## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Jonathan Dawson SC1883 AA8
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1831

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[Book] W No. 51

Pass for £22.11.5

[No.] 441 19<sup>th</sup> of August 1785

Mr. Jonathan Dawson his Account of Militia Duty as Private, before & since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780], also for a Horse & Saddle for Militia use in 1781, the whole Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £263

Stg. [Sterling] £37.11.5

"the Horse & Saddle £105 old Currency, not Certified. ["]

Ex<sup>d</sup>. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

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

Pass for twenty-two Pounds eleven Shillings and five pence S/ J S.

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State South Carolina

Dr. to Jonathan Dawson

Currency £263Stg. £37.11.5

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State South Carolina

Ninety Six District Jonathan Dawson Dr.

1781

July To 1 horse & Saddle lost while on Duty

<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 <a href="Just take me to the search page">Just take me to the search page</a> 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.

John Williams and John Hill maketh Oath that they Value the above horse and Saddle (and have appraised them to 15 pounds Sterling) the property of Jonathan Dawson or 155 Currency

S/ John Williams, X his mark S/ John Hill, X his mark

Also appeared Jonathan Dawson and maketh oath that he lost the above mentioned horse while on duty with General Pickens near the Ridge just after British went from 96 & have received no value for the said

Sworn to the 19<sup>th</sup> of July

1783

before

S/ Benj. Tutt

S/Jonathan Dawson

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Received the 19<sup>th</sup> of August 1785 from the Commissioner of the Treasury full Satisfaction for the amount of the within account in an Indent No. 441 Book W By Virtue of an Order

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S/ Benj. Tutt [Benjamin Tutt]

[p 6] Gentlemen

Please deliver to Benjamin Tutt my Indents for my Public Account rendered in to the Auditor General

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S/ Jonathan Dawson

Edward Blake & Peter Bocquet Commissioners Treasury Charleston

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 441 Book W dated August 19<sup>th</sup>, 1785]

[p 8: Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Benjamin Tutt and William Freeman]