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PREFACE

The existing records in the Virginia State Archives related to the goods and services impressed in Elizabeth City County (now the city of Hampton) during the latter part of the Revolutionary War have been transcribed to make them more readily available to researchers. Since almost no records normally kept at the county court house are known to have survived for the years 1771 through 1783, these claim records are an important insight to the activities in the county during the Revolution. The public service claim records are in four categories: (1) the certificates or receipts given when the goods or services were impressed (few of these have survived), (2) the lists of claimants for each county (none have survived for Elizabeth City County), (3) the Court Booklet of claims certified by a special county court, and (4) the Commissioner's Books, or record of claim payments.

Most of these claims were made for provisions or services impressed in 1780 and 1781 during the British campaign to subdue the southern colonies, which finally ended with the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown in October, 1781. Prior to this campaign, and after the forces under Dunmore (the last Royal Governor of Virginia) left the Chesapeake Bay area in August of 1776, Tidewater Virginia was little molested by the British. Although men from Elizabeth City County fought in the Continental Army and particularly on the patriot naval and privateer ships, farms in the county produced crops, and in spite of the British efforts to blockade the coast, Hampton was a major center of trade with Europe and the West Indies.

The war returned to Virginia in May, 1779, when a British force occupied Portsmouth for sixteen days and captured or destroyed numerous ships as well as large quantities of supplies, ordnance, and tobacco stored in the area. In 1779 Georgia was the first southern state to be reconquered, and the conflict rapidly spread northward. Virginia contributed heavily in both men and supplies to the defense of the states south of her borders. When Charleston, South Carolina, fell on 12 May 1780, most of the Virginia Continental Army and its supplies were captured, and several units of the Virginia militia were routed as the British, under Cornwallis, pressed inland and northward.

Threatened by invasion, Virginia was almost defenseless and financially unable to buy supplies for her militia or to rebuild her component of the Continental Army. After the fall of Charleston, the Virginia General Assembly passed an act providing for the first widespread impressment "of provisions and other necessaries for the use of the army." (Military commanders had been given very limited authority to impress goods and services

as early as May, 1777.) Governor Thomas Jefferson was empowered to appoint a commissioner in each county to search for, to impress, and to store "surplus" supplies. The commissioners could also impress wagons, etc., to transport the supplies to storage centers. This activity was primarily limited to storable foods and distilled "spirits," to the surplus not needed by a family until the following December, and to one-half of a merchant's stock on hand.¹

In October, 1780, a small British force again occupied Portsmouth for several weeks and raided the nearby coastal areas. The authority to impress provisions expired during this critical time, but was reinstated retroactively by the General Assembly in November. This time, a state commissioner was authorized with a deputy in each county. Also, "hay, fodder and other forage," up to one-sixth of the quantity in possession of any person, was added to the list of applicable items.²

Early in January of 1781 a larger force under Benedict Arnold reoccupied Portsmouth and raided inland as far as Richmond. On the ninth of January a detachment of this force routed the Virginia militia being assembled at Charles City Court House. Some of the militia units were from Elizabeth City County. The French fleet forced Arnold to leave Virginia in February, but an even larger British force returned in April. Cornwallis, commanding the British southern campaign, entered Virginia in May, and the combined forces ravaged Virginia as far west as Charlottesville. Because of the large-scale capture and destruction of supplies by the British, and because of the pressing needs of the local militia units, Governor Jefferson found it increasingly difficult to supply the forces being assembled under Lafayette to oppose Cornwallis. Hence, the May, 1781 session of the General Assembly gave the Governor wider latitude in the types of property that could be impressed and specifically included "boats or other vessels and their crews."³

General Thomas Nelson, Jr., succeeded Jefferson as governor in June of 1781, and he vigorously raised provisions for the armed forces without much concern for the limitations set by the Assembly. On 31 August 1781, he ordered Commodore James Barron, in command of the Virginia naval forces, to commandeer all available craft and to collect provisions at Trebells Landing near Carters Grove preparatory to the arrival of the Northern Army under General Washington. Soon afterwards, Timothy Pickering, Commissary-General of the Continental Army, established his headquarters at Trebells Landing, and this became the principal supply depot for the siege of Yorktown.

¹Henings, *Statues at Large*, Vol. 10, p. 233.

²Ibid., p. 344.

³Ibid., p. 413.

During the months before Cornwallis was "bottled up" in Yorktown, the militia and volunteers of Elizabeth City County who were not fighting under Lafayette were called out several times to oppose marauding parties from the British ships in Hampton Roads. On one of these occasions about forty British soldiers under Captain Brown landed at Newport News Point and foraged until opposed by a company of volunteers under Captain Edward Mallory, replacing his brother, Francis, who had been captured by the British a few weeks earlier. Brown was wounded and captured, but because he was well treated before he later died, the British released Francis Mallory. However, shortly after his release, Mallory was killed near Big Bethel on 8 March 1781, when about forty men under him and William Roscoe Wilson Curle engaged about two hundred British soldiers under Colonel Dundas, who were sent to destroy the post at the Halfway House. During the siege of Yorktown, Elizabeth City County evidently became a beehive of activity. A number of troops were stationed in the county, and the courthouse was taken over and used as a hospital.

In November of 1781, after the surrender of the British forces at Yorktown, the Virginia General Assembly passed an act declaring all impressments, with few exceptions, to be illegal.¹ At the same session the county courts were directed to receive and certify all claims resulting from impressments and to submit "a fair transcript of their proceedings in the business aforesaid to be laid before the succeeding assembly."²

With only a faint hope of future payment, the farmers and merchants of Elizabeth City County were undoubtedly severely strained to supply provisions for their local militia and the Virginia forces, and later for the French-American army at Yorktown. Although it is evident from the list of claims that many of the county residents were able to supply rather large quantities of provisions, some could only furnish a calf for beef or a few bushels of corn and a piece of "bacon" (any cured pork). The seventy-two bushels of potatoes and five bushels of peas (probably dried) furnished by George Wythe were probably a welcome change to the soldiers' diet of beef and cornbread (and rum) as indicated by many of the claims.

Although they were not all submitted at the same time, all of the certified claim lists had been given consecutive page numbers. Cary Selden, the clerk who wrote most of the claim lists, used a legible but very small handwriting and was therefore able to get a considerable number of items on each page. The marks X, √, and √/, as well as the notations "paid" and "pd." that appear with many of the items were made with other pens after the clerk wrote the lists. The marks do not appear to be related to the rather large number of arithmetical errors. The X and √ marks in the Commissioner's Book were also made by a different pen.

¹Henings, p. 496.

²Ibid., p. 468.

An effort was made to transcribe these records just as they were written except for minor changes made to aid the typist. Where symbols were used for words or abbreviations such as "per," "etc.," and "lbs.," the word or abbreviation is typed. When an indication was given that a word was abbreviated or contracted, the appropriate present-day period or apostrophe is used. For example, Eliza is typed Eliza. and Com:rs is typed Com'rs. Underlined letters or words are doubtful because they were hard to decipher, and underlined question marks indicate words, etc., that could not be read.

