

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Doby SC2380 Elizabeth Doby AA11
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[Note: There are no documents in this file documenting the nature or extent of the services of John Doby.]

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South Carolina Lancaster County }

To the Honorable speaker and Gentlemen of the house of Representatives

The petition of Elizabeth Doby humbly Sheweth

That she is the Relic of John Doby² deceased who was killed in defense of his Country in the late American war, and that your petitioner is entitled to an annuity from the State under a resolve of this house making provision for the widows of those men who died in the service of their Country during the late war, and that a part of the said annuities have been paid to your petitioner and the Treasurer have refused to make some payments that are now due to your petitioner.

Therefore your petitioner prays that her case may be taken into consideration, and have such relief granted her as to your Honorable house may seem proper.

And your petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray

November 24, 1796

S/ Elizabeth Doby

[Note: Documents in this file indicate that the widow's claim was rejected. The reason for such rejection is not stated.]

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AA) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The "SC" file number shown on this transcript has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

² Although this file does not contain any statement as to the services of this veteran, JD Lewis states that he was killed at the battle of Eutaw Springs. See https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_privates_d.htm JD gives no reference to the source of this information. https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_battle_of_eutaw_springs.html