## **Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters**

South Carolina Audited Accounts 1 relating to James Cowan SC1617 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1540

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## Transcribed by Will Graves

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[Book] K [No.] 227

10 January 1785

Mr. James Cowan his Account of Militia Duty as private performed [the balance of this document is illegible as posted online.]

Ex<sup>d</sup>. J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by John McCall, Adjutant General]

Received 10 January 1785 from the Commissioners of the Treasury full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 227, K by an order

S/ Jno. Cowan [John Cowan]

[p 3] State South Carolina

Dr. to James Cowan

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for Militia Duty performed as Private per Captain

John Cowan's pay Bills from 14 September 1779

to 20<sup>th</sup> February 1783 Alternately

[text obliterated] a tour 34 Days on Horse at 20/

[20 shillings per day]

[text obliterated] Horse [text obliterated]

[text obliterated] days' on foot 4.10

[old South Carolina] Currency

Stg. [Sterling]

£ [indecipherable]

20.10/ [text obliterated]

£7.15.8?

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