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Savannah Septem<sup>r</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> 1798

This day appeared before me one of the Justices of the Peace for the County of Chatham & State of Georgia. David Harper of Lawful age- (a Serjeant in the Army of the United States and being Duely Sworn Says, that Clem: Anderson, Lieutenant of Cap<sup>t</sup> Troop's Company of Malitia in This City, did some days past sign his name to an Inlistment for the Corps of Dragoons in the U States service & receive from him (The said Serjeant.) Two Dollars in part of his Bounty --

Sworn to be just and  
true before me this -  
17<sup>th</sup> September 1798

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David Harper    Lue

Peter S. Laffitte    J.P.

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Savannah  
17<sup>th</sup> Sep. 1798.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter of the 4<sup>th</sup> instant.

I returned to day from Wilkes, where I have been for the purpose of placing in the hands of the paymaster of the Militia - the pay for the following troops.

Capt. Fauche's from the 1<sup>st</sup> Novem<sup>r</sup> 1794 to the 29<sup>t</sup> February 1796.

Capt. Randolph's from the 1<sup>st</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> to the 31<sup>t</sup> December 1795.

And the balance due to Capt. Fauche for supplies of provisions & forage furnished by him for the troop under his command.

Colonel Pope, the paymaster, has also received from me pay for Capt. Jn<sup>o</sup> B. Giradeau's troop from the 29<sup>t</sup> April to 15<sup>t</sup>

Septem<sup>r</sup> 1796.

The Detachment under the command of Lieu<sup>t</sup> James Wooten from the 1<sup>st</sup> September to 31<sup>st</sup> Decem<sup>r</sup> 1795.

Lieut. John Collin's for the same period

Lieu<sup>t</sup> Jn<sup>o</sup> D. Vaughan's from the 1<sup>t</sup> October to 31<sup>st</sup> Decem<sup>r</sup> 1795.

Lieu<sup>t</sup> Jos. Chamber's from the 1<sup>t</sup> Novem<sup>r</sup> to 31<sup>t</sup> December 1795.

Lieu<sup>t</sup> John Reynolds, from 1<sup>st</sup> Septem<sup>r</sup> 1795 to the 8<sup>t</sup> May 1796.

Lieu<sup>t</sup> James Lamar, from 1<sup>st</sup> September to the 31<sup>st</sup> October 1795.

Lieut John Stonecypher from 1<sup>t</sup> September 1795 to the 27<sup>t</sup> December 1796.

Spies - in Franklin, from 1<sup>t</sup> September 1795 to the 24<sup>t</sup> April 1796.

Not any money has been received for the troop under the command of Capt. Way there are several in the same perdicament - You may, sir, remember to have seen in the accountant's office an estimate of Capt. Ways' troop. &c, which I transmitted in the autumn of

1794 for which no appropriations have been made - I have lately received from the paymaster several returns of rolls for services performed in the years 1793 & 1794 - I shall go to the northward in the first vessel, and it is my intention to submit them all to the Secretary of War. It would give me great pleasure if I could, by any means in my power, accelerate the settlement of these accounts.

The pay which has been received will be distributed to the militia as soon as the paymaster can prepare the receipt rolls.

I have the honor to be

Your Excellency's

Most obedient humble Servant

Cons.<sup>t</sup> Freeman

A. W. D.

His Excellency

The Governor of Georgia

(Reverse)

Communication from Constant Freeman

Agent for dep<sup>t</sup> of War.

17 Sept<sup>r</sup> 1798

Ordered to be filed

24 Sept<sup>r</sup> 1798

Military

His Excellency

The Governor of Georgia

Louisville

Constant Freeman

17 Sept 1798

Sept. 23-1798 404

State of Georgia Dr for Suplies furnished a detachment of Dragons under the Command of Lieutenant Charles C Jenkins ordered into Service by his Excellency James Jackson from the 20<sup>th</sup> September 1798 to the 23<sup>d</sup> September 1798 Both days included.

| Names of each grade | Names                      | Ranks             | Days | PayPr Day                       | Dollars | Cents |
|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|------|---------------------------------|---------|-------|
| 1                   | Charles C Jenkins          | Lieut             | 4    | \$1.00                          | 4       | 80    |
| 2                   | Andrew Berrihill           | Serg <sup>t</sup> | 4    | .70                             | 2       | 80    |
| 3                   | John Goodgame              | Serg <sup>t</sup> | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 4                   | William Bryant             | "                 | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 5                   | George Tarvin              |                   | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 6                   | Thomas Davis               |                   | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 7                   | Thomas Peebles             | Sergt             | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 8                   | Ja <sup>s</sup> M. Sterret |                   | 4    | .62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> | 2       | 49    |
| 9                   | Ephraim Peebles            | Pilot             | 4    | 1.00                            | 4       | "     |
|                     |                            |                   |      |                                 |         | 25.74 |

This is to Certify that the above Services has been performed and that the above Roll is a true Statement of the same

Charles C. Jenkins  
Lieutenant

Sept 24-1798 #5

A pay Roll for a detachment of Militia Dragons under the command of Major John Scott ordered into the service of the State of Georgia by his Excellency James Jackson from the 24<sup>th</sup> of Sept to the 29<sup>th</sup> of Sept 1798 both days included

| No. | Names                    | ranks    | time of Service | Pay per month | Amount of Pay |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1   | John Scott               | Major    | 6 days          | 50 dolls      | 10.00         |
| 1   | Patrick Connolly         | Captain  | "               | 40 "          | 8.00          |
| 1   | Charles Cavannah         | Lieut    |                 | 30            | 6.00          |
| 1   | William Brackett         | Lieut    |                 | 30            | 6.00          |
| 1   | Benjamin Green           | Lieut    |                 | 24            | 6.00          |
| 1   | Seth Fountain            | Ensign   | "               | 25 "          | 5.00          |
| 1   | William McDowell         | Sergeant |                 | 9             | 4.20          |
| 2   | Andree Berryhill         | Sergeant |                 | "             | 4.00          |
| 3   | John Goodgame            | Dragoons |                 | 6" 66Cts      | 3.73/5        |
| 4   | William Bryant           | Dragoons |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 5   | John Berryhill           | Dragoons |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 6   | Alexander Berryhill      | "        |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 7   | William Kennedy          | "        |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 8   | John A Cauttle (Candle)  | "        |                 |               | .62/5         |
| 9   | John Powell              | "        |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 10  | Joseph Chairs            | "        | 6 days          |               | 3.73/5        |
| 11  | John Cock                | "        |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 12  | William McCullers        | "        |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 13  | Gideon Ricks             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 14  | Harmond May              |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 15  | Benjamin May             |          |                 |               |               |
| 16  | David Girtman            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 17  | Hozekiah Goff            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 18  | William Murdock          |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 19  | William Clements         |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 20  | James Kennedy            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 21  | Andrew Randalsen         |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 22  | W <sup>m</sup> Randalson |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 23  | George Ingram            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 24  | Richard Street           |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 25  | Robert Little            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 26  | John Green               |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 27  | John Paulett             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 28  | Elisha Harrel            |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 29  | John Bostick             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 30  | John Fore                |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 31  | John Akridge             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 32  | John Cobbs               |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 33  | Chesley Bostick          |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 34  | John Whitney             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 35  | Patrick Carr             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 36  | Samuel Young             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 37  | Sam <sup>l</sup> Scocomb |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 38  | John Sippins             |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 39  | Tho <sup>s</sup> Russel  |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 40  | Ebenezer Fulson          |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 41  | Tho <sup>s</sup> Powell  |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |
| 42  | Benjamin Hughes          |          |                 |               | 3.73/5        |

