

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to John Alston [Allston] SC168  
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 91

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[Note: This file contains documents relating to more than one veteran by this name. Use the page number of the file to identify the specific veteran to whom I believe the document relates. It is not always clear, however, which documents relate to specific veterans, so use my attribution with care.]

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No. 503, Book J [?] No. 40

Mr. John Alston his Account for 34 days Militia Duty in 1781 amounting to Stg [Sterling]  
£4.17.1 ½

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State of South Carolina

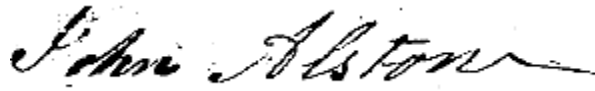
	To John Alston	Dr.	
In May 1781 }	12 Days Horsemen's Duty done in		
	Colo. Taylor's <sup>2</sup> Regiment in Capt. Fraziers <sup>3</sup>		
	Company at 20/		£12
In June & July }			
1781 }	22 Days a Horseman in Do at 20/		<u>22</u>
		Total	£34
		Stg	£4.17.1 ½

Camden District } Appeared John Alston and made Oath that the above Account is Just & true  
Sworn to and Assigned

Before me April 24<sup>th</sup> 1784

S/ James Craig, JP

S/ John Alston



<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Thomas Taylor

<sup>3</sup> Jacob Frazer a/k/a Jacob Fraser

I do Certify the above Account to be Just and true for the Duty therein Mentioned  
S/ H. Hunter Colo. [???] <sup>4</sup>

*certified*  
*H. Hunter Colo.*

I certify to John Alston  
serving as Horseman as above  
S/ Gilbt Johnstone [Gilbert Johnston or Gilbert Johnstone, a/k/a Gilbert Johnson]  
Capt. P.[?] L. H.[?]

*Gilb. Johnstone*  
*Capt. P. L. H.*

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<sup>4</sup> I'm having difficulty identifying this officer. The only 'likely' candidate I could find in Bobby Moss' SC Patriots book was John Hunter, a Lt. Col. in the Little River Regiment under Col. Thomas Taylor but the signature doesn't look to me to lend itself to "John" or an initial "J".