Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Paul Abney SC89 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 12A

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Mr. Paul Abney his Account of Duty as Private in the Militia before, and since the reduction of Charles Town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780]; also for making 5 pairs of shoes for Militia use in 1781, Amounting to

[South Carolina] Currency £420.10/ Sterling 60.1.5

Received 8th of August 85, full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 342, Book W

S/Paul Abney

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State South Carolina

Dr. to Paul Abney

4 Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return £41

For making 5 pair Shoes in 1781 not attested to Currency $\frac{5}{£420.10}$

Stg. 60.1.:

[p 4: very faint and only partially illegible document that appears to be a statement dated in 1781 that Paul Abney served in Colonel Samuel Hammond's Regiment of Light dragoons. The signature of the Officer giving the certification is illegible.]

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. The "SC" file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

[p 6: Form Indent dated August 8, 1785 issued to Paul Abney in the sum of 60 pounds 1 shilling and 5 Pence for Duty in the militia and for making 5 Pair Shoes for Militia use in 1781.]

[p 7: Several receipts signed by Paul Abney indicating his receipt of interest due on the Indent; also an assignment by Abney to John Cunningham of his rights and title in the Indent.

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