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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Benjamin Ellis SC2604
Audited Account No. 2210

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20th June 1785

Benjamin Ellis, for 138 days as Sergeant of Foot & Horse in 1781 and 1782

Charged £16.7.6

add more 3.2 ½

£16.10.8 ½ [Sterling]

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina Ditto to Benjamin Ellis –
Deceased

1781 to 59 Days Duty Done on the Expedition against
Orangeburg under Command of General Sumter [Thomas Sumter]
as Sergeant of a horse Company at 22/6 [22 shillings £0.06 old SC currency]
per day £66.7.6

1782 to 59 Days Duty Done at Orangeburg
under Command of Major Wallis [John Wallace] as Sergeant at 12/6 35.15.0

Ditto 20 Days Duty done in the Regiment
at Stomes[?]² as Sergeant of prater [?]³ at 12/6 12.10.0

¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) 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. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

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Stomes

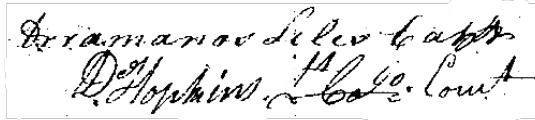
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prater Role

£114.12.6
£16.7.6 Stg.

I do hereby Certify the above
Account is Just and True
14th of February 1784
Certified by me

S/ Arramanos Liles Capt.
S/ Dd. Hopkins [David Hopkins] Lt. Col. Comt.

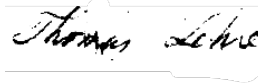


59 days £66.7.6
59 do 36.1.6
20 12. [illegible]
138 days £115 [illegible]

£16.10.8 ½ Stg.

Received the 20th of June 1785 full Satisfaction for the
Above in an Indent No. 533 – S per order

S/ Thomas Lehre



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South Carolina Camden District } Personally appeared before me Ann Ellis and made oath to the
Best of her Knowledge that her Deceased husband Did the within Mentioned Duty and that the
Public stands Justly indebted to her the within mentioned Sum of one hundred and fourteen
Pounds twelve Shillings and six pence and that she never received any part thereof
Sworn to before me this 18th Day of August 1784

NB. This account is former currency S/ Amos Davis, JP

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Gentlemen Broad River August the 19th 1785
Deliver Mr. Thomas Lehre such Indent or Indents as May appear to be due to me from the state
of South Carolina. Or from the United States and this shall be your sufficient Receipt for the
same.

Witness S/ David Hopkins, JP

S/ Ann Ellis, X her mark
widow of Benjamin Ellis deceased

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

[p 7: Printed form of indent No. 533 Book S]

[pp 8 & 9: Reverse and retake of the above Indent]