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South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Mathew Bryan SC947  
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State of South Carolina Camden District}

David Calhoon made Oath that he had lawfully purchased the Negroes, Moneys or other Payments due to Mathew Bryan [sic] and John Markly from this State for their Ten Months Service in the Brigade of State Troops commanded by Brigadier General Sumter [Thomas Sumter], and that he believes them never to have Sold the same to any other person or persons whatsoever

Sworn before me  
this 27<sup>th</sup> April 1784  
S/ Wm Murrell, JP

S/ David Calhoon



neither returned

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This is to Certify that Mathew Bryan was a Soldier in the ten months Service in the State of South Carolina and is entitled to a Negro according to the articles of enlistment February the 18<sup>th</sup> 1782

S/ James Giles, Capt.



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Mecklenburg County} Know all men by these presents that I Mathew Bryan of the province and County aforesaid has bargained and sold unto David Callhoon my Right and title of a Negro which I was to draw from the public of South Carolina for Serving a tower [tour] of duty of ten Months in that State agreeable to the articles of enlistment and I do hereby certify that I never have bargained or sold said Negro to any other person whatsoever and I Mathew Bryan have given granted bargained and sold my right to said Negro or any other thing drawed [sic] in place of a Negro whether Land or money or anything whatsoever. Given under my hand this 7 day of October 1783

S/ Mathew Bryan



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I do hereby Assign over the within to General Thomas Sumter & do authorize him the said Sumter to receive the content.

S/ David Calhoon



? Oct. 92

This Indent in the Name of Robert Cunningham has been paid to Mathew Bryan. Not received said Cunningham having been otherwise paid

S/ TS [?]



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Mathew Bryan  
in favor  
David Calhurn [sic]  
not returned