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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Jonathan Fitchett SC2755 Audited Account No. 2405

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[No.] 758 [Book] Y

31 December 1785

No. 96

Jonathan Fitchett for 302 days Duty as Adjutant under the Command of Colonel Watson [Samuel Watson] from 6 February to 4 December 1779, also for a Gun, Saddle, Wallet, Blanket, Surbout [?] Coat, Shot bag, Ball, Tomahawk & Handkf [handkerchief?] Lost in action the Whole Charged £135.9.4 Stg. [Sterling]

Deduct less one day £1.11.5 1/4

Do for Gun, Saddle &c £4.9.6 $\underbrace{6.0.9}_{0.120.9.6}$

NB: Nothing allowed for Gun &c lost in action

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina Dr [Debtor]

From the To Jonathan Fitchet for Service 6th of Done in the Militia as Adjutant

February Under Colonel Watson for three Hundred and two Days at three Pounds Per Day South [old

to the South Carolina Currency]

4th Day In Sterling 131.00.0

of December

This is to Certify that the above Service was Done per me S/ Samuel Watson, Collo.

Samuel Watson Collo.

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Lost in Said Service

One Gun Appraised to one Pound four Sterling	1.4.0
To one Saddle & wallet at 1 pound & 5 pence	1.0.5
To one Blanket and out Side coat	1.17.4
To Shot Bag, Bell, Tomahawk, & handkerchief	0.7.7
Total in Sterling	135.9.6

The above Articles appraised by us the Subscribers being duly Sworn

S/ James Nichols [?] S/ Alex Hemphill

State of South Carolina Camden District} this day Jonathan Fitchet [sic] Came before me and made oath that the above account is Just and that he Never Received any part thereof Sworn and Subscribed before me this 20th of December 1784

S/ Samuel Watson, JO

S/ Jonathan Fitchett

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July ye 16th 1785

The within Account as it stands stated is just and true Certified by

S/ Jos. Howe Capt. M. [Joseph Howe]

the within approved of [text too faint to discern] me

S/ Wm Bratton, Col. [William Bratton]

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The within is 1 of the accounts Drawd [drawed/drawn] of [off] in the New [?] that I left in Mr. Darts office January ye 11th 1780 Certified by me S/ Samuel Watson

Received 31 December 1785 full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 758 Book Y S/ Jonathan Fitchett

State of South Carolina Dr to Jonathan Fitchett Adjutant

To Service done in Camp from ye 6th day of February 2 ye 4th day of December 1779

rebluary 2 ye 4 day of December 1779	
three hundred one days at three pounds per day	£903
To one Saddle appraised to seventy pounds	070
To one smooth gun appraised to fifty pounds	050
to one blanket at forty pounds	040

To one bell at ten pounds		010
To one surtoe Coat at one hundred pounds		<u>100</u>
-	Total	£1173

South Carolina New acquisition | Jonathan Fitchet [sic] personally appeared before me and made oath that ye above account is Just and true and that he Received no part thereof. Sworn before me this 18th December 1779

S/ Joseph Howe, JP²

S/ Jonathan Fitchett

The above Jonathan Fitchett was in Georgi [Georgia] with me and sent upon a Command with Major Roos [Francis Ross] to brier Creak [Briar Creek, March 3, 1779]³ and there taken prisoner by the inglish [English] Certified by me

S/ Samuel Watson

[p 9 (retake of page 8): Printed form of indent No. 758 Book Y]

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² The same signature as Captain Joseph Howe shown above ³ Briar Creek March 3, 1779 http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/790304-briar-creek/