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Paid Pilots

I do hereby Certify that the above is a true Statement of the  
Services done under my command from the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September to  
the 29<sup>th</sup> day of September 1798 both days inclusive

Jn<sup>o</sup> Scott Major

Louisville 28<sup>th</sup> Sept 1798

His Excy.<sup>s</sup> Ja.<sup>s</sup> Jackson

Agreeable to your Exelency's Order of the  
23<sup>rd</sup> I called into service Cap<sup>n</sup> Connely Lt<sup>ut</sup>enant Cavenah Cornet  
Green and thirteen Dragoons Also Lt<sup>ut</sup>enant Brackett Ensign fountain  
with twenty Eight Mounted Rifle Men We attended the Sheriff of  
Jefferson County on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Inst. Sep<sup>t</sup> to the neighbourhood of  
both and According to his Directions took a number of persons Suspected  
of horse - stealing Making Counterfeit Money &c Some of the Charges  
not being Supported those the Sheriff thought proper to Discharge the  
Others namely Neshack Matthews John Matthews Jonathan Matthews Tho<sup>s</sup>  
Baly W<sup>m</sup> Whittington Joseph Harp and Benjamin Purkins are now in  
Custody of the Sheriff We returned Thirsday Evening 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo

I am respect

Y<sup>r</sup> Excy.<sup>s</sup> Ob.<sup>t</sup> Serv.<sup>t</sup>

Jn<sup>o</sup> Scott

(Reverse)

His Excy. James Jackson

Report. Major Jn<sup>o</sup> Scott

28 Sept 1798

Order to be filed 29 Sept.

Military,

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Louisville 14<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1798

Sir

I was last evening honored with an Executive communication, exhibiting a charge against me as an officer of the Militia, for taking out of the possession of the keeper of the public arms in Augusta, or his representative, in May last, three Boxes of small, or indian trading guns, part of a Box of public paint & a few public pistols & swords.

Being unacquainted with any regular or established mode of rendering satisfaction to the Commander in Chief, in answer to such a charge, but through a Court of Enquiry; I shall deem it a favor, and do request as a right, that such Court be immediately ordered, before which I shall at all times be ready to meet the accusation.

I have the honor to be with due respect your Excellency's

Ob.<sup>t</sup> Serv.<sup>t</sup>

Robert Watkins

His Excellency James Jackson

(REVERSE)

L.<sup>t</sup> Col Robert Watkins

14 Octo<sup>r</sup> 1778

answered same day

Court Martial

His Excellency James Jackson

Louisville

His Excellency Governor James Jackson

Greensborough October 15<sup>th</sup> 1798

Sir!

In obedience to your Excellency's Orders of the 28<sup>th</sup> of February last past, I have the honor of inclosing herewith an Abstract Return of the Inspections I have taken since the 17<sup>th</sup> of march to the 30<sup>th</sup> of September 1798; together with a Return of the publick arms which were given me - I am preparing the Return of Officers with the dates of their comissions, but as it is a lengthy operation, I thought it would be agreeable to your Excellency to receive the enclosed in the interim - your Excellency will see in said next Returns the Strength of every individual company in the State which I have inspected.

The immense number of arms, Instrumentys, accoutrements, and other warlike implements and Badges which are wanting, as well as the almost thorough neglect of the tacticks and discipline prescribed by Law; in time of the most profound peace, would be a Subject of Serious concern, to any Citizen whose heart was imprest with the least degree of National affection - The remedy pointed out in Orders, by your Excellency, is rendered fruitless as the Officers are almost every where and in majority delinquents themselves, they are not disposed, nor do I believe authorised, to try and fine offenders for the same fault they may be impeached for, the next day; and thus Courts-martials are not held - The few muskets which I have Inspected are in the most wretched order, those of three Volunteer Companies excepted; (Captains Elon's in Savannah,

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Crossley in Augusta, Davis in Burke and Val Allan in Wilks) the Rifles are the only arms I found fit for service; and in lieu of being in the hands of separate Corps they are indiscriminately distributed through them and the companies of fusileers composing Battalions and Regiments; as if thereby to impede the performing even of the manual exercise - I have no where found an Instrument deserving the appellation (except as above and those attached to Capt. Shelman's Company of Volunteer artillery in Louisville) and as few musicians acquainted with the beats prescribed.

Under all those disadvantages, the militia in general, both Officers and men, have of late exhibited an incredible degree of anxiety, patience, and aptitude in the acquirements of marshalling information; the Field Officers of the Chatam Regiment being absent operated very much against the performances of that Regiment the day of my Review; but those of two Regiments and one Battalion (Lieut. Col<sup>o</sup> Watkins', Williamson's and Major Lipham's, particularly the last) in the evolutionary past, have surpassed any idea I had before formed, of the possibility of Troops performing movement, independant of any regard to the distances and the Cadence ordinarily kept and thought so indispensable in marchings: Captain Crossley's company of Light Infantry in Augusta and Captain Van Allen's company of Artillery in Washington distinguished themselves in that essential - It is much to be regretted that the Savannah, Augusta, Wrightsboro

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and Washington Counties of Artillery are without Field-pieces, as those Corps are composed of respectable Citizens, and are in their alacrity, zeal and martial appearance, a Subject of emulation for the rest of the militia - Two companies of fusileers in Burk (Capt. Shubart and Liester) appeared in an handsome uniform, of home-made manufacture; Should the militia follow the example, it will afford a marshal aspect.

The Troop of militia Dragoons are generally better uniformed and mounted than armed and trained; in those last essentials, Capt. Jones of Savannah, Frasier of Liberty, Dearmond of Richmond, Saunders of Columbia, Albercumbey of Hancock, M<sup>c</sup>Callister of Greene, Norris of Wilks, can be distinguished - few of the Volunteer Corps would be without arms, could they be procured for money, and even the majority of the Infantry would purchase theirs', could they be gott at costs and charge from the State; but it is in our Institutions and Laws that provision be made for giving us, as a people, a warlike countenance and character; for as long as no difference is made between the Citizen (paper torn) and alive in the defence of his Country, and the one who eludes every duty relatif thereto, no great effort can be expected from the mass.

No musters were held in the Counties of Camden, M<sup>c</sup>Intosh and Montgomery; those Counties not being thoroughly organised, no one Officer would assume the Command, and consequently no draft or Volunteer enrollments had taken place at the time of appointments for their Inspections - I have the honour of inclosing to your Excellency, Some documents relative thereto.

With regard to your Excellencys Order to me of the 20<sup>th</sup> of

march 1798, I have not been able to obtain from the respective officers the Order alludes to, the Number of Companies, in as much as there is a contention among officers on the subject - A part of them wishes the numbers to be fixed agreeably to the dates of commissions, and another insists on the mode which the Law has pointed out with regard to Division and Brigades; alleging that no Corps loses its rank on the account of the juniority of the officer commanding it - that the dates of commissions settles the rank of Officers on Courts-martials, on grand-parades where guards are distributed to each officer agreeably to their ranks and posted agreeably to the dates of commissions; those guards being formed of detachments proportionably furnished from the different corps of the army - For my part, I see a great inconvenient to the numbering companies agreeably to the dates of commissions as they now stand, and to said number's being inserted in the commission - after the first vacancy takes place; and suppose it to be N<sup>o</sup> 1; N<sup>o</sup> 1 must be continued to the Captain appointed to the command of that company, altho' he shall be the junior Officer, or every commissions must be issued anew - The Justices of the peace and the people at large will never know the number of the district they do act in or belong to, unless they keep pace with the fluctuating notation of appointments in the County; I shall wait for further orders from your Excellency, before I proceed to numbering Companies; With regard to the Number of Battalions, I have taken them from the Commissions (paper torn) I have followed the terms of the Law with regard to Regiments as the Lieut. Col<sup>o</sup> knew not their numbers; and your Excellency will receive them in the Returns heretofore alluded to.

