## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to John Kitchen SC4714 Audited Account No. 4341

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## Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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[Methodology: Spelling, punctuation and/or grammar have been corrected in some instances for ease of reading and to facilitate searches of the database. Where the meaning is not compromised by adhering to the spelling, punctuation or grammar, no change has been made. Corrections or additional notes have been inserted within brackets or footnotes. Blanks appearing in the transcripts reflect blanks in the original. A bracketed question mark indicates that the word or words preceding it represent(s) a guess by me. The word 'illegible' or 'indecipherable' or 'undeciphered' appearing in brackets indicates that at the time I made the transcription, I was unable to decipher the word or phrase in question. Only materials pertinent to the military service of the veteran and to contemporary events have been transcribed. Affidavits that provide additional information on these events are included and genealogical information is abstracted, while standard, 'boilerplate' affidavits and attestations related solely to the application, and later nineteenth and twentieth century research requests for information have been omitted. I use speech recognition software to make all my transcriptions. Such software misinterprets my southern accent with unfortunate regularity and my poor proofreading skills fail to catch all misinterpretations. Also, dates or numbers which the software treats as numerals rather than words are not corrected: for example, the software transcribes "the eighth of June one thousand eighty six" as "the 8th of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention. Researchers should not rely solely on the transcripts but should review the originals for themselves. These transcripts are intended as an aid to research, not to be used in lieu thereof.]

[Note: It is possible that this is the same man as <u>John Kitchen S34949</u> but that veteran only claimed for service in the South Carolina line. The claim made by the veteran below was for services rendered after the fall of Charleston to the British on May 12, 1780 at which time the South Carolina Continental line was no longer embodied.]

[p 2]

[No. 512 Book R 11 June 1785]

Mr. John Kitchen his Account of Sundries for militia use in 1781

Charged [old South Carolina Currency] £100 Add more

Currency  $\frac{.10}{£100.10}$ 

Stg. [Sterling] £14.7.1 ½

N:B: a Mare charged £45 Currency or £6.8.6 ½ Sterling [remaining text is illegible as posted online]

[p 4: This document is extremely challenging to decipher. What follows is my best shot at it. I've left the spelling as it appears with bracketed translation, if I thought it necessary.] South Carolina Camden District} PerSonally a pear'd Before me John [illegible] after passing [illegible text] made oath that he had a mare prest by Catpin [Capt.] Sam [illegible text] for the use of the Publick in Cornal laizas [Col. Edward Lacey's?] Regment under the Command of Goneral Sumpter [Thomas Sumter]. Sworn before me this 11 June 1783

S/ Jas. Knox, JP

South Carolina Camden District PerSonaly a pear'd Be fore me John Kitchen and after Being Duely Swen mad oath that he never Received any SatisFaction for the Sam [same]. Swen Befere me this 11<sup>th</sup> June 1783

S/ Jas. Knox, JP

<sup>&</sup>lt;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.

South Carolina Camden District} PerSonaly a pear'd Before me John [?] and John morris Before Me James Knox being duely Sworn Saith on oath that they appraised a Certain Dun Colored mear the propty of John Kitchen a bove motioned to the Sum of £45 former Currcey Sworn Be fore Me this 11<sup>th</sup> June 1783

S/ Jas Knox, JP

[p 5]
Received 11 June 1786 full Satisfaction for the within amount Passed.

S/ Rich'd Winn [Richard Winn]



[p 6]

State of South Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to

John Kitchens [sic] under

Capt. Steel<sup>3</sup> in Col. Edward Lacey's

Regiment for 20 days in the  $\pounds$  S d Horse Service 20.00.00

70 days at Oringeburgh [Orangeburg]

at 10 s per day 10/ more 35.00

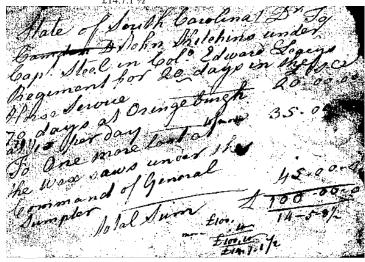
To One mare lost at

the Wax saws [Waxhaws] under the

Command of General

Sumpter  $\frac{45.00.00}{\text{Total Sum}}$   $\frac{14.5.8 \frac{1}{2}}{14.5.8 \frac{1}{2}}$ 

more £100 £100.10 £14.7.14



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This is the signature of Colonel Richard Winn

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Either Capt. John Steel of the Spartan Regiment or Capt Elijah Steele of the New Acquisition District Regiment, both of whom served at times under Col. Edward Lacey.

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 512 Book R for £7.18.7 which amount reflects the deduction of the value of the mare from the claim allowed.]

[p 8: Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Richard Winn]