

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Alexander Hemphill SC3782
Audited Account No. 3515

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[Note: Even though this claim does not include a claim for military services, it is likely that the claimant participated in the battle at Briar Creek on March 3, 1779.² Since the South Carolina state government was still functioning at the time of that engagement, it is likely he received whatever pay he was entitled to for his service at that time.]

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[No.] 1751

[Book] X

Mr. Alexander Hemphill his Account of Sundries for Militia use being a Balance of £8.11.5
Vide Book R No. 496

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No. 93

Alexander Hemphill for a Gun, Saddle, Bag, & Blanket, lost at the defeat at Bryer Creek [sic] in
March 1779

Amount Stg [Sterling] £4.4

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

NB. no allowance for such articles lost

Rejected

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State of South Carolina Dr. [debtor]

£ S D

March

the 3rd, 1779 To Alexander Hemphill for capital losses

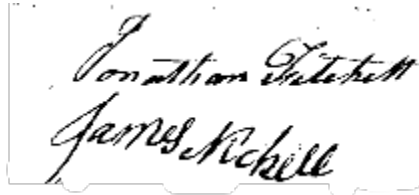
¹ The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian 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.

² Briar Creek March 3, 1779 <http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/790304-briar-creek/>

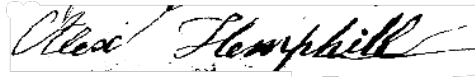
Sustained at Bryer Creek Defeat	
to one Gun Praised [Appraised] to 15 Shillings Sterling	00.15.0
to one Saddle Appraised to two Pounds 5 s	2.05.0
to A Bag & Blanket to one Pound 4	<u>1.04.0</u>
Total in Sterling	4.4.0

The above Articles Appraised By us the subscribers Being Duly Sworn – before whom?
no certificate

S/ Jonathan Fitchell
S/ James Nickell



South Carolina Camden District } This Day Alexander Hemphill came before me and made oath
that the above account is Just as it Stands Stated and that he Never Received any part thereof
S/ Samuel Watson, JP Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th [undeciphered]³ 1784
S/ Alexander Hemphill



Colonel Watson to Return the old Account 27 September 1785

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the within account approved of by
S/ W. Bratton Colo. [William Bratton Colonel]