Among the Drafted Detachments, those returned absent, are in many instances itinerant persons whom, on being drafted removed from the Captain's District in which they were drafted to an adjacent one, or even further into the Country - The Law being silent on the subject, the Captains are at a loss whether they can fill the vacancies by new drafts or else how otherwise to act in Such cases - In militia Inspections it is impossible to State in the casualties, the causes of absences, at the very time of the 1798 Military Muster, as the Captains can seldom account for themselves.

In conformity to your Excellency's Order to me of the 28<sup>th</sup> of May last past, I have laid before Lieut. Colonel Luckey and Major O'henery the enclosures it contained and requested a statement of their reasons for disagreeing in the execution of the duties prescribed in the late addition to the militia Law. Lieut. Col.<sup>o</sup> Luckey Said that he was led to leave Major O'henery's orders unnoticed, because they came to him in a peremptory language from an inferior and Staff officer, unauthorised by the General office who had the Command of the Brigade; and that he could not think the Law contemplated a subversion of the comms. routine made use of issuing Brigade Orders.

Major O'henery on the other hand, alledged that he could give no other construction to the Law; unless it implied that he should issue his orders to the Captains and subalterns, through the Adjutant; that this mode was not without its inconveniences; as his orders might interfere in point of time, with some others, from the Lieut. Colonels or Majors, <sup>that</sup> perhaps, Lieut. Colonels would find the last mode most exceptionable and wanting in regard - that the Law,

certainly laid the responsibility on Brigade-Inspectors, as to the execution of that duty, and it would seem unjust to make them responsible where they were to act in a secondary way and perhaps, be punished for the neglect of a superior Officer.

My humble opinion is that no Brigade Orders ought to issue but under the authority of Brigade Generals, or in their absence the officer next in command in the Brigade.

Officers Generally complain of the difficulty of procuring militia Laws and the System of discipline laid down by Baron Stewbend. -

With profound respect I have the honor to remain,

Most humble Servant,

Your Excellency

Jonas Fauche A. G.

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Military

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Navy Department

Trenton Nov<sup>r</sup> 3, 1798

Sir,

The Secretary of the Navy having gone to Maryland, to remove his family thence to Philadelphia, I am charged, in his absence, with the duties of this department. I have therefore to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th ult. to the Secretary of the Navy, stating your opinion of the number of gullies & gun-boats requisite for the protection of the coast of Georgia.

As the arrangement for the naval defence of your State has been fixed by the Navy department with the Presidents approbation, & both the President and the Secretary of the Navy are absent, but will be at Philadelphia in the Present month, I deem it impossible 'till then to deviate from that arrangement. But you may expect to learn the presidents' determination thro' this Department, in time to lay the same before the Legislature of Georgia, in January next.

I have the honor to be

with great respect

Your Excellency's

Most Ob.<sup>t</sup> Servant,

Timothy Pickering (Reverse)

His Excellency  
James Jackson Esq. Governor of the  
State of Georgia

Communication  
Timothy Pickering  
Navy Department,  
Trenton 3, Nov<sup>r</sup> 1778

Ordered to be filed  
28th Nov 1798

Military

Fort Wilkinson -  
November 15th 1798.

Sir,

Captain Taylor of the Dragoons informed me that in a conversation between him and Col. Gaither on the subject of the Citizens of Georgia, that the Col. made use of the following observation, "Damn the Georgians, he wished some of the Soldiers would paint themselves like Indians and kill some of them that he would not order it, but that if it was done he should wink at it" - or words to that effect - Captain Taylor farther says that if he had made the Col's observation to his men in the same way, that it would have been executed -

You shall hereafter be regularly informed of such daring insults against your government and its Citizens when they come within my knowledge - and consider yourself at liberty to make such use of them, as from the exercise of your judgment, will be most beneficial to the Public -

His Excellency  
The Governor  
of Georgia

I have the honor to be  
Your Mo. Obdt Serv.<sup>t</sup>

Hugh McCall,  
Ensign 3rd Regt. Infantry

(Reverse)

His Excellency  
James Jackson,  
Governor of  
Georgia -  
Post at Louisville

Ensign Hugh McCall  
Fort Wilkinson  
15 Novr 1798  
Ordered to be filed  
1 Decr 1798.

Cents 10. -

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Excellent Sir

We have hereinclosed a true Copy of a Return for  
Captain Philip Dells Copany in Screvin County-your Excellency will  
Examine the Same any Errors that may Be found we hope wil Excused  
on application from your

Obedient

16 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1798

Hum<sup>l</sup> Servents

Nath<sup>l</sup> Hudson J. P

Mar Martin J. P

His

Excellency

Ja<sup>s</sup> Jackson Esqr.

Georgia ( For Capt Philip Dells Company  
Screven County(

At an Election for first Lieutenant and Ensign to  
fill up the Vecansies of first Liut<sup>t</sup> and Ensign upon Casting up the  
votes for Lieut and Ensign in Capt<sup>t</sup> Dells County We find Hilliry  
Mills to have for Lieut-----25

Benj<sup>n</sup> Merrill for Ensign-----25

State Georgia( This wil Certify that on Saturday the tenth day of  
Screven County( November 1798 Hilliry Mills was Elected first Lieut  
in Capt<sup>t</sup> Dells Companie and Benjamin Merrill Ensign

Certified by us this 10 Day of

November 1798

Mar. Martin J P

Nath<sup>l</sup> Hudson J P

Clerk

(On Reverse)

Lewis Moutray

Return of a nomination from Scerven  
Where are the former Returns

Clerk

(Address) His Excellency Ja<sup>s</sup> Jackson Esqr  
Governor of the State of Georgia

|                         |    |
|-------------------------|----|
| Mailin Hall             | 1  |
| J templess              | 2  |
| Nelsin                  | 3  |
| G Daniel                | 4  |
| A Colson                | 5  |
| W <sup>m</sup> Shepherd | 6  |
| J Conner                | 7  |
| Ponder                  | 8  |
| M <sup>r</sup> Barton   | 9  |
| M <sup>r</sup> Graham   | 10 |
| G Williams              | 11 |
| J Conner                | 12 |
| Y Cason                 | 13 |
| M <sup>r</sup> Rawls    | 14 |
| Lauther                 | 15 |
| C. Dill                 | 16 |
| Anderson                | 17 |
| Blacboun                | 18 |
| T Wilon                 | 19 |
| L Bedford               | 20 |
| C Rawles                | 21 |
| S Smith                 | 22 |
| G Hais                  | 23 |
| J Mott                  | 24 |
| Lewis Moutray           | 25 |

Candidates for Election

|                           |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Hiliry Mills              | Lieut  |
| Benj <sup>n</sup> Merrill | Ensign |

(On Referse)

Names Voters

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Navy Department  
November 26<sup>th</sup> 1798

Sir,

The Letter with which you honoured me, of the 14<sup>th</sup> ultimo, was received by the Secretary of State, in my absence, and acknowledged by him the 3<sup>rd</sup> Instant - The Laws of Congress authorize the building of Ten Gallies, or other small vessels for the defence, it was understood, of the Harbours of the United States. Two Gallies were directed to be built in Georgia - and in September orders were given to have tow Gallies added to the number, and Capt. Campbell in the Revenue Cutter Eagle of 14 Guns, a well armed vessel, has been ordered to make the Coasts of Georgia the particular object of his protection.

