# Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

## South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to James Hanna SC3566 Audited Account No. 3299

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The petition of James Hannah [sic] praying to be placed on the pension list Pensions Granted from this term S/ T. Evans

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The State of South Carolina

York District

To the Senate & House of Representatives of the said State. The Petition of James Hannah [sic] Sheweth that he was a faithful Soldier of the Revolutionary War, and Served as Such in the Militia of this State. That he entered the We service as a militia man at the age of Sixteen under the command of Captain Sadler [Richard Sadler of the New Acquisition District Regiment] of Colonel Neil's [sic, Andrew Neel of the New Acquisition District Regiment] Regiment & marched from this district to Orangeburg from thence to Charleston & from thence to Stono. That here he was discharged his term being out, That afterwards when the enemy overran the back Country he joined General Sumter [Thomas Sumter's] forces & continued in service of during the war, either directly under General Sumter's command or with detachments of his forces. That your petitioner was at the engagement [July 12, 1780] in York District where Captain Hook [Christian Huck] was defeated,<sup>2</sup> at the Battle of Hanging Rock [August 6, 1780],<sup>3</sup> at Rocky Mount [June 30, 1780],<sup>4</sup> at General Sumter's defeat at Fishing Creek [August 18, 1780]<sup>5</sup> and at the battles of the Fishdam [Fish Dam Ford, November 6, 1780],<sup>6</sup> and Blackstock's

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <u>http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/</u>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the <u>Just take me to the search page</u> 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. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> <u>https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\_battle\_of\_williamsons\_plantation.html</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\_battle\_of\_hanging\_rock.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> <u>https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\_battle\_of\_rocky\_mount.html</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution battle of fishing creek.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\_battle\_of\_fishdam\_ford.html

[November 20, 1780]<sup>7</sup> at which to last places he acted as Lieutenant – that your petitioner is now in his seventieth year that he is now infirm without any family or friends who feel bound for his Support, that he is poor, & now at his advanced age feels himself constrained to ask for the Aid which his State has extended to others in like circumstances. That he had petitioned<sup>8</sup> in 1830 but from some irregularity his petition has not been granted. He prays that he may be placed on the pension list from March 1830 – and your petitioner &c

S/ James Hanna

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South Carolina York District James Hannah [sic] within named makes oath before me that the facts Set forth in the Annexed petition & foregoing petition are true Sworn & subscribed before me June 8, 1832

S/ J. M. Ross, Q. U.

S/ James Hanna

Jermen Homma

Schedule of the whole estate of James Hannah

Wearing apparel worth say \$10.00

A judgt. on Wm Coker & Interest considered doubtful

12.00

My Share in the crop which is now in cultivation on the plantation of James Watson – uncertain – I reside with him. What I shall be entitled to cannot be ascertained until the Crop is gathered. It will not however be much – say a bale of cotton

James Hannah [sic] makes oath that the foregoing schedule contains a true Statement of his whole estate

Sworn to & subscribed June 8, 1832 S/ J. M. Ross Q U

S/ James Hanna

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South Carolina York District Personally came Captain James Martin<sup>9</sup> before me and duly sworn Saith on oath that the petitioner James Hannah [sic] was a faithful Soldier of the Revolutionary War, that this deponent knows that he Served in the Militia Service of this State and was a good whig soldier that he knows that he was in the battles of the Hanging Rock, Rocky Mount, Fish Dam & Blackstocks and has no doubt that he performed all the services set forth in his petition. Sworn to before me

October 24<sup>th</sup>, 1832 S/ J. M. Ross, QU

S/ James Martin, X his mark

[Note: Veteran was granted a pension of \$60 per annum by the State of SC.]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\_battle\_of\_blackstocks.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> This earlier petition is not among the documents in this file.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Probably the same man as James Martin S9391