Hampton, Virginia
April, 1976

John L. Patterson

CERTIFICATES

The following certificates or receipts were given when goods or services were impressed in Elizabeth City County. They were written on small slips of paper and only a few have survived. Notations and/or computations were added to most of them in a handwriting different from that of the originator.

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

(No. 1)

1-2

I do hereby certify that William Brown Agent for the Collection of Cattle out of Eliza. City County took two Beeves from Mr. John Armistead for the Use of the Country and that he left no rec't for their weights which were adjudged to four hundred pounds and that I assisted as a driver of the said Cattle at the time of their being received

Teste	400 Beef £5	Tho's Allert
		1781 April 25th

Westwood Armistead

Nto.

*The above Weight of Beef
exclusive of the fifth Quarter*

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

(No. 2)

1-1

This will Certify that John Armistead furnished One Beef to Cole Diggs for the use of the publick, weight as adjudged 275 lb. exclusive of the fifth Quarter.

	275 lbs. Beef a 3d	<i>Westwood Armistead Comm'r</i>
add 1/5	<u>55</u>	<i>Jan'y 12th 1781</i>
	330 — £4-2-6 No. 2	
	<u>5-0-0</u> No. 1	
	9-2-6	

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

3

I hereby Certify that I have rec'd for publick Use of Mr. John Gillett one beef computed to Weight three Hundred and fifty pounds includeing the fifth q'r for which paym't at the rate of twenty four shillings per pound shall be made according to assurance Contain'd in the resolution of Assembly of Nov'r 15th 1780 Given Under my hand this 5th Jan'y 1781

Jas. Hill

350 lbs beef £4-7-6

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

Sirs --

Please to Issue to Miles King a Warrant for the Beef allow'd me last Year by Act Assembly etc.

To
The Auditer of
Publick Accompts

Am Sir Your Hum Ser't
Wilson Cary

1450 a 2½ per lb.

2900

Rec'd a Warrant for the above

725

Miles King

3625

302-1

15-2-1

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

No. 4

4-2

I hereby certify that I have rec'd for publick use three Beefs of Miles King computed to weigh Eight hundred and seventy five including the fifth Quarter for which payment at the rate of twenty four Shillings pr. pound shall be made According to the Assurance contain'd in the resolution of Assembly of Nov'r 15th 1780 Given under my Hand this 12 Jan'r 1781

875 lbs. Beef

Cole Digges for Jas. Hill Cmr.

a 3d £10-18-9

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

5

This is to sartify that Alexander Kirk drove Cettel two day by order of Coll. samp mathes to the randeveus giving under my hand this 18 day October 1781

Rob't Thompson Lu't

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

No. 3

6

I hereby Certify that I have rec'd for publick Use One beef of Tho's Latimore Computed to weigh four hundred and fifty including the fifth Quarter for which paym't at the rate of twenty four Shillings pr. pound shall be made According to the Assurance contain'd in the resolution of Assembly of Nov'r 15th 1780 Given Under my hand this 12th Jan'y 1781

450 lbs. beef

a 3d £5-12-6

Cole Digges for Jas. Hill

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

These are to Certify that Mr. Edward Mallory, delivered Mr. James Bray Armistead, One Beef adjudg'd to weigh Two Hundred and fifty pounds for publick use

250 lbs. beef a 3d £3-2-6

Given under my hand this

20th February 1781

Wm. A. Bayley Comsrs.

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

No. 2

I hereby certify that I have rec'd for publick use three Beefs of Eliz. Mingham computed to weigh Nine hundred and fifty pounds including the fifth Quarter for which paym't at the rate of twenty four Shillings pr. pound shall be made According to the Assurance contain'd in the resolution of Assembly of November 15th 1780 Given Under my hand this 11th Jan'y 1781

950 lbs. Beef

Cole Digges for James Hill

950 wt. at 3d - - - £11-17-6

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

No. 2

I hereby certify rec'd for publick Use of Mr. William Moody Jun'r five beefs Computed to Weigh 1375 includeing the fifth Quarter for Which paym't at the rate of twenty four Shillings per lb. Shall made Accord'g to the Assurance Contain'd in the resolution of Assembly of Nov'r 15th 1780 Given Under my hand this 7th Jan'y 1781

1375 lbs. beef 3d £17-3-9

James Hill

1375 lbs. Beef The sume is £1650

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

These are to Certify that Mr. Edward Rudd, delivered Mr. William Dunn, two Beeves weighing Six Hundred and fifty pounds including the fifth quarter

650 wt. beef a 3d £8-2-6

Given under my Hand
this 7th Febru'y 1781

Wm. A. Bayley Comsrs.

LISTS OF CERTIFIED CLAIMS

Public Service Claims
Court Booklet for Elizabeth City County

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At a Court for Adjusting Claims for Property impressed or taken for Public Service held for Elizabeth City County the 1st Day of May in the sixth Year of the Common Wealth Anno Dom. 1782. Before the Justices of the Peace for the said County.

The following Accounts of the Claimants were Ascertained by the Court, and Order'd that the Clerk Certifie the same to the General Assembly for Allowance, to wit,

Moss Armistead's ag'st the Common Wealth

1780

July 26 To 8 hhds. West India Rum deliver'd the Commissioners
per Certificate - 1020 Gall. a 10/ £510 paid

1781

Feb'ry 1 To 367 Gallons West India Rum impressed by General
Nelson at the half Way Houses between York and
Hampton per Certificate a 10/ pd. 183:10

March 24 To 31 Gallo. West India Rum impressed by Maj'r
Callis for his Troop Horse per Certificate a 10/ pd. 16:10

To 2 bushels Corn for Capt. Dudley's Troop as per
Receipt Omitted 24 Jan'ry last a 2/ -: 4

£710: 4

James Barron's Do.

1780

July 26 X To 2 hhds. West India Rum 223 Gallo. a 10/ deliver'd
Miles King per Receipt £111:10: -

The Estate of William Roscow Wilson Curle dec'd Do.