This is the whole amount of Naval protection, which the present Laws authorize the President to assign, exclusively, to the Coasts of Georgia Indeed Georgia, and the Carolinas are the only States for which any kind of exclusive protection in the Naval Line, has been provided - and these States, but more particularly Georgia, from its expose situation, merit and will assuredly meet with least an equal share of the attention of our stronge vessels, every day increasing in Number - And I calculate with some degree of confidence, that until our unprincipled Enemy become much how powerful in the West Indies, than they are at present, (and this from the present posture of their affairs, is not likely yet to be the case) Georgia will have but little to apprehend from piratical Incursions.-

I lament that your letter did not reach me in time, to enable me to pay proper respect to the Gentleman recommended by you, to command of one of the Gallies - Prior to the receipt of it, steps had been taken, which put his appokntment out of my power.-

(on reverse)

Jackson Esqr. Governor of Ga.  
4/3/40

I have the honor to be with  
great respect Sir Yr. most  
ob. Serv. Ben Stoddert

His Excellency Governor James Jackson

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Greensborough December 13<sup>th</sup> 1798

Sir!

I have the honor of annexing herewith the 5 documents your Excellency was pleased to have enclosed to me, with the general Orders of the 27<sup>th</sup> of april last past; and on which I have had the honor to report in the month of June of the present year - Two Documents accompanying your Excellency's Orders to me of the 4<sup>th</sup> of aforesaid month, and on which I had the honor to report in date of the 15<sup>th</sup> October ultimo, together with three more, referred to, in my aforesaid report to your Excellency: certain proceedings of a Board of Officers at the 8<sup>th</sup> Regiment of militia; and the Returns alluded to in my aforesaid Report to your Excellency, are all herein annexed.

With regard to the application to your Excellency, from the Board of militia officers in Greene County; I have been Solicited by citizens of both districts, to intercede with your Excellency in their behalf, with regard to granting them three districts out of the two now extant; and in some other Counties, Several districts were dressing petitions to the same effect - From the Returns herein annexed, your Excellency will derive the necessary information and will be the best judge of the propriety of granting or denying any applicants; as it will be easily perceived which companies are so overgrown in number as to admit of a reorganisation.

Some officers being absent and some others having forgot to bring their commissions on the ground, the days of their respective minutes, I have not been able to take down the dates of all of them but I expect from this Inspection and the next to be taken to obtain completeat Records of them.

Major - General Clark and Brigadier - General Mariweather having been placed to take the review of their respective Commands; are of opinion with me that it would be extremely beneficial and a necessary improvement; that Muster - fields should be chosen and made fit for the particular purpose of exercising, training and manoeuvring Battalions and Regiments, as they now are in majority covered, either with buildings or timber, so as to prevent any kind of evolutions for such large bodies - The Generals also regretted that that part of the latest addition to the militia Law, providing for the pay of experienced Drummers and fifers, during the time of their making pupils in their profession, in the different Regiments; was not put in force.

I have been able to observe that a review of Inspection and a Review of parade in the same day, affords too much exertion for a Regiment of militia - The telling a Regiment first by companies for a review of Inspection, then by Platoons for a Review of parade and for the manoeuvres; are two tedious operations under which the officers and men betrays a degree of impatience and when gone through, hardly any time is left for action - I would beg leave to suggest that if your Excellency was pleased to order; that Brigade - Inspector Should Inspect by Battalions the several Brigades in which each of them do act; previous to my Review; and should have their Returns of Inspection ready to deliver to me on the days of said Reviews; the Reviews of parade and of Inspection would then be separated and distinct, and more consistent with the duties the militia Law distributes, to the Adjutant - General and the Brigade - Inspectors with regard to the 1<sup>st</sup> Division and more particularly its 1<sup>st</sup> Brigade, the two reviews can with propriety take place therein the same day; no County mustering there more than 200 men; and the

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difficulty of travelling in that country at all Seasons, would make it a hardship for the Brigade - Inspector to attend twice within a short period: and your Excellency will easily perceive the difference of time required in meeting 200 men or 1500: I beg your Excellency will please not to infer from the preceding Suggestion that I wish to get rid of Inspections; for neither the fatigue nor the time is complained of on my side, but rather on that of the militia in populous Counties; and if Regiments could be kept two days consecutively, I should be proud to go through both reviews, whether your Excellency is pleased to adopt this or the former mode I Shall be extremely thankful to be informed of it at an early period, as I may be able as soon as possible to proceed to the preparing blank-forms either for the Brigade - Inspector or my own Inspections; as the time most favorable for excursions in the Southern Counties is drawing near, and that I shall have to correspond with the respective Brigadier - Generals, with regard to appointing the time of Reviews so as to be agreeable to those officers.

Give me leave to assure your Excellency of the sentiments of profound respect with which I have the honor to remain,

Your Excellency's

Most humble and most obedient servant

<sup>t</sup>  
Jonas Fauche Adj. G.

(REVERSE)

His Excellency

Governor James Jackson

Louisville

Jonas Fauche

Greensboro 13 Dec<sup>r</sup> 1798

Ord<sup>r</sup> to be filed

7 Jan<sup>y</sup> 99

Military

Georgia )  
Washington County) an Election held on the twentyeth Day of  
december 1798 for a Captain in the place of Daniel M<sup>c</sup>Dowell  
Belonging to the first Battalion and first Regiment on Cast-  
ing up the votes we find that James Hlands was Elected

Given under our hands this  
20 day of december 1798

James Pollard J. P.  
John Jones J. P.

Candidates

James Hlands ) 20 votes  
Stephen Hooker ) 8 votes

Names of voters

Peter Wood 1  
Benj<sup>n</sup>. Gilbert 2  
Lennard Maddox 3  
Cha<sup>s</sup>. Johnston 4  
Henry Miller 5  
John Paull 6  
W<sup>m</sup>. M<sup>c</sup>Kinzie 7  
Joseph Davis 8  
Bartley Walker 9  
Ephrem Ledbetter 10  
Isaac Carter 11  
Richard Barfield 12  
Caleb Hinson 13  
Jesse Cooksey 14

Aaron M<sup>c</sup>Kinzie 15  
Harris Nicholson 16  
W<sup>m</sup>. Kimmey 17  
Moses Miles 18  
Robert ousley 19  
Isaiah Fuller 20  
Turner Wells 21  
Absolem Horn 22  
Elijah Wells 23  
Samuel Nunn 24  
W<sup>m</sup>. Lilley 25  
Wiley Groom 26  
George Vinson 27  
John Smith 28

(REVERSE)

Return of a nomination  
from Washington County  
from Officers removed, resigned or what?

