

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to John Glasgow SC3163  
Audited Account No. 2886

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[Book] O [No.] 446	No. 28	22 April 85 [1785]	
Mr. John Glasgow his Account of Militia Duty per Captain Joseph Calhoun's Pay Bill commencing in 1780 & ending in 1783 as Private say			
On horse 124 Days at 20/ [20 shillings old SC currency per day]			£124
On Foot 41 Days at 10/			20.10
Also for Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's]			
Return [not extant]			<u>20</u>
		[old SC] Currency	£164.10
		Stg. [Sterling]	£23.10

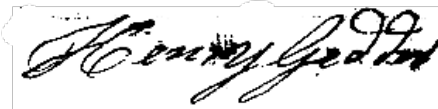
Ex<sup>d</sup>. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

J. M<sup>c</sup>. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

[p 3: Repeat of the above information in a different format]

Received the 22<sup>nd</sup> of April 1785 from the Commissioners of the Treasury an Indent No. 446 Lib. 0 for £23.10 in full Satisfaction for this Account By virtue of an order

S/ Henry Geddes



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I do hereby Authorize and empower Henry Geddes of Charleston to draw & receive for my use an indent with the Interest due thereon being monies due me for Services to the Public of this State agreeable to Returns made by Colonel Robert Anderson into the Auditor's Office

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

Given under my hand this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1785  
S/ John Glasgow



State of South Carolina  
Ninety Six District } SS

I do hereby certify that John Glasgow signed and acknowledged the above order in my presence  
S/ Patrick Calhoun, JP

446 N [sic, O]

[p 5: Printed form of Indent No. 446 Book O]

[p 6 & 8 (retake): Reverse of the above Indent bearing endorsements by Henry Geddes & John Glasgow]

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[No.] 485 [Book] S

Mr. John Glasgo [sic] his account of Militia duty as private since the reduction of Charles Town  
[Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency	£25.0.0
Sterling	£3.11.5

Ex<sup>d</sup>. T. W. [Examined by T. W. [identity unknown]]

J. M<sup>c</sup>. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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State of South Carolina To John Glasgo

Duty per Colonel Anderson's return

	Dr.
Currency	<u>£25</u>
Stg.	£3.11.5

Received 25 June 1788, a Treasury Indent No. 485 Book S, being the Amount of this Account  
S/ John Glasgow



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The petition of John Glasgow praying for a pension

S/ E. S. Davis

Pensions

Report in favor

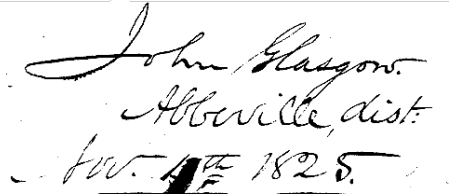
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To the Hon: Speaker & Members of the House of Representatives of South Carolina

Your Petitioner begs leave to state, that he enlisted as a soldier at an early and critical period of the Revolution as the subjoined certificate will show, and continued in the service until the close of that Memorable Struggle. He was variously engaged in defense of the rights of his County [sic], And on one occasion his horse was killed under him when he received a wound in the hip. Poverty & infirmity have now united their forces against your petitioner from which he apprehends more annoyance than he ever dreaded from the Combined assaults of the Indians & Tories, and without aid from the state he will be compelled to strike his colours and Capitulate with the Offices of the Poor House. But this will be humiliating to the feelings of an old soldier, who would rather receive a small pittance from the State by way of national gratitude. Overtaken by old age (82 years) your petitioner has nothing left but the consolation that he [paper damaged and text missing] die in the country for whose independence he fought & bled, & conquered, and whose proud banners he assisted in unfurling, Yes the Star Spangled banner:

Long may it wave,  
Over the land of the free,  
And home of the brave.

S/ John Glasgow  
Abbeville district  
Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> 1825



John Glasgow.  
Abbeville, dist.  
Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> 1825.

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I do hereby Certify that the bearer John Glasgow enlisted in my company in the 5<sup>th</sup> regiment of this State commanded by Colonel Isaac Huger early in the year 1776, and served during the time for which he enlisted, as a faithful & good soldier, and throughout the Revolutionary war continued a true friend to his Country. He is now four score years old, frail, and in want of assistance

October 29, 1825

S/ John Bowie<sup>2</sup>



John Bowie

[Note: The balance of the documents in the file relate to administrative matters resulting in the approval of a pension for the veteran by the South Carolina Senate and House of Representatives.]

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<sup>2</sup> [John Bowie SC12](#)