']s troops which said Whiskey he did know to be the property of
William Massey. Sworn to this 7th day of April 1784
before me

Andrew Foster, JP

James Massey

Foster's writing