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A true List of the voters in Captain Higdon's Company at the  
Common Muster ground on the 22 day of December 1798 for the  
purpose of Nominating a first Lieutenant in Sd Company occasion-  
ed by Removal of the former Lieutenant it appears that Needham  
Cock was fairly Elected

Candidates Needham Cock

Voters

|                 |   |                   |   |
|-----------------|---|-------------------|---|
| William Hart    | 1 | John overstreet   | 1 |
| William Chance  | 1 | Josiah Hargrove   | 1 |
| John Martain    | 1 | Hardy Hargrove    | 1 |
| Charles Higdon  | 1 | Aaron niblet      | 1 |
| Josiah Drew     | 1 | Randal Hargrov    | 1 |
| Burel Higdon    | 1 | William MacCall   | 1 |
| Mikagah Bradly  | 1 | James Saulter     | 1 |
| John Dirdino    | 1 |                   |   |
| William Eles    | 1 | To his Exelency   |   |
| Edward Irby     | 1 | James Jackson     |   |
| Robert Dickson  | 1 | Governor          |   |
| Bengman Saulter | 1 | John Briggs J. P. |   |
| Reubin Martain  | 1 |                   |   |
| Joseph Cimbrel  | 1 |                   |   |
| Robert Braswell | 1 |                   |   |
| geneper Hall    | 1 |                   |   |
| James Lues      | 1 |                   |   |

(REVERSE)

Return of a nomination  
from Washington County

only one J. P.

1798

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A Roll of the Richmond Light Horse Commanded

by Captain William Dearmond

W<sup>m</sup> Dearmond *Captain* 1x

Charles Carter 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant 1x

Geo. J. Hull 2<sup>nd</sup> Ditto 2x

W<sup>m</sup> Robertson Cornet

John Evans 1<sup>st</sup> Serjeant 1x

Benj<sup>n</sup> Knowlen 2<sup>nd</sup> Ditto 2x

David Allen 3<sup>rd</sup> Ditto 3x

Aaron Rhodes 4<sup>th</sup> Ditto 4

John Harris Trumpeter 1

Archibald Hatcher 1

Andrew Burney 2

Allen Wylley 3

Barnaba Payne 4

David Tinly 5

George Low 6x

George Morse 7

Hillary Bostick 8x

Hill Chatfield 9

John Bostick 10

John Burch 11

Joseph Burch 12x

Armsted Fulcher 13

John Garret 14

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|                 |     |                                     |     |
|-----------------|-----|-------------------------------------|-----|
| John Harding    | 15  | Robert M <sup>c</sup> Tyire         | 27  |
| James B. Oliver | 16  | Robert Wyche                        | 28  |
| John Rhodes     | 17x | Stephen Randoff                     | 29x |
| John Smith      | 18  | Thomas Herron                       | 30  |
| John Tumon      | 19  | Tho <sup>s</sup> Chadwick           | 31x |
| Joseph Wood     | 20  | Absalom Rhodes                      | 32  |
| John Bugg       | 21x | W <sup>m</sup> M. Cowles            | 33  |
| Lemuel Young    | 22  | W <sup>m</sup> M <sup>c</sup> Tyire | 34  |
| Littleton Wyche | 23x | John Milner                         | 35  |
| Nathan Beall    | 24  | Tho <sup>s</sup> Davies             | 36  |
| Robert Allen    | 25x | James Read                          | 40x |
| Robert Gilky    | 26  | John Savage                         |     |

(REVERSE)

A list of The Richmond Light Horse  
Accounts

1798-1802

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Pay Roll of the Fifth Company Liberty County Battalion Command-  
ed Alternately by Capt Isham Crews & Ensign James Smart;  
Doing guard Duty by Order of the Commander in Chief to  
prevent a spread of the small pox -

|   |                |          |
|---|----------------|----------|
| 1 | Isham Crews    | Capt     |
| 3 | John Smart     |          |
|   | Onesemur Futch | privates |
|   | Joseph Jorden  |          |

|   |                      |          |
|---|----------------------|----------|
| 1 | James Smart          | Eng      |
|   | Jessy Malphurs       | "        |
| 3 | W <sup>m</sup> Moody | privates |
|   | Jacob Harnage        |          |

|   |                       |          |
|---|-----------------------|----------|
| 1 | Thomas Dyess          | Sergt    |
|   | W <sup>m</sup> Wilder |          |
| 3 | Briton Knight         | Privates |
|   | Roger Crews           |          |

(REVERSE)

Henry Wood } Justice Inf<sup>t</sup> Ct  
J. Elliott } County Liberty

Pay Roll of 5<sup>th</sup> Compy  
Liberty County  
Battalion  
\$36.42

State of Georgia)  
Richmond County )

these are to certify that I am and  
have been Commissioned as Ensign to  
the fifth company of the Richmond County Regiment of Militia  
bearing date the 23rd day of April 1794 and that I have never  
sit on any court Martial for the trial of any Officer to this  
5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1799 given under my hand and seal the day  
and year above ritten

Isaac Wilcox

Test Jo<sup>s</sup> Stiles

(REVERSE)

Certificate  
of Ensign J. Wilcox  
Jan<sup>y</sup> 5, 1799  
Courts of Enquiry

State of Georgia)  
Richmond County ) these are to certify that I have been  
commissioned as Ensign to the fourth  
Company of the Richmond County Regiment of Militia from the  
28th day of August in the year 1795 and from the 16th day of  
January 1798 I have been in the commission as Lieutenant of  
the aforesaid Company unto this day and that I have never  
sit on any court Martial for the trial of any officer Given  
under my hand and seal this fifth day of January 1799

Holland M<sup>c</sup>Tye Lieut

Test  
Jo<sup>s</sup>. Stiles

(Reverse)  
Holl<sup>d</sup> M<sup>c</sup>Tyeiris  
Certificate  
1799  
Courts of Enquiry

At a meeting at M<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup>. Green's

Feb<sup>y</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 1799

Feb-26-1799

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Of a board of Sivil & Military Officers together with a Number of the Inhabitants of that part of Oglethorpe which was added to Greene County by the last legislature We the Inhabitants of s<sup>d</sup>. County beg leave to Submit to your Excellency<sup>s</sup> consideration our present situation. We find with satisfaction that we are added to the County of Greene & as they Commissions was Granted to Officers of Oglethorpe County we find them null & void Therefore we humbly Request - that you will order a new Batalion laid out to be commanded by a Major Commandant in that part of Oglethorpe County which was Added to Greene containing three Cap<sup>t</sup><sup>s</sup> Destricts First Destrict commanded by Cap<sup>t</sup>. Daniel Roberts Begining at Armours pond on Little River Runing up s<sup>d</sup>. River unto the mouth of Priers Branch. thence up s<sup>d</sup>. branch till the head from thence untill the head of Walton Wheatley<sup>s</sup> spring Branch Down s<sup>d</sup>. branch til the south fork of Little River thence between William Greene<sup>s</sup> & Howel Tatum<sup>s</sup> & thence between Major Bedell<sup>s</sup> & David Sherrill<sup>s</sup> to Bostick<sup>s</sup> Mill on Sherill<sup>s</sup> Creek thence Down s<sup>d</sup>. Creek to the Wilkes County Line thence along s<sup>d</sup>. Line to the begining --

Second Destrict - Cap<sup>t</sup>. Thos. Wagnon<sup>s</sup>, Begining at the Mouth of Sherril<sup>s</sup> Creek Runing from thence along Wilkes County line to; Cartwright<sup>s</sup> Mill on Ogechee River up Greene County Old Line to where Hogg<sup>s</sup> Road crossess Augusta Road - thence down s<sup>d</sup>. Augusta road to Jn<sup>o</sup> Priers thence to - Walton Wheatley<sup>s</sup> on Cap<sup>t</sup>. Roberts Destrict line to the begining --

