

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Barbara Criser² SC1691

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State of South Carolina Ninety Six District} Personally appeared Barbara Criser wadow
[widow], and Declared on her oath being duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God
Deposeth & saith, that on or about the 4th day of May last, She had a certain Bay horse taken her
Property, by one Gibson, supposing John Gibson, the said Gibson belonging to Colonel John
Winn's Regiment – Supposing the said Horse was Entered in the Publick Service of the Last
Expedition to East Floraday [Florida],³ under the Command of Colonel Winn & Colonel Beard
[Jonas Beard]. The said Horse was brought home & was returned the 2nd day of October Last,
being Gone in all, from her service, one Hundred & fifty Days, for which Service she never
received any Part of Payment, as yet & further Saith not

Sworn to before me

this 10th day of January 1779

S/ Michael Dickerd, JP

S/ Barbara Criser, X her mark

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AA) 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.

² Though the claim made by this claimant is not for military service, I have included it in this database because it provides information as to the timing of 1 of the Florida expeditions as well as naming some of the officers employed in that expedition.

³ Third Florida expedition: Spring 1778 [Robert Howe, Commanding Officer]
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