

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Samuel Dickson (Dixon) SC2322 AA9
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State of South Carolina

To Samuel Dickson

Dr.

1792

May

To a Horse lost in the State's Service during the late War when said Dickson his owner, having been ordered with about 40 other horsemen commanded by Colonel William Sanders of Round O to Escort General B. Lincoln [Benjamin Lincoln] from his encampment at Somers's Plantation in St. Paul's Parish to Charleston the British Army commanded by General Provost [Augustine Prevost] then lying near Stono Ferry – A Certificate of the Above signed by Colonel William Sanders & sworn to before the late John Logan Esquire of Round O, has already been left with the former Auditor James McCall Esquire

£10.17.6

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So. Carolina

This is to certify that Samuel Dickson having resided for a considerable time during the late war in Chuhaw [Cheraw?] District was particularly known to his Officers and others for his cheerful & ready Services to the State as far as in his power whenever called upon & also that the within Account is a true, Just, & very reasonable one –
Chas. Ton District [Charleston District]

Personally appeared before me the Subscriber (Darius Dalton) who made Oath that the within Mentioned Horse is consciously [sic] worth Ten Guineas at the Time was he now in existence –

Sworn to this 29th Day of May

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1792 before S/ Samuel Elliott, JP

Samuel Dickson made Oath that the within mentioned Horse was positively Lost in the Service of the State as his Account specifies.

Sworn to this 29th day of May

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State of South Carolina

1779 – To Samuel Dickson

To a Horse lost within Charleston lines, being there on Actual

Service, road in and Escort to the Honorable General Lincoln

Dr.

£ S d

54.0

Stg. [Sterling]

I do hereby Certify that Samuel Dickson being one of my Detachment on the Escort to General Lincoln lost his horse as above

S/ Wm Sanders Lt. Coll.

writes a much better hand.

I have since compared his writing

and believe it to be his

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Personally appeared before me Samuel Dixon [sic] & made Oath that the above Account is Just & true, & that he has never received any Part thereof –

Sworn before me the 7 August 1784

S/ John Logan

Received 27th of September 1785

The amount has been altered [undeciphered word or abbreviation] plainly appears from £21: to £54.15

-- difference £33

For such Actions, nothing should be allowed

No appraisement appears for the Horse