## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Arthur Howell SC4055 pp13 Audited Account No. 3809

## Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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[No.] 139 [Book] Q [May 9, 1785]

Mr. Arthur Howell his Account of 222 days Militia Duty in 1781 & 1782

Amounting to £20.2.3 1/4 Sterling

Ex<sup>d</sup>. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

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

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1781 The State of South Carolina

	To Arthur Howell		Debt
3 of May	To Service done as Horseman in Col. Thomas	Taylor's	
To	Regiment 60 days at $20/^2$ per day		£60.0.0
1 <sup>st</sup> of Augt.	To 29 days Service as footman at $10^{3}$ per day	,	14.10.0
1782			
Dec r	To 60 days Service as footman		
to	at 10/per day		30.0.0
May	To 36 Ditto as footman at 10/per day		18.0.0
4 <sup>th</sup> July	To 37 days Service as footman at 10/per day		18.10.0
To			
3 <sup>rd</sup> of Sept.	F	Former Currency	£141.0.0
_		in Sterling	£20.2.10 1/4

I do Certify the above Account to be Just & true

Certified by me S/ Thos Taylor Colo.

<sup>1</sup> The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) 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. 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> 20 shillings old South Carolina currency was the per diem pay rate for a mounted militia man providing is on horse and equipment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 10 shillings old South Carolina currency was the per diem pay rate for a militia man serving on foot.



## Camden District

Before me Timothy Rives Esquire personally appeared Arthur Howell who being duly Sworn deposeth that the above Account against the State of South Carolina is to the best of his knowledge is Just and true; and that he hath never received any Pay or other satisfaction of the State whatever

S/ Arthur Howell

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Sworn the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 178? Before me S/ Tim. Rives, JP

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Received the 9<sup>th</sup> of May 1785 full satisfaction for the within Account in an Indent No. 139 Lib. Q for £20.2.10 ¼ Sterling

S/ Arthur Howell