1780

Dec'r 5th ✓ To 1082 lbs. Beef per Moss Armistead's
Certificate a 3d £13:10: 6

✓ To 40 bushels Wheat } per Do. a 5/ 10: - -
✓ 15 Do. Irish Potatoes } 4/ 3: - -

✓ To 5 Barrils Corn for Hampton Garrison November
last - per Charles Jenings Rec't Q. M. 12/6 3: 2: 6

✓ 200 ? Straw a 2/6 5: -

✓ To 2½ bush. Corn a 2/6 - 1¼ Gallo. Brandy a 8/
per Rec't 16: 3

✓ To 28 lbs. fresh Pork a 3d - 60 bundles fodder a 2/ 9: -

1781

Jan'yry 20	✓ To 2¼ bush. Corn a 2/6 — 9 lbs. Pork a 3d per Rec't	7:10½
Feb'yry 6	To 5 barrels Corn a 12/6 per Rec't	3: 2: 6
26	✓ To 4½ Do. — — Do. — — Do.	2:16: 3
March 2d	✓ To 6 barrils and ½ bushel Corn Do. a 12/6	3:16: 3
	✓ 12½ bush. Oats Do. a 1/6	18: 9
April 7	✓ To 5 barrils Corn Do. a 12/6	3: 2: 6
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		£45: 7: 4½
Aug'st 4	✓ To a Horse taken for Continental Service Capt. Ewell Com. for America Prisoners by Certificate from Daniel Smith — and Valued by William Nickolson and Daniel Prentis, and Ascertained by the Court to	11: — —
		<hr/>
		£56: 7: 4½

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William Armistead's Do.

1780		
Nov'r 9	X To 510 lbs. beef — by Moss Armisteads Certi'cate a 3d	£6: 7: 6
20	X To 1500 bundles fodder per Do. 3/	2: 5: —
	X To 1 load Wood	5: —
1781		
Jan'yry 28	X To forage for 5 horses and 4 Dinners for 4 Officers and House Room for 60 Men one Night per Receipt	2: — —
	X To 9 bush. Indian Meal per Do. a 2/6	1: 2: 6
	X To 34 Gallo. Oats a 2½ and 220 bundles fodder a 3/ per Rec't	13: 8
	X To Rations for 11 Men for 2 days / 22 Rations a 2/ per Do.	2: 4: —
Feb'yry 3	X To 223 lbs. Beef per Rec't a 3d	2:15: 9
	X To Rations for 11 Men for 1 Day per Rec't a 2/	1: 2: —
	X To 60 Gallons Oats 2½d and 260 bundles fodder 3/ per Do.	1: — 3
15	X To forage for one horse 7 Days 7/. Rations for one Man 7 Days a 2/ per Do.	1: 1: —
	X To 20 bush. Oats a 1/6 — — — — — £1:10	} per Do.
	X 800 ? Oat Straw a 2/6 — 1: —	
	X 1 hhd. Cyder — — — — — 1:17: 6	
26	X To Necessarys furnished a Sick Soldier and his Orderly Servant for 14 Days per Do.	2:16: —
March 9	X To 2 Gall. Rum, furnished Maj'r Campbell per Do. a 10/	1: — —
	X To 2 Cart load Wood per Do. 5/	10: —
24	X To 1950 bundles fodder a 3/ per Do.	2:18: 6
	X To 40 Rations for Troop per Do. a 2/	4: — —
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		£36: 8: 4

Roe Cowper's Do.

1780			
Nov'r 2d	X To 80 lbs. Beef per an Order from Edw'd Mallory Lieut.		1: --
no Cert.	X To an Impressed Boat to carry the Recruits to Richmond Valued by the Court to		12:15: --
			£13:15: --

Nathan Yancy's Do.

1780			
Sept'r 11	✓ To 842 lbs. Beef per Receipt from Rob't Christian D. Comm'ry a 3d		10:10: 6
Dec'r 5	✓ To 432 lbs. Ditto per Cert. from Moss Armistead Comm'r a 3d		5: 8: --
1781			
Jan'ry	✓ To 6175 lbs. Ditto per Cert. from Cole Diggs and J. Hill a 3d		77: 3: 9
	✓ To 950 lbs. Ditto per Do. for Elisa. Mingham a 3d		11:17: 6
	✓ To 1 Horse impressed by Richard Cary and William Cary and Valued in Specie to		25: -- --
			£129:19: 9

Edward Allen's Do.

1780			
Dec'r 5	X To 3 thousand Bundles fodder to furnish the Troop as per Certificate a 30/ Shelden Moss's Do.		£4:10: --
1780			
Octo'r 22	X To a Load of Straw deliver'd Arm'd Bayley Comis'r as per Certificate		1: -- --
1781			
Jan'ry 31	To 164 lbs. Beef as per Do a 3d		2: 1: --
			£3: 1

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The Estate of Bazzel Smith dec'd

1780			£ s d
Aug'st 12	✓ To 216½ Gallons West India Rum taken by the Commissioners for the Use of the Army and Navy as per Certificate a 10/		108: 5: --

Joseph Cooper's Do.

1780
 Dec'r 5 X To 215 lbs. Beef as per Cert. from Moss Armistead
 Com'r a 3d pd. £2:13: 9
 X To 1 load Wood Do. 5: -

1781
 Feb'ry 7 To 175 lbs. Beef as per Cert. from Rob't Christian a 3d pd. 2: 3: 9
 £5: 2: 6

✓ **John Parson's Do.**

1781
 Nov'r 1 ✓30 Bushels Corn a 2/6 3:15 } per Rec't from Wm.
 ✓500 bundles fodder a 3/ 15 } Baucuto Forrage Mast'r 4:10: -

Jacob Wrays' Do.

1781
 Jan'ry 17 X To 273 lbs. Beef per Certificate from J. Bray
 Armistead issuing Commissary a 3d pd. 3: 8: 3

George Booker's Do.

1780
 Aug'st ✓To 30 lbs. Bacon as per Certificate from Comiss'r a 10d 1: 5: -
 March 5 ✓To 252 lbs. Beef as per Ditto a 3d 3: 3: -
 ✓To 2 Days Hire Cart and Team for the Use of Colo.
 Southalls Troop as per Certificate 1: 4: -
 £5:12: -

✓ **William Armistead Guardian of**

James Wallace Orphan of Robert Wallace dec'd

1778
 Octo'r 16 X To Rent of a large brick House etc. in Hampton taken
 by Doct'r Walter McClurg, and Used as an Hospital
 from the 16 Octo'r 1778 to the 16 October 1781.
 Three Years at £20 per Ann. £60: - -

X The Estate of **William Westwood dec'd**

1780
 Aug'st 12 X To 223 Gallons West India Rum taken from Capt. Pascow
 Herbert by the Commissioners for the Use of Army and
 Navy as per Certificate with an Assignment from said
 Herbert to said Westwood in his lifetime. a 10/ £111:10: -

Do. - - - - - Do.

1781

Oct'r 20th pd.	To furnishing 50 Bushels Indian Corn to Colo. Armands Legion of Continental Cavalry as per Cert. from Wm. Banicutt forage Master	6: 5: - <hr/> £28: 1:10½
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John Jones's Do.

1781

Sept'r 26 and Octo'r paid	To 645 lbs. Beef deliver'd to Robert Christian Commissary which was made Oath to in Court by the said John Jones - - - - all'd a 3d	8: 1: 3
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Robert Smelts Do.