Third Destrict Cap<sup>t</sup> W<sup>m</sup>. Stewart Begining at the Place where the Augusta Road & Hoggs Road Crosses thence along Cap<sup>t</sup>. Wagnon<sup>s</sup> Destrict line to Cap<sup>t</sup>. Roberts Destrict line thence on s<sup>d</sup>.

line to the North Fork of Little River at Oglethorpe County  
 Line up s<sup>d</sup> line unto Greene County old Line thence to the  
 Begin We further beg Leave to Request your Excellency to for-  
 ward by the bearer to us an order to the County Surveyor of  
 Oglethorpe to run the line between s<sup>d</sup> County & of the County  
 of Greene in conformity to an Act passed the Last Legislature--  
 your Excellency's compliances will much oblige your humb<sup>l</sup> serv<sup>t</sup>

- A. B. Bedell J.P.  
 Michael Whatley J.P.  
 Jesse Gray J.P.  
 W<sup>m</sup> Melton L<sup>t</sup> Col<sup>l</sup>  
 Thomas Wagnon Cap<sup>t</sup>  
 Joshua Martin  
 Shelton Standefer  
 W<sup>m</sup> Greene  
 E. Hunter  
 H. Tatum  
 J. S. Clay  
 Levi Gatlin  
 Jeremiah Walton

(On Reverse)

Greene Coty. app<sup>n</sup> for a batter<sup>n</sup> issue an order for tomorrow  
 His Excellency  
 James Jackson  
 Louisville

Georgia )

Jefferson County)

Personally appeared before me Jesse Thomas  
who being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he was a Sargent  
under the Command of Capt Armstrong at San Savilla, and that  
he heard that there were some rafts of lumber coming down the  
river and he believes that Capt. Armstrong purchased the said  
lumber for the use of, & for the purpose of building the Garri-  
son at Doctors Town

Jesse Thomas

Sworn to before me this

29<sup>th</sup> March 1799

Horatio Marbury J. P.

April 12 - 1799

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Georgia  
Jefferson County,

} appeared before me Gilbert Booth and made  
oath that he was under the Command of Capt  
Armstrong, and that while at a place called the doctors Town on  
the Alatomaha a considerable quantity of Lumber was purshed by  
Captain Armstrong for the safety of the Garrison and Conviences  
of the Soldiers

Sworn to before me  
this 12 Apl. 1799  
Hor Marbury J-P

Gilbert Boothe

Muster Roll of a Detachment of Militia Infantry & Spies under Command Lieutenant William Lawrence Garrisoned at Fort Irwin: into the Service of the United States by order of His Excellency Governor Jared Irwin, commencing the 4th of May till 23rd of July 1799 & Inclusive:--

| No of Side | Names                 | Rank    | Remarks                                |
|------------|-----------------------|---------|----------------------------------------|
| 1          | William Lawrence      | Lieut   |                                        |
| 1          | Hugh Rone             | Sergt   |                                        |
| 1          | Ezele Cloud           | Corpl   |                                        |
| "          | Washington Montgomery | "       |                                        |
| 1          | Larking Prestridge    | "       |                                        |
| 2          | Joseph Dunagin        | Spye    | Sick Absent<br>made spy 17th July 1796 |
| "          | Bundley Vaughn        | "       |                                        |
| 1          | Ezele Cloud           | "       | On Command                             |
| 2          | James Ellison         | "       | On Command                             |
| 3          | Robert Rice           | Private |                                        |
| 4          | Jacob Summerland      | "       |                                        |
| 5          | Benjamin Posey        | "       |                                        |
| 6          | Humphrey Posey        | "       |                                        |
| "          | Joshua Dunagin        | "       |                                        |
| 7          | James Woodall         | "       |                                        |
| 8          | Elisha Williams       | "       |                                        |
| 9          | Nathaniel Moore       | "       |                                        |
| 10         | Jonathan Cleark       | "       | On Command                             |
| 11         | John Pennington       | "       |                                        |
| "          | William Vaughn        | "       | On Command                             |
| 12         | Benjamin Phips        | "       |                                        |
|            | Andrew Dunagin        | "       |                                        |

I hereby certify that the above Rolle is a true State of the Detachment of Militia Infantry and Spies under command of Lieutenant William Lawrence as mustered by me at Fort Irwin this 23d July 1796

Jonas Fauchee ALG

The first of these is the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, which has been the most influential of the medical journals in the United States since its founding in 1901. It is a weekly publication, and its circulation is over 400,000. It is the only medical journal in the United States that is published by a non-profit organization. The *Journal of the American Medical Association* is the most influential of the medical journals in the United States since its founding in 1901. It is a weekly publication, and its circulation is over 400,000. It is the only medical journal in the United States that is published by a non-profit organization.

# Casualties

| Casualties                   |  |            |          |          |       |          | Remarks |
|------------------------------|--|------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|---------|
|                              |  | Lieutenant | Serjeant | Corporal | Spyes | Privates | Total   |
| Present for Duty             |  | 1          | "        | 1        | "     | 10       | 12      |
| On Command                   |  | "          | "        | "        | 2     | 2        | 4       |
| <u>Sick absent</u>           |  | "          | 1        | "        | "     | "        | 1       |
| Aggregate of this Detachment |  | 1          | 1        | 1        | 2     | 12       | 17      |

I hereby certify that the above recapitulation contains the true State of the Detachment of Militia Infantry and Spyes under my command at Fort Irwin, and that the Spyes were respectively administered the necessary oath on their entering Service - Fort Irwin July 23d. 1796

Mr Lawrence Lut Ct

State of Georgia  
 Muster Rolle of a  
 Detachment of militia  
 Infantry and Spyes,  
 under command of Lieut.  
 Lawrence at Fort Irwin

July 23<sup>d</sup> 1796.

# Triplicate

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May 14<sup>th</sup> 1799

Dr Sir

Since I saw you I have concluded that in present situation of our Country it will be very necessary to send out some spy's. I will thank you to mention this to his Excellency and use your influence in favour of it

I am

Dr Sir

your H<sup>l</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup>

Sam<sup>l</sup> Alexander

(No. 23)

(On Reverse)

Col<sup>o</sup> Elholm

at Jn<sup>o</sup> Bush's Esq<sup>r</sup>

(No. 23)

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Augusta 18<sup>th</sup> May 1798

His Excellency  
Governor Telfair

Sir;

I received your General order of yesterday requiring me to deliver to Gen<sup>l</sup> Jackson Two hundred stad of arms & a proportionable quantity of amunition, I would beg leave to inform your Excellency that I have neither the one nor the other in my hands - Your Excellency was pleased to mention to me that a quantity was coming forward to be placed under my charge, but as yet I have not received advice of their arival nor any communication from the Secretary at War on the subject - I shall inform Major Habersham of your Excellencys directions -

I am respectfully  
Your humble Serv<sup>t</sup>

Rob: Forsyth

Reverse:-

Letter

Robert Forsyth

18th May 1793

Ordered to be filed

20th instant.

Arms & Ammunition

His Excellency  
Governor Telfair

July 27<sup>th</sup> 1799

Sir

The enclosed is the sentence of the Court Marshal Which  
I send you for your consideration

Edward Blackshear

His Excellency

James Jackson Governor

REVERSE

His Excellency

James Jackson

Louisville

Proceedings C<sup>o</sup> martial

Washington County

Sentence Court Martial

trial of Lieut. Jn<sup>o</sup> Hogan

Washington County G. O. 28 Aug<sup>st</sup> 1799

At a Court Marshall held at the Courthouse in Washington County on the twenty Seventh day of July one thousand Seven hundred and ninety nine.

