

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Edward McCay [McCoy] SC5286 pp 11
Audited Account No. 4918

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No. 317

No. 36

Book P

Mr. Edward McCoy [sic] his Account of Militia Duty as Private, done alternately since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £116

Stg. [Sterling] £16.11.5

Ex^d. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

J. M^c. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Edward McCoy [sic]

For Duty in Ye Militia per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return [not extant]

2 Tours £86


30

Currency £116

Stg. £16.11.5

Received full Satisfaction for the within say above Account in Indent No. 317 Book P by an order

John Beker [sic, John Baker]



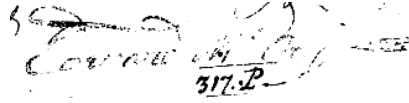
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Desire The favor of you to Deliver to my father The Receipt that he may send for my Indent and in so Doing you will oblige your most Humble Servant

Edward [illegibly faint]

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July the 20th 1784



I do hereby Authorize and impower, John Baker to draw & receive for my use the Indent or Indents with the Interest thereon, due to my Son Edward McCay, for his Services done to this State mostly on Horse Back (since the reduction of Charleston) in Capt. Joseph Pickes [Joseph Pickens],² Capt. Joseph Dawson's³ & Capt. Robert Caruthers⁴ Companies of Militia, Agreeable to Returns made by Col. Anderson into the Auditor's office for which I have given my said Son a valuable consideration as may appear by the Certificate hereunto annexed
Given under my hand this the 11th of May 1786 Daniel McCay, D his mark

Abbeville County
in Ninety Six District} SS I do hereby certify that the above Daniel McCay set his mark and acknowledged the above order in my presence, and also made oath that he has not given any prior order for the Same and that his said Son Edward has been gone to the Western Country two years or upwards & that he is Satisfied his said son for the Indent or indents due to him
Pat. Calhoun, JP

² Capt. Joseph Pickens served in the offer Ninety Six District Regiment.

https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_captains.htm

³ Capt. Joseph Dawson first served after the fall of Charleston in the Kershaw Regiment under Col. James Postell and in the Upper Ninety Six District Regiment under Col. Robert Anderson.

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⁴ Capt. Robert Caruthers served in the Upper 96 District regiment.

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