1780

Nov.'r	✓ To 25 Barrils Corn taken by Moss Armistead Commissioner for the Use of Capt. Southalls Troop of Horse as per Certificate a 12/6	15:12: 6
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Thomas Baylis's Do.

1781

To 216 lbs. Beef - per Receipt a 3d	£2:14: -
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X Thomas Baker Armistead's Do.

1781

X To 189 lbs. Beef at 3d as per Receipt	2: 7: 3
X To 574 lbs. Do. at 3 as per Co.	<hr/> 7: 3: 6
	£9: 4: 9

The Estate of Moseley Armistead dec'd

1780

Nov'r 11	✓ To 1450 Bundles fodder - Colo. Southall per Rec't a 3/	2: 3: 6
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1781

Jan'ry 26	✓ To 30 Rations for 30 Men Capt. Dudley's Troop a 2/	3: - -
	✓ To 5½ Bushels Corn a 2/6	13: 9
29	✓ To 12 Rations for 12 Men Maj'r Callis Troop a 2/	1: 4: -
Oct'r 12	✓ To 212 lbs. Beef per Comissioners Rec't a 3d	2:13: -
22	✓ To 244 lbs. Ditto per Ditto 3d	3: 1: -
	✓ To 2 Beeves taken by William Brown and drove to the Half Way House Averidged a 300 lbs. each by John Fields - 600 lbs a 3d	<hr/> 7:10: -
		£20: 5: 3

James Wallace Bayley's Do.

1780

Aug'st 22	✓ To 70 lbs. Veal	}	160½ lbs. — this deliver'd to Robert Christian Commissary at Hampton for the Use of the Sick a 5d	£3: 6:10½
25	✓ 16 lamb			
26	✓ 22½ Do.			
28	✓ 36 Do.			
31	✓ 16 Do.			

1781

Feb'ry 1	✓ To 257 lbs. Beef per Wm. Brown's Receipt a 3d	<u>3: 4: 3</u>
		£6:11: 1½

Hannah Bayley's Do.

1780

Aug'st 18	✓ To 110 lbs. Veal	}	179 lbs. deliver'd to Robert Christian Commissary at Hampton for Use of the Sick as per Receipt a 5d	£3:14: 7
31	✓ To 69 ditto			

1781

Feb'ry 3	✓ To 187 lbs. Beef per James Bray Armisteads Rec't a 3d	<u>2: 6: 9</u>
		£6: 1: 4

Samuel Watt's Do.

1781

Jan'ry 31	X To 280 lbs. Beef per Armistead Bayleys Rec't a 3d	£3:10: —
Feb'ry 20	X To 450 lbs. Beef per Bray Armisteads Ditto a 3d	5:12: 6
March 20	X To 23 lbs. Bacon per John Mansfields Rec't	<u>19: 1</u>
		£9:11: 7

X John Jones's Do.

1781

March	X To 5 Barrils Corn per Maj'r Callices Rec't a 12/6	£3: 2: 6
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William Randal's Do.

1781

March 15th paid	To 12½ lbs. Bacon a 10d--10/5 2 Bush. Corn a 2/6— — 5	}	per Younghusbands Rec't	15: 5

Joseph Needhams Do.

1780

Nov'r 28 X To 260 lbs. Beef a 3d per Gibsons Receipt £3: 5: -
 Dec'r 13 X To 230 lbs. Do.---per Do. 2:17: 6

1781

Feb'ry 7 X To 425 lbs. Do. per Rob't Christians Do. 5: 6: 3
 X To 60 lbs. Do. per Nathan Yancy's Do. 15: -
 £12: 3: 9

✓ The Rev'd William Selden's Do.

1781

Feb'ry 7 To 630 lbs. Beef a 3d del'd Rob't Christian Assistant Commissary as per Rec't 7:17: 9

The Estate of John McLachlin dec'd

1781

May ✓ To 1 Grey Horse impressed by Richard and Wm. Cary by Order Gen'l Nelson for the Use of the Malitia and Valued by Moss Armistead and Joseph Smelt per Certificate to 20: - -
 Octo'r 15 ✓ To going express to Camp before York Town per Rec't 1:10: -
 18 ✓ To Carrying Wine up to York for Governor Nelson with a Cart 2 horses and Boy detained two Days 3:12: -
 £25: 2: -

X Moss Armistead's Do.

1781

March 8 X To 1 Gun a New fowling Piece lent Rich'd Jenkins for his Town Duty and lost the Day Colo. Mallory engaged the British at Tompkins Ordinary per Certificate from the said Jenkins Captain £5: - -

George Latimer's Do.

1780

Dec'r 5 ✓ To 620 lbs. Beef a 3d per Moss Armisteads Rec't 7:15: -
 ✓ To 30 lbs. Mutton a 5d -- per Do. 12: 6

1781

Feb'ry 7 ✓ To 1128 lbs. Beef a 3d per Rob't Christians Rec't 14: 2: -
 ✓ To Breakfast and Dinner for 7 Men 14: -
 ✓ To 5 Pecks Corn 3: 1½
 ✓ To 66 Bundles Fodder as per Capt. Jno. Hoccadays Cert. 1: -
 £23: 7: 7½

✓ William Ballards Do.
1781

Feb'ry 9 ✓ To 430 lbs. Beef at 3d per Comm'rs Rec't 5: 7: 6

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John Smith's Ditto

		£	s	d
1781				
Jan'ry	✓ To 4½ Gallons Rum for the Company of Malitia Stationed on James River per Maj'r Holliers Certificate a 10/	2:	5:	—
	✓ To 2 Midlins Bacon 24 lbs. a 10d per Ditto	1:	0:	—
	✓ To 3 Bushels Indian Meal a 2/6 per Ditto		7:	6
	✓ To 3 Pints Brandy at 8/ per Gall.		3:	—
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		£3:	15:	6

✓ John Cacy's Do.

1780				
Dec'r	To 450 lbs. Beef a 3d for the Use of the Militia as per James B. Armistead issuing Comm'rs Cert.	5:	12:	6

Joseph Carlaran's Do.

1780				
Nov'r 4	✓ To 17 Barrels flower Wt. 3827 lbs.			
to	17 Casks for Do.—this flour was for the Use of			
the 30	Cap't Southalls Troop Horse and Maj'r Kirkpatrick's light Infantry as per Certificate from Moss Armistead Comm'r amo. to	£38:	5:	4

John Cary's Do.

1780				
Aug'st	✓ To 154 lbs. Bacon a 10d	6:	8:	4
Dec'r 5	✓ To 24 bush. Oats a 1/6 — 500 bundles fodder a 3/	2:	11:	—
	✓ 133 lbs. beef a 3d		1:	13: 3
1781				
Feb'ry 15	✓ 1600 ? Hay a 3/		2:	8: —
	The above was deliver'd to the Commissioners as per Certificate to furnish the State Troops at Hampton	£13:—	:	7

✓ Jane Naylor Do.

