

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Anderson SC192
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No. [illegible]

No. 3341

Lib X [?]

29th June 1786

Jno. Anderson, Dec'd, For Militia Duty in Roebuck's [Benjamin Roebuck's] Regiment, before and since the fall of Charlestown [Charleston, SC, fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Anderson's [Col. Robert Anderson's] Return Amounting to

[old SC] Currency

£186.11

Sterling

£26.12. 10 ¼

To the Commissioners of the Treasury of the State of South Carolina

Please to deliver Captain John [surname illegible] the Indents for the amount of the within mentioned sum against the public of said State – it being my Just right as the widow of John Anderson [balance of certificate illegible]

Baylis Earle, JP

S/ Sarah Anderson, X her mark

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives now met and sitting in General Assembly in the State of South Carolina the petition of Sarah Anderson humbly shows you that she lost in the last Revolutionary war her husband, John Anderson and two sons who were true friends to their Country and that Immediately after the war the said Sarah was put on the pension list in this state and drew it yearly until necessity compelled me to follow my children from the state as nearly all of them was about to leave it now the prayer of your petitioner is that you will give unto me all the money I should have been entitled to draw as a pensioner had I not left the state ,

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also Grant That I shall be put on the pension list again and draw it as usual while time lasts with me and I your poor old handmaid will ever feel myself in duty bound to pray &c

S/ Sarah Anderson

A Widdow

[reverse]

1807

Affidavit respecting the services of S. Anderson [sic]

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Kentucky Livingston County

Personally appeared Before us John Mercer & William Mitchersson Justices for the said County Vincent Anderson, John Holland & John Anderson and John Chapman and saith upon oath that Sarah Anderson(Relict, of John Anderson who was killed in the Revolutionary war) is now surviving who is not possessed of Land or Negroes.

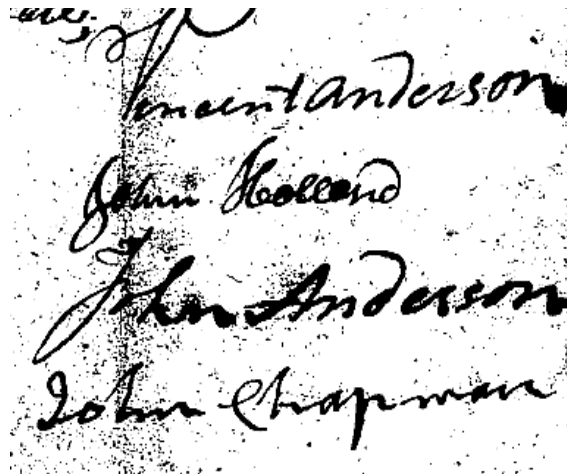
The above Sarah Anderson is the same who had her husband killed in the Service of the State of South Carolina & has drawn a pension from that State.

Sworn & subscribed before us

this 11th day of August 1807

S/ J Mercer, JP

S/ Wm Mitchersson, JP



Handwritten signatures of the Justices and the affiant:

- Vincent Anderson
- John Holland
- John Anderson
- John Chapman