By Order of Col<sup>o</sup> John Rutherford the following officers were ordered to compose the Court

Cap<sup>t</sup> Edward Blackshear Presedent

Cap<sup>t</sup> Burrode Jordon

Cap<sup>t</sup> Presly Suerlock

Lieu<sup>ts</sup> { Solomon Page

{ Edward Kelley

{ William Bettis

Ensigns

{ James Hall

Mr William M<sup>c</sup>Murray Recorder

Whereupon Maj<sup>r</sup> Alexander Irwin came into Court and Supported a Charge against Lieutenant John Hagan in the following manner towit.

On the eighth day of September last post being appointed for the Election of Lieutenant Colonel in the place of Col<sup>o</sup> John Watts resigned that the said Hogan abused him the said Irwin by Calling him a Damed Lyar and other menanceing Language which the said Hogan on trial did not deny.

The Court having taken the above Trial into Consideration, agree and say that the said John Hogan be Cashered, &c.

Edwd Blackshear President

W<sup>m</sup> M<sup>c</sup> Murray J. A.

1799  
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Dear Sir

Be pleased to send by Cap.<sup>t</sup> Randolph Davis Langston's  
Grant also, John D.<sup>o</sup> which was ret.<sup>d</sup> &c sometime since nothing  
New here returns of Elections I suppose is the Topic of Con-  
versation in Louisville as Else where conseqtly you have  
or will hear your Old Acquaintance was left out of the rep-  
resentation in Columbia (I mean Col.<sup>o</sup> Sanders) this is a fact,  
how much to be Lamented time will prove Compliments to  
M<sup>rs</sup> Marbury &c

Respectfully Farewell

Th. Napier

12<sup>th</sup> Oct.<sup>r</sup> 99

(Reverse)

Haretia Marberry Esq.<sup>r</sup>

Louisville Sec<sup>y</sup> Office

Cap.<sup>t</sup> Randolph

Th<sup>o</sup> Napier

Oct.<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 99

Lincoln County October 12<sup>th</sup> 1799

Sir

The bearer hereof M<sup>r</sup> John Seale is desirous of raising a Troop of horse in my Batallion, he has my consent for so doing & I do recommend him as a fit & proper person for commanding the same. Given under my hand this day above written

John H Walton Colo

(Reverse)

Colo John H Walton

Lincoln Co<sup>ty</sup> 17 Octor 77

Written to by T. J. Sec E.D.

18 Oct 77

Volunteer Company

His Excellency James Jackson Esq.

Governor &c of Georgia

Louisville

|                           |                        |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Jn <sup>o</sup> Seale     | Tho <sup>s</sup> Wells |
| Tho <sup>s</sup> Graham   | Cudbert Steel          |
| David Glaze               | Jacob Ammons           |
| Charles Duke              | Edw Bond               |
| Alex. <sup>t</sup> Seale  | Mark Bond              |
| Ezekiel Wilbourn          | Aaron Tullis           |
| Presley Barton            | John Tullis            |
| Tho <sup>s</sup> Duke     | Devenport Tayler       |
| Julian Nail               | W <sup>m</sup> Nolan   |
| Rich <sup>d</sup> Seale   | James Hardy            |
| Jn <sup>o</sup> Stewart   | Booker Sutton          |
| Benj <sup>n</sup> Gresham |                        |
| Spencer Sudduth           |                        |
| John Clack                |                        |
| Zephariah Coody           |                        |
| W <sup>m</sup> Mays       |                        |
| Jno Coody                 |                        |
| Tho <sup>s</sup> Clack    |                        |
| Robert Seale              |                        |
| Ralph Stovall             |                        |
| Samuel Arrington          |                        |
| Drury Stovall             |                        |
| W <sup>m</sup> Matthews   |                        |
| Jesse Matthews            |                        |
| Daniel Wooldridge         |                        |
| Jn <sup>o</sup> Adcock    |                        |
| David Malcom              |                        |
| Tho <sup>s</sup> Glaze    |                        |
| Burwell Dunnaphon         |                        |

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D<sup>r</sup>

C<sup>r</sup>

State of Georgia in account with Capt<sup>n</sup> Jesse Embree and others

1799

Sept 12<sup>th</sup> To Capt. Embree for Seven days Service  
by order of his Excellency The Governor \$16.10  
including provision and forage \$ 2.30

|                                                                   |                |          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
| " George Spann a private for                                      | D <sup>o</sup> |          |
| including provision & forage--                                    |                | --7      |
| " James Ford D <sup>o</sup> for D <sup>o</sup> ----               |                |          |
| including - - -D <sup>o</sup> - - - D <sup>o</sup> ----           |                | - - - -7 |
| " John Ford - - - D <sup>o</sup> -for D <sup>o</sup> - --         |                |          |
| including - - -D <sup>o</sup> - - - D <sup>o</sup> - --           |                | - - - -7 |
| " W <sup>m</sup> Ford -- D <sup>o</sup> --for D <sup>o</sup> ---- |                |          |
| including D <sup>o</sup> - - - -D <sup>o</sup> ----               |                | - - - -7 |
| " Jones Biven - - D <sup>o</sup> - -for D <sup>o</sup> ----       |                |          |
| including - - D <sup>o</sup> -for D <sup>o</sup> ----             |                | - - - -7 |
| " Demsey Wood - - D <sup>o</sup> For D <sup>o</sup> ----          |                |          |
| including - - D <sup>o</sup> for D <sup>o</sup> ----              |                | - - - -7 |
| " Richard Thompson- D <sup>o</sup> for -D <sup>o</sup> ----       |                |          |
| including - - -D <sup>o</sup> - - - D <sup>o</sup> ----           |                | - - - -7 |
|                                                                   |                | \$ 65.10 |

I do certify that the above scout was ordered out on the frontier of Montgomery County pursuant to an executive order from his Excellency the Governor and duly performed as above Stated in the capacity of horsemen and well equipt as such----

(On Reverse)  
Pay roll of Captn Jesse Embree for a detachment of men in Montgomery County Acted on 13<sup>th</sup> November 1799

Tho<sup>s</sup> Davis Maj<sup>r</sup>

Dear Sir

I sent down last fall by Peter Vanallen Esq<sup>r</sup>. a pay and muster Roll of a Small detachment under my Command in the year 1796 for the small appropriation made by the Legislature he informed me that in consequence of the men not being mustered by some muster master that the money could not be paid I always had orders to muster my own men when I went out of Service which I always did and have drawn my Pay from the United States for all my services done for three years if this is not sufficient I will be thankfull to you to advise me how to proceed and if it is, will be thankfull to you to send me the money by John H. Foster Esq<sup>r</sup>.

D<sup>r</sup>. Sir

Yours Respectfully

John Reynolds Lt. Comd

Ocr 29<sup>th</sup>. 1799

(on reverse)

James Jackson Gov and  
Commander of Georgia  
Louisville

Hon<sup>d</sup>. by

J.H. Foster Esq<sup>r</sup>

State of Georgia }  
Montgomery County }

Pearsonally appeared Allen Johnson before me  
and being Duly Sworn Sayeth that at a pretended an Election held on  
the Nineth of Debr. that he Saw James Ford put up to publich view  
Advertisement after it was Said that Said Ford was Elected at the  
Usual Muster Ground Seting forth that the Election was to be held  
that Day Given Under the hand of Henry Gaster Major and Said De-  
ponent Serving at the house where the Muster are held never Saw  
Said Advertisement before further the Deponent Sayth not

Allen Johnson

Sworn to before me  
this 22nd of Debr.  
Jesse Embree J.P.