1781				
	✓ To 375 lbs. Beef a 3d as per Certificate from Jno. Field (m) Vo. mislaid	£4:	13:	9

Jean Allen's Do.

1780

Nov'r 11 ✓ To 435 lbs. Beef a 3d for the use of Colo. Southal's
Company of Lt. Dragoons as per Rec't £5: 8: 9

1781

Nov'r 2d ✓ To 15 Bushels Indian Corn for the Use of Colo. Armond's
Legion as per Cert. a 2/6 1:17: 6
£7: 6: 3

Ann Boutwells Do.

1781

paid To 150 lbs. Beef at 3d as per Tho's Allens Cert. 1:17: —
(m) Vo. mislaid

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John Skinner's Do.

1780

Sept'r ✓ To 166 lbs. Beef a 3d for the Use of the State Troops
as per Robert Christians Cert. £ s d
2: 1: 6

Sept'r ✓ To 242 Do. as per Miles Kings Rec't a 3d 3: 1: 6
X To 23 Loads Wood a 5/ --- 5 Days Hire Cart etc.
at 12/ per Day as per Rec't from Charles Jenings
Qr. Master 8:15: —

Nov'r 23 X To 5 Barrils Corn a 12/6 per Do. --- Do. 3: 2: 6

1781

Octo'r 28 X To 6 Barrils Do. per Do. a 12/6 3:15: —

X To 500 Bundles Fodder per Certificate from
Wm. Bauocutt F. Ma. a 3/ 15: —

Jan'ry 29 X To 30 Bundles Fodder for Maj'r Armisteads Company as
per Rec't a 3/ 1: —

X To 1/2 Days Hire Cart and Steers a 12/ 6: —

X To 2 Days Hire of a Horse for the State per
Certificate from James Bray Armistead Com'ry 10: —

X To 1 Load Wood Nov'r 14, 178² for the Troops
as per Rec't from Maj'r Kirkpatrick 5: —

£22:12: 6

Thomas Kirby's Do.

1781

Jan'y 29	✓ To dining 15 Men	15: —
	✓ To 50 <u>bundles</u> Fodder	1: 6
	✓ To 12½ Gallons Cyder	7: 6
	✓ To 1 Barril Meal	12: —
	✓ To half Barril Flour	1: —
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		3: 3: —

Robert Bright's Do.

1780

Dec'r 5	✓ To 127 lbs. Beef per Moss Armisteads Cert. a 3d	}	£4:14: 3
1781			
Feb'y 17	✓ To 250 lbs. Do. per Rob't Christians Do.		

Westwood Armistead's Do.

1780

		£	s	d
Oct'r 14	X To 260 lbs. Beef furnished the Troops at Hampton as per Rec't from Wm. Armistead Bayley Commissioner a 3d	3:15:	—	—
Dec'r 5	X To 632 lbs. Beef furnished the Troops at Hampton as per Rec't from Moss Armistead Commiss'r a 3d	7:18:	—	—
1781				
March 28th	X To 7 Bushels Corn furnished Maj'r Callis's Troop of Horse as per Rec't a 2/6	17:	6	—
	To 1 Waggon Load Wood furnished the light Infantry, Commanded by Maj'r Thomas Armistead as per Rec't	10:	—	—
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		£13:—	:	6

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Capt. John Hunter's Do.

1781

		£	s	d
Aug't	✓ To a Horse Saddle and Bridle and pr. Blankets taken by the Enemy in an Engagement with Colo. Thos. Matthews at Allens Ordinary	48:	—	—
	To 1 Blanket taken at Charles City Court House	1: 4:	—	—
		<hr/>		
	Memo. The above were taken from the said John Hunter's Son John who was a Volunteer in the State Service	£49:12:	—	—

X George Wythe's Do.

		£	s	d
1780				
Nov'r ?	X To 30 Bush. Irish Potatoes del'd the Comm'rs a 4/	6:	—	—
1781				
Jan'ry 1	X To 22 bush. Do.---Do.	4:	8:	—
	X To 5 bush. Pease---Do. 3/	15:	—	—
	<u>6</u> X To a Cart and 6 Oxen and two Men Carting Fodder per Order Commissioners	12:	—	—
Feb'ry 8	X To 5 beaves estimated to Weigh 1200 lbs. del'd to Comm'rs a 3d	15:—	—	—
March	X To 1 hhd. Cyder 100 Gallons	3:	2:	6
	X To 20 bush. Irish Potatoes a 4/	4:—	—	—
Oct'r 1st	X To 1½ bush. Corn for Maj'r Nelson's Troop of horse a 2/6	3:	9	—
4	X To 15 bush. Do. furnished Gen'l Stevens Brigade per Rec't 2/6	3:	7:	6
7	X To 52 bushels Oats furnished Do.---Do. a 1/6	3:18:	—	—
		<u>£31:</u>	6:	9

John Armisteads Do.

1780				
Oct'r 22	X To 1022 lbs. Beef taken by Wm. A. Bayley Com'r as per Rec't a 3d	12:15:	6	—
1781				
Jan'ry 29	X To 6 Rations a 2/. 50 Bundles fodder a 1/6 furnished Capt. Tabb of light Infantry per Rec't	13:	6	—
	X To 22 Gallo. Oats a 2½d — 120 bundles fodder a 3/ furnished Capt. Callis Troop Horse per Rec't	8:	2	—
30	X To 30 Gallo. Oats a 2½d — 150 bundles fodder a 3/ 2 Meals for 15 men / Rations a 2/ for Capt. Callis troop Horse per Reciept	2:—	:	9
Feb'ry 3	X To 55½ lbs. Beef for Capt. Callis troop Horse per Rec't a 3d	13:10½	—	—
	X 167 lbs. Ditto for Maj'r Armisteads light Infantry per Do.	2:	1:	9
8	X To 1 bush. Corn furnished Patrick Reynolds/Q.M. per Do.	2:	6	—
10	X To 30½ Gallons Apple brandy furnished Capt. Callis Troop per Do.---a 8/	12:	4:	—

March 3	X To 360 bundles fodder a 3/. 5 loads Wood a 5/ furnished Capt. Hockady's Troop per Receipt	1:15: 9
29	X To 3 days forrage for 11 Horses £1:3:9 } Capt. Callis Troop X 3 Ditto Rations for 11 Men a 2/ 3:6:— } per Rec't	4: 9: 9
Oct'r 30	X To 275 lbs. beef furnished Colo. Dabney's State Troops per Rec't a 3d	3: 8: 9
	X 40 <u>bundles</u> fodder for 4 Oxen for 2 Days a 3/.	1: 3
	X To 400 lbs. beef furnished Wm. Brown agent for the Collection of Beaves per Receipt Omitted 25 April last a 3/	5:— —
	X To 275 lbs. beef furnished Cole Diggs per Commissioner's Rec't omitted 17th January last a 3d	3: 8: 9
	X To a Cart and Team 1 Day	10: —
		<u>£49:14: 3½</u>

