

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Edward Armstrong SC226 AA10

Audited Account Microfilm file No. 148

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2722 No. 112

X 10<sup>th</sup> May 86 [1786]

Edward Armstrong

For Militia Duty in Brandon's [Thomas Brandon's] Regiment before, and Since the fall of Charleston [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] per Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency	£415.0.0
Sterling	£59.5.8 ½

Received 10 May 1786 for Satisfaction for the within in and Indent No. 2722, X  
S/ Edward Denney



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Z 219 75 26 Mar. 87[ 1787]

Est. Estate of Edward Armstrong for a Horse lost in Public Service in 1780

Amt.	£21.8.6 ¾ Stg [Sterling]
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[p 6: Form of an indent in Book A No. 156 issued July 27, 1802 to Edward Armstrong "for the Sum of Eighty pounds fourteen shillings and three pence farthing, in lieu of two Indents Number 2722, and Number 219 said to have been lost; issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature passed the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1801."]

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<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.

Edward Armstrong his account of a Blanket and Body Cloathes lost in the Battle of Blackstock's & charged

[old South Carolina] Currency	£30.00
Sterling	£4.5.8 ½

Rejected

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State South Carolina

Dr [deliver] to Edward Armstrong for a saddle and Bridal and blanket and Body Close [sic] lost on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 1780 at Colonel Brandon's Defait [Brandon's Defeat]<sup>2</sup> and at Blackstock's Battle [November 20, 1780]<sup>3</sup> his Close and Blanket the whole is worth the sum of £30.0.0

Personally came before me Sarah Armstrong and made oath as the Law directs and saith the above articles was lost and that the above account of thirty pounds is not more than the [they] was worth but that this above account is Just and true sworn to and subscribed to the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July 1783

S/ Sarah Armstrong, X her mark

S/ Thos. Brandon, JP

I do Certify that said Edward Armstrong was at both the plasis [places] and I believe he lost his saddle and close.

S/ Thos. Brandon, Colo.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Thos Brandon 1783". The ink is dark and the handwriting is somewhat slanted.

[Note: I believe the above document is entirely in the handwriting of Colonel Thomas Brandon]

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<sup>2</sup> Sic, July 12, 1780: [http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\\_brandons\\_camp.html](http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_brandons_camp.html)

<sup>3</sup> [http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\\_battle\\_of\\_blackstocks.html](http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_battle_of_blackstocks.html)