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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Reuben Lively SC4949 Audited Account No. 4620A

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Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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South Carolina Ninety Six District} The State of South Carolina to Reuben Lively
To One Rifle Gun £150

The Subscribers made Oath that the above Appraisement is Just as they knew the said Gun, Sworn the 29th July 1779

before me

S/ Thos. Hamilton, JP

S/ Thomas Cofer S/ Hezekiah Posey²

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Reuben Lively made Oath that the above Mentioned Gun was Lost at the Battle on Savannah River in Georgia on ye 11th February 1779³ and that he never Received any Restitution for said Gun

S/ Reuben Lively, X his mark

Certified 11th December 1779

S/ Andrew Pickens Col:

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¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the Just take me to the search page 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.

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³ Probably a reference to the Battle of Kettle Creek February 14, 1779 https://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/790214-kettle-creek/