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The Estate of **Thomas Latimer** dec'd

1780		s d
Dec'r 5	X To 227 lbs. Beef a 3d per Moss Armistead's Rec't	£2:16: 9
11	X To 28 lbs. Mutton per John Gibson's Rec't a 5d	11: 8
1781		
Jan'y 12th	X To 450 lbs. Beef per Cole Diggs Rec't a 3d	<u>5:12: 6</u>
		£9: 0:11
	✓ John Ranals Do.	
1780		
Aug'st 30 & Sept'r 10	✓ To 283 lbs. Beef a 3d as per Com'rs Certificate	£3:16: 9
1781		
March 9th	✓ To 2 Beaves Wt. 380 lbs. a 3d per Do.	<u>4:15:—</u>
		£8:11: 9
	James Stores Do.	
1781	✓ To 152 lbs. Beef a 3d per Cert.	1:18: —
	Edward Rudd's Do.	
1781		
Feb'y 7	✓ To 650 lbs. Beef a 3d as per Commiss'rs Rec't	£8: 2: 6

The Estate of Francis Mallory dec'd

1780

Sept'r 25	X To 285 lbs. Beef a 3d for the Troops at Hampton	£3:11: 3
Dec'r 17	X To 200 Bundles fodder for Do. a 3/ X To 704 lbs. Beef for Do. a 3d	6: — 8:16: —

1781

March	X To 960 Bundles fodder for Do. a 3/ To 25 Bushels Oats for Colo. Southals Troop a 1/6 X To 800 Bundles fodder del'd by James Goodwin for Do.	1: 8: — 1:17: 6 1: 4: —
		<u>£17: 2: 9</u>

Euphan Minsons Do.

1781

Feb'ry 24th	X To 175 lbs. Beef per Rob't Christians Rec't a 3d	£2: 3: 9
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William Latimers Do.

1780

Dec'r 11	X To 187 lbs. Beef per John Gibson's Rec't a 3d	£2: 6: 9
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1781

Feb'ry 6th	X To 500 lbs. Beef per Rob't Christians Rec't a 3d To 11 lbs. Bacon---Do. a 10d	6: 5: — 9: 2
		<u>£9: — :11</u>

Edward Mallory's Do.

1781

Feb'ry 20	✓ To 250 lbs. Beef per Commiss'rs Rec't a 3d ✓ To 10 lbs. Bacon Do. a 10d	£3: 2: 6 8: 4
		<u>3:10:10</u>
	To 1 lamb deliver'd Capt. Rogers for Commodore Barron per Rec't	12: —
		<u>£4: 2:10</u>

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William Gooch's Do.

1781

Feb'ry 23	✓ To 4 loads Wood as per Certificate a 5/ ✓ To 1 Hogshead Cyder Do. ✓ To 1 Day Cart and Team per Do.	s d £1: — — 1:17: 6 10: —
		<u>£3: 7: 6</u>

1780					
Nov'r 24th	✓ To 780 <u>bundles</u> fodder a 3/ and 3½ Barr'ls Corn a 12/6 per Rec't				s d £3: 7: 3
23	✓ To 109 lbs. Beef a 3d and 1 Days Cart hire 10/ furnished the Troops as per Receipt				1:17: 3
1781					
Jan'ry 26	✓ To 25 Gallons Corn, 60 <u>bundles</u> Fodder and 1 Day's Rations for 12 Men furnished Capt. Callis's Troop per Rec't				1:12: 6
					£6:17: —

James Hawkins Do.

1781					
Jan'ry 9th	✓ To 200 lbs. Pork a 3d				£2:10: —
to	✓ To 3 Barrils Corn a 12/6				1:17: 6
the 18th	✓ To 3 Barrils Cyder				2:17: 6
	✓ To 9 Gall. Brandy a 8/				3:12: —
					£10:16: —

The above was to furnish twenty Volunteers who turned out to oppose the British Plunderers in the Neighbourhood of Newport News as per Certificate from their Captain.

John Fields Do.

1780					
Nov'r 25	To 1 Day's Cart hire as per Cert.	paid			£ s d 10: —
Dec'r 5	To 14 loads Wood a 5/ and 3 Days Cart hire at 10/ as per Certs.	paid			5: — —
1781					
Jan'ry 20	To 2 days Cart hire and 1 Load Wood per Rec't	paid			1: 5: —
no crt 24	X To 5 Loads Wood as per Cert. a 5/				1: 5: —
29	To 1 Cord Wood per Do.	paid			15: —
Feb'ry 13	To 1 Load Wood - - - Do.	paid			5: —
March 4	To 4 Loads Wood and 2 Days Cart hire per Do.	paid			2: — —
	X To my Services in Slaughtering 28 beeves and Collecting and delivering them, the hire of myself and two Negro fellows 8 Days and 1 Days Cart hire per Cert.				15:18: 6
23rd	X To 4 Loads Wood as per Cert. a 5/	paid			1: — —
27th	X To 4 Days Cart hire as per Cert. a 10/	paid			2: — —
	To feeding 24 Beeves 21 Days — these Beeves belonged to the State — and proved by Miles King				2:10: —

Alexander Lewellin Do.

1781 paid

Oct'r 12th To 400 bundles Fodder a 3/ per Cert. 12: -

Miles Kings Do.

1780

Dec'r [Item crossed out]

1781

Jan'ry 12 X To 875 lbs. Beef a 3d per Commissary's Cert. 10:18: 9

Ap'l 4 [Item crossed out]

X To 547 lbs. Beef deliver'd Comiss'ry at Hampton
per Do. a 3d 6:16: 9

X To 2 Good Muskets deliver'd Capt. Westwoods Company
and were lost in the Battle with Colo. Dundass in
March 1781 9: - -

X To 402 lbs. Bacon deliver'd the Troops at Hampton in
August 1780 a 10d 16:15: -

£46: 6: 9

X To Ditto for a Horse lent Wm. Davenport and which
said Horse was enter'd in Capt. Davenports Troop of
Horse, and taken by the Enemy at Charles City
Court House in January 1781 as per Certificate
from Thomas Russel Lieutenant of said Troop and
by him Valued to 8000 Pounds Paper Currency and
by the Court Valued in Specie to - - 100: - -

£146: 6: 9

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? Westwood Do.

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? ? To 23 Cart loads Wood a 5/ per Rec't £5:15: -

X To the Hire of a Waggon and Team one Day per Do. 15: -

X To 3 Bush. Corn a 2/6 - - - per Do. 7: 6

X To 57 Loads Wood a 5/ - - - per Do. 14: 5: -

X To 4 Days hire a Cart and Team a 12/ 2: 8: -

X To 2 Days hire Waggon and Team a 15/ 1:10: -

X To 121 lbs. Beef by Mark Parish a 3d 1:10: 3

To 12 Days Rations for furnishing two Negro's 12: -

£26:14: 9

John Tabbs Do.

