

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Thomas McCants SC5262  
Audited Account No. 4900

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[No. 1252 Book Y                      June 5, 86 [1786]

Thomas McCants his Account 114 days duty as private in the ponpon [Pon Pon] Company from the 12<sup>th</sup> of April 2<sup>1st</sup> September 1781 at 10/ [10 shillings old SC currency] per day; also for 186 days as Horseman in 1782 at 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency] per day

|                                       |                          |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Charged                               | Stg. [Sterling] £34.14.3 |
| deduct less on 2 <sup>nd</sup> charge | <u>26.11.4 ¾</u>         |
|                                       | Amount. Stg. £8.2.10 ¼   |

Ex<sup>d</sup> J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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Sir/

Please Deliver to Mr. Joseph Chandler Brown or order my Indents for Supplies, Duty under General Marion [Francis Marion], & in the Ponpon Company & you will oblige Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

Thos. McCants



Pon pon 16<sup>th</sup> August 1791  
1252 Y

Mr. William Hort  
done before me  
Peter Youngblood, JP

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The Public To Thomas McCants

Dr.

1781

September 1<sup>st</sup>

£8.2.10 ¼

1782 To 114 days Service Private in Borough Cmpy at 10/

£57

18<sup>th</sup> December To 186 days Service with Horse in sd Troop at 20/

186

£243

£34.14.3

Before me personally appeared Thomas McCants and made oath that the above account is Just & true

Sworn before me

15<sup>th</sup> August 1785

Peter Youngblood

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[No. 1339 Book Y

June 21, 1786]

Thomas McCants

Pass for £26.11.5

EL [Edward Lightwood]

for 186 days duty as a Private Horseman from 1<sup>st</sup> September 1781 to 8 December 1782

Alternately in Capt. P. Youngblood's [Peter Youngblood's] Company of Horse at 20/per day

[old South Carolina] Currency £186

Stg. £26.11.5

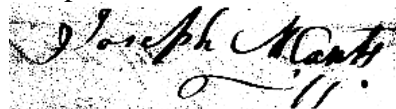
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Ex<sup>d</sup> J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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Received full Satisfaction for the within, in an Indent No. 1339 Book Y for my Brother Thomas McCants

Joseph McCants

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joseph McCants". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background. The name "Joseph" is written in a larger, more prominent hand, while "McCants" is written in a smaller, more compact hand. The signature is followed by a small flourish or mark.