

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Jacob Buxton SC1073  
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 970

AA26

Transcribed by Will Graves

3/28/19

[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' 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 8<sup>th</sup> of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention.]

[p 2]

[No.] 3878

[Book] X

6 Oct. 86 [1786]

Mr. Jacob Buxton his Account of 337 Days Duty as Lieutenant of Foot in Militia

Amounting to

Stg. [Sterling] £84.5/

Pass

S/ E. L.

Certified per Colonel Garden [Benjamin Garden] & Colonel Harden [William Harden]

State of South Carolina To Lieutenant Jacob Buxton

Dr.

To 337 days duty done 35s [35 Shillings] per day

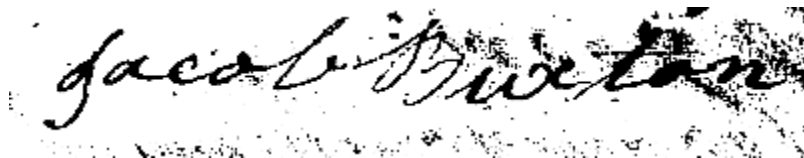
£589.15

as particularized by 11 different pay Bills [undeciphered text]

Stg. [Sterling] 84.5

I do Certify that the above Account is True

S/ Jacob Buxton Lt.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jacob Buxton". The ink is dark and the signature is somewhat faded and blurry, typical of a scan of an old document.

[p 3]

Received 6 October 1786 full Satisfaction for this account in Indent 3878 X

S/ Jacob Buxton

[Note: pages 4-26 of this file consists of documents relating to and supporting claims made by Jacob Buxton for provisions provided the militia and the Continental Army during the Revolution. I've abstracted the receipts which provide information as to location of troops at specific times]

---

<sup>1</sup> 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.

[p 11: Receipt dated July 7, 1778 for supplies for the use of “a detachment under Captain James Thomson commanded by the said Lieutenant Jacob Buxton in camp on King Creek.”]

[p 12]

I do hereby Certify that the within Articles were taken and appraised for use of Colonel Bulls Regiment under my Command doing duty on Savannah River [no date]

S/ John L. Bourquin, Major

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John L. Bourquin". The ink is dark and the handwriting is somewhat stylized, typical of the late 18th century.

[p 13]

1779 April [a illegible] Impressed and Received of Jacob Buxton one Steer adjudged to weigh 320 pounds for the use of the Public for a Detachment under my command at Matthews Bluff being a detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

1787 December 23<sup>rd</sup> Impressed & received from Charity Buxton for the use of the Public one Hog adjudged to 120 pounds for a Detachment on duty under my Command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

[p 14]

1787 December 28<sup>th</sup> Impressed & received of Jacob Buxton for the use of the Public 26 Bushels of Potatoes ½ bushel of Corn flower for a Detachment on duty under my command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

1779 May 20<sup>th</sup> Impressed & Received of Jacob Buxton for the use of the Public 1 Steer 325 pounds for a Detachment under my Command being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

[p 15]

1778 December 29 Impressed & Received of Charity Buxton for the use of the public one Hog adjudged to weigh 100 pounds for a detachment on duty under my Command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

1779 June 9<sup>th</sup> Impressed & received of Jacob Buxton for the use of the Public 94 pounds of Neat Pork for a Detachment on Duty under my Command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson’s Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment  
Received per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

1779 February [date illegible] Impressed & received of Benjamin Buxton for the use of the Public one Hog Adjudged to weigh 110 pounds for a Detachment on duty under my Command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thomson's Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment Received per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

1780 December 18<sup>th</sup> Impressed in Received of Jacob Buxton for the use of the Public one hog Judged to weigh 100 pounds for a Detachment of on Duty under my Command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thompson's Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

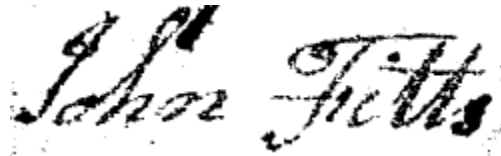
[p 16]

1779 February 21 Impressed and Received of Benjamin Buxton 62 pounds of salt Pork 4/2 Bushels of Potatoes 1 Bushel of Corn flower & 3 Pints of Salt for a Detachment on duty under my command at Matthews Bluff being a Detachment of Captain James Thompson's Company of Colonel Bulls Regiment per me

S/ Jacob Buxton, Lieutenant

[p 18]

We the Subscribers being 1<sup>st</sup> duly sworn have appraised a 2-year-old Heifer from Jacob Buxton at 80 pounds Currency for a part of Captain William Barkley's Company on guard Duty at Sandy Wash on Savannah River commanded & pressed by me John Fritts Lieutenant the 13<sup>th</sup> of June 1779

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John Fritts". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.

[p 21: appraisal dated September 7, 1779 for provisions provided to a detachment commanded by Lieutenant Buxton from Captain James Thompson's Company Colonel Garden's Regiment then stationed at Pipe Creek.]