1780

✓ To 134 lbs. Bacon for the Troops at Hampton
per Rec't a 10d £5:11: 8

1781

✓ To 1100 lbs. Beef deliver'd the Commissary as
per Rec't a 3d 13:15: —

X To 35 Barrils Corn furnished Maj'r Nelson and
Colo. Armonds Troop Horse per Cert. a 12/6 21:17: 6

X To 1300 Bundles fodder for Do. - - - Do. a 3/ 1:19: —

✓ To 1 Sorril Horse Impressed for the State Service as
per Certificate 30: — —

£73: 3: 2

Edward Face Do.

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✓ To 70 Days hire of Sloop John and four hands per
Certificates, for the Use of the Troops at the Seege
at York Town under the Command of his Excellency
Gen'l Washington a 45/ £157:10: —

✓ By Cash Received of Tho's Pickering D.Q.M.G. in part
of the above - - -Cr. 7:10: —

£150: — —

Thomas Kirby's Do.

1780 and

1781 — ✓ To 52 lbs. Bacon ? a 10d per Rec't £2: 3: 4

Oct'r 24 ✓ To 7 Barrils Corn per Maj'r Nelsons Rec't a 12/6 4: 7: 6

Nov.'r 15 ✓ To 141 lbs. Beef per Rec't a 3d 1:15: 3

1781

March 19 ✓ To 500 Bundles fodder per J. Kirby's Rec't a 3/ 15: —

20 ✓ To 500 Do. per Wm. Reynolds Do. 15: —

Oct'r 12 ✓ To 1200 Do. per Alex'r McQueen's Do. a 3/ 1:16: —

✓ To 1 hhd. Cyder deliver'd Maj'r Calliss Stationed at
John Armisteads on B. Rr. 1:17: 6

£13: 9: 7

Edward Cowpers Do.

1781

Nov'r To 210 lbs. Beef a 3d per Henry Ree - - - -

- ✓ Jane Allens claim against the Common Wealth amounting to £4:13:9 as per Certificate produced to the Court and Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ William Moore's claim against the Common Wealth for 146 lbs. Beef at 3d per lb. – 21½ lbs. Mutton a 9d as per Certificate which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ William Dunn's claim against the Common Wealth for 154 lbs. Beef at 3d per lb. to furnish the Navy as per Certificate which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Thomas Baylis Account against the Common Wealth amounting to £5:12:6 as per Certificate produced to the Court, which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Thomas Allens Account against the Common Wealth amounting to £4:17:6 as per Certificate produced to the Court, which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Rebecca Duberry's claim against the Common Wealth for 123 lbs. Beef as per Certificate produced to the Court, which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Simon Holliers claim against the Common Wealth for 304 lbs. Beef furnished the Troops Stationed near Hampton as per Certificate, and Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ An Account due to the Estate of Francis Mallory dec'd from the Common Wealth for twenty five Bushels of Oats to furnish Colo. Southall's Troop of Cavilry, Proof thereof being made to the Court was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Richard Bryans Account against the Common Wealth amounting to 12/8, was Sworn to in Court and Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ John Kings claim against the Common Wealth for fifty Pounds of Powder furnished the Malitia for this County was Order'd to be Certified.

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At another Court held for Eliza. City County April 24th 1783

- ✓ Simon Hollier produced his Account against the Common Wealth amounting to £44:19:3 3/4 with Certificates, and Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ An Account due the Estate of Henry King Jun'r from the Common Wealth amounting to £10:10:6, was Order'd to be Certified.

Test. W. Wager D. Clk.

The Number of Titheables on which the Levy was laid were one thousand.

W. Wager

Pages numbered 18 and 19 were evidently folded into a packet and the following notions were made externally in different handwritings:

*List of Eliza. City Co. Claims
Eliza. City 22d Aug't 1782 No. 7*

The Common Wealth of Virginia		
1781	to John Drewey — — Dr.	
	To 1 Bushel Indian Meal to furnish the Troops at the half Way House under the command Colo. Dabney as per Cert. from Sam'l Armistead	£—: 2: 6
Octo'r 26	✓ To 500 Bundles fodder to furnish Colo. Armonds Legion as per Certificate a 3/	15: — <hr/> 17: 6

The Common Wealth of Virginia		
1780	to Thomas Wootten Sen'r — — Dr.	
Sept'r 9	✓ To 513 lbs. Beef as per Cert. a 3d	£6: 8: 3
	✓ To 15 Loads Wood a 5/	} as per Cert. 5:15: —
	✓ To 4 Days Carting a 10/	
	✓ To 1 Days Carting Maj'r Kirkpatrick's Goods to Hampton as per Certificate	10: — <hr/> £12:13: 3

At a Court held for Eliza. City County Aug't 22d 1782. These Accounts were produced to the Court together with the Certificates And Order'd that the Clerk Certifie the same to the Assembly for Allowance.

Cary Selden Clk.

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(A small sheet of paper with the following notations on the reverse side in different handwritings:

*22d May 1783
Eliza. City No. 5
Eliza. City County Claims 1783)*

At a Court held for Eliza. City County May 22d 1783

- ✓ Thomas Lewis's Account against the Common Wealth of Virginia amounting to £2:16 Specie as per Certificate which was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ John Lowry's claim against the Common Wealth for two thousand four hundred Pounds of Beef as per Certificate was Order'd to be Certified.
- ✓ Simon Holliers claim against the Common Wealth for Nine hundred Pounds of Beef as per Certificate was Order'd to be Certified.

✓ James Bray Armistead's Account as Commissary etc. amounting to twenty five Pounds was Order'd to be Certified.

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/7200	/2700	30-
/600	/225	11- 5
30-0-0	11-5	25-
		<u>2-16</u>
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(A small sheet of paper with the following notations on the reverse side in different handwritings:

*Elizabeth City
Warrant, ? , Mr. Wray 8 Aug't '86)*

At a Court continued and held for Eliza. City County Friday May 27th 1785.

Jacob Wray Gent. produced a Claim against the Common Wealth amounting to twenty four Pounds as per Certificate which is Ordered to be certified to the Auditors of Public Accompts for Allowance.

16	12/ <u>5760</u>	
<u>4</u>	/480	Copy Johnson Tabb Clk. Court
64	£24.0.0	
<u>90</u>		
5760		

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*9th May 1782
Tho's Parson's Forriage Certificates
Eliza. City No. 4
 ? Parsons ? ? ?*

Forriage Certificates Tho's Parsons)

At a Court contined and held for Elizabeth City County the 9th Day of May 1782, for Receiving and Adjusting Claims for Property impressed or taken for Public Service

pd Thomas Parsons Account against the Common Wealth amounting to twelve Pounds ten Shillings as per Certificates produced to the Court, which is Order'd to be Certified.

