

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John McDow SC5441
Audited Account No. 5023

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No. 26 [Book] F [No.] 376

Mr. John McAdow [sic] his Acct. of Provisions & Forage for Continental & State Troops, and [undeciphered word] for Horses &c lost in Service, also for Wagon Hire & Militia Duty as private on foot the whole in 1779, 1780 & 1781 Amounting to £84.13.6 ½ Sterling
[illegible notations]

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

Amount brought over £87.13.6 1.2 Add a Musket lost 1781 and [illegible] Pork at 32/8 £2.16.11
Stg. [Sterling] £90.10.5 ½

Ex:d Wm Roach [William Roach]



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State of South Carolina to John McDow

Dr.

[claims for provisions not transcribed]

October 29 th 1781	To one Months Servitude at the publick station in the Waxhaws 30 Days at 10/		
	[10 Shillings old SC Currency per day]	£15	2.2.10 ¼
	to one Black horse [illegibly faint text]		
	Lost with General Sumpter [Thomas Sumter]		
	and Duly Appraised to	120 or £17.2.10 ¼	
....	[Other entries not transcribed]		£87.13.6 ½

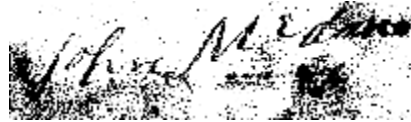
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Camden District Personally appeared John MacDow [sic] and made oath that the above account is Just and true and that he never Received for any part of the same. Sworn to this 7th day of February 1784 before me
Andrew Foster, JP

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Rec'd 14 December 1784 from the Commissioners of the Treasury an Indent No. 376 Book F for Ninety pounds 10/6 ½ in full satisfaction for this Account

John Mcdow

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Mcdow". The ink is dark and the background is light, with some speckling.

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Waxhaws 29th of October 1781

I Certify that John McDow has served a Militia Tour at the Continental Station at this place and is entitled to a Discharge for the same

J. Galbaith, D. Q. M. [Deputy Quarter Master]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. Galbaith". The signature is highly stylized with many loops and flourishes.