

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Benjamin Clark SC1352
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1256

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[Note: Although to my amateur's eye the signature of this claimant appears very similar to that of **Benjamin Clark S3155**, I have treated them as different claimants. Primarily, I have based this approach on the fact that the services claimed by the respective veterans appears to me to be too diverse to apply to the same man. If anyone has proof otherwise, please let me know.]

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[No.] 1382

[No.] 75

[Book] X

Benjamin Clark for 92 days Militia Duty as Adjutant & 275 days as Private horseman
Amounting £78.14.3 ¼ Stg. [Sterling]

N. B. See Remark within

Ex^d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

J. M^c. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina

Dr.

To Benjamin Clark

To 92 Days Duty as Adjutant under
the Command of Colonel Anderson at £3 per day

276

To 275 Days as a private on Horse

Back at 20/ [20 Shillings] per day

275

£551

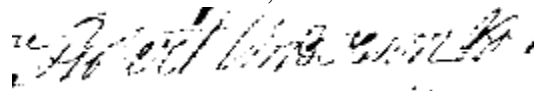
£78.14.3 ¼ Stg.

Benjamin Clark made oath that the above Account is Just

Sworn the 2nd of June 1783

Before me S/ Robert Anderson, JP

S/ Benjamin Clark



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*Benjamin
Clark*

I do Certify that the Above Duty was Done
per

S/ Robert Anderson, Colo.

*I do Certify that the Above Duty was Done
Done by Robert Anderson Colo.*

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State of South Carolina Ninety Six District} I do hereby Authorize & empower Mr. Thomas Goff to Draw & Receive from the Treasury all the Indents that may be due & coming to me for my services to the public, the Accounts Returned by Colonel Anderson into the Auditor's Office for which I have received value, Given under my hand this 5th day of January 1785

S/ Benjamin Clark

Benjamin Clark

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I do hereby endorse the within Order to Colonel Leroy Hammond

S/ Thomas Goff, X his mark

[p 8: Printed form of Indent No. 1382 Book X dated January 25, 1786 and issued to Benjamin Clark in the amount of £78.14.3 ¼.]