

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Bird SC524

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Audited Account Microfilm file No. 497

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[Book] X

12 May 86 [1786]

John Bird for Militia Duty in Brandon's [Thomas Brandon's] Regiment, Since the fall of Chs. ton [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Anderson's [Colonel Robert Anderson's] Return amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency

£160.0.0

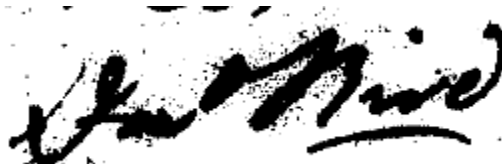
Sterling

£22.17.1 ½

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

Received 12 May 1786 full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 276—X

S/ Jno Bird



[p 4: Form of Indent No. 2761, Book X.]

[p 5: reverse of the Indent above]

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Mr. John Bird his Account of 210 days Militia Duty

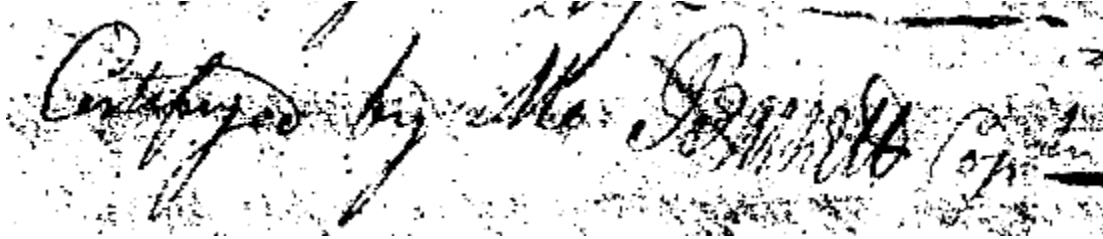
Amotg [Amounting] to £30 Stg [Sterling]

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

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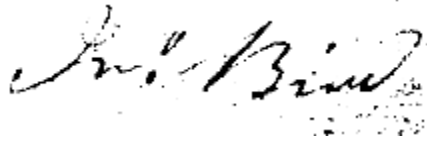
[p 7: partially legible certificate attesting to John Bird's service for 210 days at 20/ per day for a total due him of £210.

"Certified by Me J. Barnett [Jacob Barnett] Captn."

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Certified by Me J. Barnett Captn". The ink is dark and the background is slightly textured.

Gentlemen Please Deliver to Jacob Barnett or Order the Indent Due to us from the Public and you will greatly Oblige Gentlemen your Humble Servant

S/ Jno Bird

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jno Bird". The ink is dark and the background is slightly textured.

3 March 1785

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Received 3 September 1784 full Satisfaction for the within Account in Indent No. [Illegible] Book F for £30.0.0 Sterling in Virtue of an Order from the within named John Bird.

S/ JBarnett [Jacob Barnett]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "JBarnett". The ink is dark and the background is slightly textured.

[p 9: Form of Indent No. 146, Book F dated September 3, 1784 delivered to John Bird for 210 days duty and in the amount of £30 Sterling.]

[p 10: reverse of the Indent No. 146, Book F]

I Assigned over the within Indent to Jacob Barnett. Given under my hand this 13 April 1785 in presence of

S/ Jo. Barnett

S/ Jno. Bird