Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Alcorn (Allcorn) AA16 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 60

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Widow Alcorn on Acct. of her husband

June 22nd 17?? State of South Carolina

Dr to James Allcorn

[listing of provisions provided omitted]

June 20th 1785 To 60 Days as horseman Under

Capt. Robt Thomson in General Sumter's

Brigade @ 20/ per day £60

£62.8 Less 1.2

£61.5.11 £8.1?

[South Carolina] Currency

S/ Robt Thomson Capt. [Robert Thomson]

[this file also contains documents relating to provisions provided by the above named James Alcorn and claimed by his widow Catherine Alcorn, Administratrix, who signed with her mark.]

[p 9] February 10th 1779

This is to Certify that the above Alcorn delivered the above flower [flour] to Brigadier General Williamson at Camp Neigh Augusta.² Certified by me

S/ Samuel Watson Colo.

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¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/. The "SC" file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

² In the description of the provisions provided by James Alcorn it is stated that the 1,600 lbs of wheat flour was "for the use of the Army on the Briar Creek Expedition." A battle was fought at Briar Creek on March 3, 1779. http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/790304-briar-creek/