

certainty that Capt. Rumph still commanded a company of militia in Orangeburgh District in 1784, as will be seen by the following extract from Judge O'Neill's "Bench and Bar of South Carolina", page 341:

"November, 1784.

"Mr. Justice Heyward.

"On motion of Mr. Sheriff, ordered that Capt. Jacob Rumph do immediately send six men, out of his company, to guard the gaol for the space of seven days; and that, after the expiration of seven days, ordered that Capt. Henry Felder do relieve the aforesaid six men with six men from his company, to continue seven days; and that, after said term, Capt. Rumph shall again send the same compliment of men to relieve Capt. Felder's men, and so each to relieve the other alternately, until the prisoners now confined in gaol, and under sentence of death, be executed according to sentence, or otherwise disposed of." (From Circuit Court records.)

Below is a roll of Capt. Rumph's company. It was first published in the Clayton, Alabama, *Banner*, and had, it is said, been furnished that paper by the holder of the original roll. A copy of the published roll was sent to the *Southron*, a newspaper published in Orangeburg about 1860, by the late Capt. A. Govan Salley, and it was republished in the *Southron* on September 10, 1861, with the remark that the editor had "no doubt of its authenticity", and that it was "worthy of remark that after the lapse of three-quarters of a century, the names, with scarcely an exception, still exist among the present inhabitants of Orangeburg District." The writer then adds: "The following are the names of Capt. Jacob Rumph's men who fought the Tories of South Carolina in 1783, Orangeburg District, commanded by Col. Wm. Russell Thomson."

The writer was wrong in giving the date 1783, and

he also probably mixed Wm. Russell Thomson up with Wm. Thomson, his father.

Jacob Rumph, Captain

Jacob Wannamaker, 1st Lt.	Lewis Golson Sergeant
John Golson, 2nd Lt.	David Gisendanner, Clerk
Frederick Snell	Jesse Pearson
John Cooke	Jacob Amaka
Henry Whestone,	Jacob Hoegar, (Horgar)
(Whetstone)	
Peter Snell	Christian Inabnet
John Mooror	George Shingler
John Ditchell	Anthony Robinson
Paul Stroman	John Cooney, (Cooner)
<u>Jacob Riser</u>	Jacob Stroman
Abram Miller	John Deremus, (Deramus)
John Lemmerman,	Jacob Cooney, (Cooner)
(Zimmerman)	
John Whestone,	Thomas Aberhart
(Whetstone)	
<u>Michael Zigler, (Zeigler)</u>	John Stroman
Peter Pound	Nicholas Dill
John Ott	Peter Staley
David Rumph	Nicholas Rickenbacker
John Rumph	Nicholas Hulong, (Herlong)
John Hooper, (Hoover)	John Inabnet
John Densler, (Dantzler)	John Houk
John Miller	Jacob Rickenbacker
Henry Wannamaker	Robert Bayley, (Baily)
John Amaka	Arthur Barrot
Michael Larey,	Frederick Burtz
George Ryly, (Riley)	Peter Crouk, (Crook)
John Amaka	Martin Grambik
John Brown	John Dudley
Daniel Bowden	John Rickenbacker
Wm. Hall	Isaac Lester