

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Benjamin Bowers SC721
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[Note: The images in this files are very poor and faint]

[p 2: appears to be cover sheet for a claim by Benjamin Bowers for £335.10 in old SC Currency or £47.18.6 $\frac{3}{4}$ in Sterling coinage]

[p 3: receipt of Indent No. 201 Book U by Lud Williams on behalf of Benjamin Bowers]

[p 4]

State of South Carolina

[illegible] District } Personally appeared before me John Sturzenegger one of the Justices for Said District Benjamin Bowers and made oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God Saith that he neither negotiated nor sold any part of his Account against the said State, neither the Interest arising from the same nor has he received [paper damaged and text missing] Indents for principal or Interest for [indecipherable word or words] due him from the said State for Services done. Sworn to before me this 7th September 1785

S/ John Sturzenegger

S/ Benjn Bowers



I do hereby Empower Mr. Lud Williams to draw on the Public Treasurer of the State of South Carolina for my Indent or Indents and to give the said Treasurer credit in my name if required as witness my hand this 7th September 1785

S/ John Sturzenegger, JP

S/ Benjn. Bowers

[p 5: Form of Indent No. 201 Book U dated July 8th, 1785 delivered to Mr. Benjamin Bowers for duty as a lieutenant per audited accounts.]

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AA) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

[p 7: on the reverse of the above Indent there is an endorsement as follows:

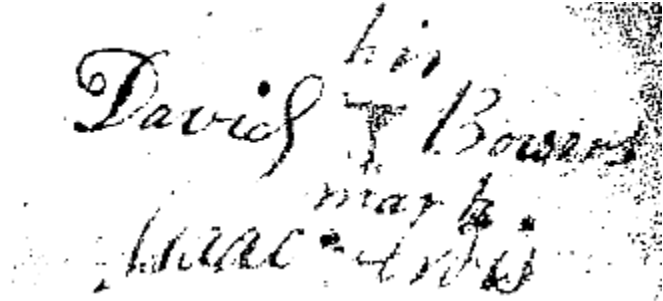
State of South Carolina Edgefield County} No ye whom it may concern that we the Executors of Benjamin Bowers have Assigned over this within Indent to Philemon Waters Esquire.

Given under our hands this the 13th of July 1787 witness

S/ Jacob [indecipherable surname]

S/ David Bowers, X his mark

S/ Isaac Ardis²



David Bowers
his mark
Isaac Ardis

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State of South Carolina Dr. to Benjamin Bowers

Jan^y 1782 to a Sorrel Mare for the 1st Regiment State Troops

Appraised to 10 ½ Guineas

£11.8.4

S/ Benjn Bowers

Sworn to before me

this 14th day of June 1783

S/ John Murray, JP

² [SC223 Isaac Ardis \(Ardist\)](#)