Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Cockburn SC1420 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1327

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[Book] W

[No.] 417 18 August 1785

Mr. John Cockburn his Account of Duty in the Militia as Private since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780]; also for 612 lbs. Beef for Militia in 1781, the whole

Amounting to

[Old South Carolina] Currency	£30.10/
Stg.	£4.7.1 ½
Ex ^d . W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]	
J. M ^c . A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]	
Pass S/R. L. [Robert Lightwood]	

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State South Carolina

Dr. to John Cockburn

for Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson'	's] Return [not extant]	£6.0.0
612 pounds Beef in 1781		<u>24.10/</u>
	Currency	£30.10/
	Stg.	£4.7.1 ½

[p 4: Illegibly faint document which appears to be a receipt for the beef delivered for the use of General Pickens' Army. The signature of the officer requisitioning the beef is illegibly faint.]

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