## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Benjamin King SC4612 Audited Account No. 4290

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## Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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[p 2] [No.] 1433 No. 87 [Book] Y 16 August 86 [1786] Benjamin King for Salary as Assistant to Assistant Deputy Commissary under William Valentine from 1<sup>st</sup> July 1777 to 1<sup>st</sup> July 1779 is 730 days at \$2 per day is 1460 Dollars at 4/8 is

£340.13.4
75.5.1
£265.8.3
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£265.7.2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

NB this Account not Certified

Ex<sup>d</sup>. J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General] Pass S/ ED

[p 3] No. 3944 BK X Ben King Vide order 1433 Y  $^2$ 

## [p 4]

Sir/ I have received Information that the Indents due to Mr. Benjamin King of the Town of Cambridge have not yet been drawn you will therefore be pleased to deliver the amount due to him of principal and Special to Samuel Saxon Esquire and oblige your most Humble Servant

<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> No. 3944 X Issued 12th October 1786 to Benjamin King for Eighty four pounds Sterling Subsistence due him in lieu of Curtailed Rations as Assistant Deputy Commissary as per account passed by the Commissioners
Principal £84.0.0 Annual Interest £5.17.7

1<sup>st</sup> February 1791

S/ Wm Smift [William Swift] only Executor of Benjamin King Deceased

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To Thos Nichols [sic Thomas Nicholls] Esq. Treasurer of So. Carolina

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I do Assign over the within Order to James Martin Esquire for the Within Purposes

S/ Samuel Saxon

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I know William Swift to be 1 of the Executors of the Estate of Benjamin King Deceased S/ Thomas Farrar Sheriff 96 District

Rec'd Columbia 4<sup>th</sup> of February 1791 from the Commissioner [of the] Treasury Two Indents No. 3944 book X & No. 1433 Book Y Three hund. & forty nine pounds 7/2 in full £349.7.2 S/ James Martin

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