Test. W. Wager D. Clk.

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*23 October 1783, Eliza. City County No. 2
Jno. Sinclair)*

At a Court held for Eliza. City County the 23d Day of October 1783, for Receiving and adjusting Public Claims

✓ John Sinclair produced his Account amounting to thirty Pounds sixteen Shillings, which was sufficiently proved to the Court, and Order'd to be Certified.

W. Wager

(A small piece of paper with the following notations on the reverse side in different handwritings:

*Edw'd Mitchell's Claim £2:15:10
10 Dec'r '88 E. Mitchell 2.15.10 P. Claims)*

Elizabeth City County Court June 22nd 1786

Edward Mitchell produced a Claim against the Common wealth amounting to Two Pounds fifteen Shillings and ten Pence for Beef delivered to the Commissary which having been first proved is Order'd by the Court to be certified to the Auditors of Publick Accompts.

A copy Johnson Tabb C. C.

(A very small piece of paper without added notations)

At a Court held for Eliza. City County the 25th Day of July 1783, for Receiving and adjusting Public Claims.

✓ George Booker Gent. produced his Account amounting to £6:17:6 as per Certificate which was Order'd to be Certified.

W. Wager

RECORD OF CLAIM PAYMENTS

Public Service Claims
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Thursday Aug't. 21st 1783

	£	S	d
Army - - - - - Dr.			
1 Francis Armistead for Beef fur. State Troops as per X Cert. allowed by the Court of Elizabeth City	3:10:		-
Navy - - - - - Dr.			
1 Wm. Armistead for corn fur. for use of the Liberty as X per Ditto	8:		-
Militia - - - - - Dr.			
1 Francis Armistead for Ditto etc. fur. in Feby. 81 as X per Ditto	3:12:		2
United States - - - - - Dr.			
1 Francis Armistead for Beef etc. fur. C. P. L. as per ✓ Ditto	4:10:		7½
1 James B. Armistead for services as C. P. L. as per X Ditto	25:		-
1 Tho. Allen for services as a Beef driver as per X Ditto	4:17:		6
1 Rich'd Bryan for lead fur. the Continent as per X Ditto	19:		-
1 Wm. R. W. Curle's Estate for Beef etc. fur. C. P. L. ✓ as per Ditto	26:10:		6
1 William R. W. Curl for a Horse etc. fur. the X Continent as per Ditto	13:12:		-
1 Edward Cuttiller for fodder fur. Mil'a in Octr. 81, as ✓ per Ditto	13:		6
Army - - - - - Dr.			
1 Wm. R. W. Curle for corn etc. fur. the State as per X Ditto	6:		9

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Thursday Aug't. 21st 1783

Militia - - - - - Dr.			
1 John Cacy for Beef fur. militia in May 82, as per X Cert. allow'd by Court of Elizabeth City	5:12:		6
1 William R. W. Curle for Corn etc. fur. Militia in X March 81, as per Do.	8:14:		9
United States - - - - - Dr.			
1 William Drewry for Corn fur. Conti'l troops as per ✓ Ditto	13:		-
1 Samuel Dewbre for Beef fur. C. P. L. as per ✓ Ditto	1:		9: 3

1 Jno. Drury for fodder fur. the Cont'l as per
 ✓ Ditto 15: -
 1 William Drury for Corn etc. fur. the Cont'l as per
 ✓ per Ditto 2:12: -

Militia - - - - - Dr.

1 William Gooch for Cyder etc. fur. mil'a in Feby.
 X 81, as per Ditto in ? 4:10: -
 1 Jno. Hunter for a Horse lost in service of
 X militia as per Ditto 46:15: -

United States - - - - - Dr.

1 Major Hollier for Beef fur. the Continent as per
 ✓ Ditto 11: 5: -

Militia - - - - - Dr.

Jno. Jones for a horse fur. the Light Dragoons
 X as per Ditto 25: - -

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Thursday Aug't 21st 1783

Militia - - - - - Dr.

1 John King for powder fur. Mil'a in Octr. 80, as
 X per Cert. all'd by the Court of Elizabeth City 15: - -

Navy - - - - - Dr.

Tho. Lewis for repairing a boat for the State
 X as per Ditto 2:16: -

United States - - - - - Dr.

1 Jno. Lowry for Beef fur. C. P. Law as per
 ✓ Ditto 30: - -

Army - - - - - Dr.

Robert Manson for Beef etc. fur. troops at
 ✓ Hampton as per do. 3:10: 9

United States - - - - - Dr.

1 Joseph Nickols for Corn etc. fur. Continent as
 ✓ per Ditto 2:15: -

1 John Randall for Beef fur. C. P. L. as per
 ✓ Ditto 3:10: 9

1 David Spruce for Corn etc. fur. the Cont'l as
 ✓ per Ditto 1:14: -

Navy - - - - - Dr.

1 James Stores for Beef fur. the boat Liberty as
 X per Ditto 1:18: -

United States - - - - - Dr.

Wm. Selden for Beef fur. the Continent as per
 ✓ Do. 7:17: 6

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Thursday Aug't 21st 1783

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United States - - - - - Dr.

1 Jno. Tabb for Beef etc. fur. C. P. Law as per Cert.
 ✓ allow'd by the Court Elizabeth City 22: 3: -

Militia - - - - - Dr.

1 Jno. Tabb for a horse fur. Mil'a in May 81, as
 X per Ditto 30: - -

1 Nathan Yancy for a horse fur. Mil'a in May 81, as
 X per Ditto 25: - -

U. States - - - - - Dr.

1 Edward Mallory for beef fur. C. P. L. as per Crt.
 ✓ all'd by the Court of Eliza. City 3: 2: 6

Militia

1 Edw'd Mallory for bacon fur. the Militia in March
 X 1781 as per Do. all'd by do. 0: 7: 6

Navy

1 Edw'd Mallory for a Lamb fur. an Espress as per
 X do. all'd by do. 0:10: -

U. States

1 Jane Naylor for beef fur. C. P. L. as per Do.
 ✓ allowed by ditto 4:13: 9

6 Bazzell Smith's Est. for Rum fur. do. as per ditto
 ✓ all'd by do. 1 of £50 1 of £20 three of £10 & £9:5 109: 5: -

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December 7th 1783

U. States

1 George Bowker beef fur. Cont'l per Cert. allow'd
 ✓ by the Court of Elizabeth City 6:17: 6

Militia

1 W. R. W. Curle's Estate, Sundr's in Octr. 80 per
 X do. 1: 1: 9½

1 Richard Bryan - - - - - do.
 X 12: 8

U. States

1 Samuel Dubrey / ass'ee of Sarah Hurtt / beef fur.
 ✓ per do. 2:10: -

Army

1 Rebecca Dewbry beef fur. - - - per cer.
 X 1:10: -

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Militia

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