(On reverse)

Allen Johnstons

Oath respecting  
advertisement No. 6

State of Georgia

Jackson County Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> 1800

Sir

Within you will see the Valuation of the Fort Berrian, which I built in Obedeance to an Executive Order, and understand that their have been an appropriation made for those who Built Blockhouses on this Frontier, if so, will thank you to send me the Money by the bearer M<sup>r</sup> Robert Dunkin, and you will Very Much Oblige

Sir Your Obed<sup>t</sup> Servant

John Shields L<sup>t</sup>

(Reverse)

To

His Excellency

James Jackson

P<sup>r</sup> Fav<sup>r</sup>

M<sup>r</sup> R<sup>t</sup> Dunkin }

Affidavit

1800

Kirkpatrick

Leiut Shields valuation

of a fortcation fort Berrien

Pay roll of the first Company of the Bulloch County Battalion of Militia Ordered out by his Excellency the Governor to Prevent the Spreading of the Small Pox.

| No. | Names                     | Rank              | Commencement of Service or time of Enrolement |
|-----|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 1   | Jonas Driggors            | Serg <sup>t</sup> | July 14 <sup>th</sup>                         |
| 2   | Elisha Winslow            | Serg <sup>t</sup> | " 28 <sup>th</sup>                            |
| 3   | Will <sup>m</sup> Mikell  | Serg <sup>t</sup> | August 11 <sup>th</sup>                       |
| 1   | John Driggers             | Private           | July 14 <sup>th</sup>                         |
| 2   | Will <sup>m</sup> Hope    | "                 | July 14 <sup>th</sup>                         |
| 3   | Jacob Neville             | "                 | " 21                                          |
| 4   | Will <sup>m</sup> Mizell  | Private           | July 21                                       |
| 5   | Alex <sup>r</sup> Mikell  | Private           | July 2 <sup>d</sup>                           |
| 6   | Robt <sup>t</sup> McCall  | Private           | July 2 <sup>d</sup>                           |
| 7   | W <sup>m</sup> Mizell     | "                 | August 4                                      |
| 8   | Abr <sup>m</sup> Lee      | Private           | " "                                           |
| 9   | George McCall             | Private           | " "                                           |
| 10  | Griffin Mizell            | Private           | August 11                                     |
| 11  | Dan <sup>l</sup> Crawford | Private           | August "                                      |

(reversed)

| Expiration of Service or Date of Discharge | Time of Service Mo. | Pay Day Days | Amount of Pay \$ & ¢ | Remarks |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------|
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------|

|           |   |    |  |                            |
|-----------|---|----|--|----------------------------|
| July 21   | " | 8  |  |                            |
| August 4  | " | 8  |  |                            |
| " 18      | " | 8  |  |                            |
| July 21   | " | 8  |  |                            |
| July 21   | " | 8  |  |                            |
| July 28   | " | 8  |  |                            |
| July 28   | " | 8  |  |                            |
| July "    | " | 8  |  |                            |
| August 4  | " | 8  |  | Paid                       |
| " "       | " | 8  |  |                            |
| August 18 | " | 16 |  | Done duty for Nathl & Jos  |
| August 11 | " | 8  |  | Hodges 2 tours             |
| August 18 | " | 8  |  |                            |
| August 25 | " | 8  |  |                            |
| August 25 | " | 8  |  | Done duty for Benjm Hodges |

Mustered by James Bird Cap<sup>t</sup>  
 Certified by Stephen Denmark Major

March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1801 W<sup>m</sup> M. Kennedy C I C B C

Pay Roll for  
 Cap<sup>t</sup> Birds Company  
 1800

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Cohuttah Springs  
Murray County Ga CIRCA  
15<sup>th</sup> March 1800? 1832

To His Excellency

G. R. Gilmer

Dear Sir

Some time since I made application to Col Lindsey to receive a mounted Company for the Cherokee since, he objected upon the grounds that he could not receive Troups asined in the Cherokee Nation, but stated at the same time that he would be glad to receive me at a proper time if my Company could be raised from the old settlement, I made a requisition upon a friend of mine who resides in the County of Franklin to indeaver to raise me a Company for this service that the Co.<sup>l</sup> would receive them, but before he could have time to decide whether my desires could be accomplished, I received a Communication from Col Lindsay dated 12<sup>th</sup> inst informing me that he had requested of your Excellency to select all the Companies from Georgia which is to decrease these numbers to Eleven and add that he has (tonn) them raised out of the Cherokee Nation and that I had better raise the Comp<sup>y</sup> & report myself to your Excellency. I have no doubt before this reaches you that many applicants will be before you. Among that number I present myself from my Knowledge of the County. I flatter myself that I will be able to do equal service to any that may present themselves before you. I have resided five years in the County which has made me well acquainted with all the County within the boundries of the C. Nation be so kind as to address me upon the subject & direct your Communication to Franklin County Ga. where I shall be on the 29<sup>th</sup> inst

Very Respectfully your ob<sup>t</sup> Servant

James Edmondson

P.S. For Refference I enclose your Col. Shaws letter  
(Reverse)

Cohuttah  
Springs Geo.

March 6

Free James Edmondson Post Master

His Excellency

George R Gilmer

Milledgeville

Georgia

Letter

Cherokee

Affairs

Cap<sup>t</sup> Edmunson

Proceedings of a Court of Enquiry, held at the house of 450  
M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander Carter, in the Town of Waynesborough, on Tuesday  
the 29th April 1800 - pursuant to General-Orders of the 16<sup>th</sup>,  
Instant.- For the purpose of investigating into the conduct of  
Major William Wynne, charg,d with Disobedience of Orders.

Viz. For not furnishing and keeping a guard over the  
Jail in Waynesborough, in conformity to Orders of the 11<sup>th</sup> Instant,  
from Lieut. Col<sup>o</sup> John Davis for that purpose to him directed.-  
Members of The Court.

Lieut. Col<sup>o</sup> Thomas Jones. (Burke.) President.

Major Mills Murphree. - D<sup>o</sup>

Major Thomas Davis. (Montgomery)

The Court being duly conven,d & sworn, as also the Recorder,  
Capt. Samuel Bird. Major Wynne appear,d and gave his attendance,  
to whom the charge was read - He denied the same -

Lieut. Col<sup>o</sup> John Davis was then sworn as an Evidence, who laid  
before the Court in writing, the request of Thomas Peythress,  
Sheriff of Burke County, to him directed, calling on him to furnish  
a Sergeant, and six Privates, as a Guard, for the safe keeping of  
Anthony Disto confin,d at the time in the Jail of this place, of  
which the following is a Copy.-

D<sup>r</sup>. Sir)

"Having receiv,d Extract of the "Governor,s communication  
to the S.G. of"

"the middle District, wherein he mentions"

"to have a Guard for the safe keeping of"

"Anthony Disto now confin,d in Burke-Jail"

"for Murder, should I deem it necessary."

"I therefore call on you to furnish six Men"

"and Sergeant in order for that purpose."

I am Sir, your ob<sup>t</sup>. Servant-

11<sup>th</sup> April 1800.

Thomas Peythress. S.B.C.