

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Jesse Bethea SC553 AA12

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[Book] X [No.] 1958

22nd March 1786

Mr. Jesse Bethea Account for 84 Days Militia Duty Amounting to £42 Curry [Old SC Currency]
Stg [Sterling] £6

Pass [illegible initials]

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The State of South Carolina

To Jesse Bethea

Dr.

To 84 Days Duty as a private of [illegibly faint]
from the 2nd March to the 19th May 1780 (adding }
5 Days for marching Home) as p. pay Bill
of Lt. Thomas Cochran Cert'd [certified] per Colo.
George Hicks at 10/

£42
Stg £6

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Rec'd 22nd March 1786 full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 1958, X, p. Order

S/ Thos. Cochran



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Gentlemen/ Please to Deliver my Indents to Mr. Thos. Cochran & you'll much Oblige your [too faint to discern] &c

S/ Jesse Bethea

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Jesse Bethea

Certified by me this 22nd Day
Of December 85 1785]

S/ Thos. Evans, JP

[Note: page 6 has a better image of Bethea's signature—on a letter relating to an account for provisions he provided for military use.

Jesse Bethea]