Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Cunningham SC1742 AA18 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1689

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No. 630 Book P

Mr. James Cunningham his Account of Sundries for Militia use in 1780, 1781 & 1782 Amounting to £58.10 Stg. [Sterling]

a Horse charged £110 [old South Carolina currency] or £15.14.3 ¼ is not Certified, & is included in the above Amount.

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M^c. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

Received 24 May 1785 full Satisfaction for this Account in an Indent No. 630 Book P by Virtue of an Order

S/ L. Martin

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The State of South Carolina Dr. to James Cunningham

1780 To 40 Days Service under Captain Robert Thompson

[Robert Thomson] in General Sumpters [Thomas Sumter's]

Brigade at 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency] per day £40.0.0

1780 To 50 days under Col. William Hill at 20/per day 50.0.0

1780 To 10 Days service in November under Col. William Hill at 20/per day 10.0.0

1780 To 120 days Service under Captain William McCulloch on a Command to New Bern at 20/per day 120.0.0

1781 To 31 days under Captain Benjamin Garrison in Col.
William Bratton's Regiment at 20/per day 31.0.0

1782 To 45 days under Lieutenant Joseph Smith in Col. William

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Bratton's Regiment at 10/per day 22.10.0 To 26 days under Lieutenant Thomas Henderson in Col. 1782 William Bratton's Regiment at 20/per day 26.0.0 299.10.0

N:B: these charges are included

in Pay Bills which are attested

Sterling £58.10

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This day came before me William Berry [sic] and George Cunningham and made oath that a Chestnut Sorrel Stallion lost by James Cunningham at General Sumter's Surprise [Battle of Fishing Creek, August 18, 1780] the 18th of August 1780 was worth one hundred and ten pounds before me this 13th Me 1783

S/ Jno. McCaw, JP

S/ William Barry

S/ George Cunningham

These are to Certify that I have empowered Captain Lewis Martin to receive my indent from the public Treasurer of the State of South Carolina given from under my hand this 15th day of August 1785 Signed & acknowledged in presence of

S/Wm Bratton, JP

S/ James Cunningham

James Canning him