

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Samuel Houston SC4035  
Audited Account No. 3788

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[Note: This man MAY be the same man as [Samuel Houston W7810](#) but the signatures don't appear to my admittedly untrained eye to be the same and most of the service claimed and awarded in the SC Audited Account does not match the services described by Samuel Houston W7810 in his federal pension application. Consequently, I've elected to post this as a separate claim.]

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[No. 612 Book O May 2, 1785]

Mr. Samuel Houston his Account of Militia Duty & from 1780 to 1783 Amounting to viz. as  
Private

on Foot 61 days at 10/ [10 shillings old S C Currency per day]	£30.10
on Horse & Foot	195.0.0
Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return beside	87.0.0
5 Days Wagon Hire at £4	20.0.0
50 [illegible]	<u>2.10.0</u>
	Currency <u>£335</u>
	Stg. [Sterling] £47.17.1 ½

Ex<sup>d</sup>. [Illegible]

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

Received June the 11<sup>th</sup>, 1785 full Amount of the within Account in a Treasury Indent No. 672  
Book O [sic] by Virtue of an Order

S/ Henry [illegible]



<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.

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State So Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to Samuel Houston

for Militia Duty as Private per Pay Bills of

Capt. Wm Freeman [William Freeman]<sup>2</sup> and Capt. Jno. Calhoun [John Calhoun]<sup>3</sup>

commencing in Feby 1780 and ending in April 1783

per Capt. Freeman's Foot 61 Days at 10/ £30.10

per Capt. Calhoun's on Horse 180 days at 20/ 180

on Foot 30 Days at 10/ 15

195 195

Duty per Col. Anderson's return [illegible]

Waggon Hire [illegible]

pr. Accts.

annex'd [illegible] in 1782

2.10 22.10

Currency £335

Stg. £47.17.1 1/2

I do hereby Authorize and empower Mr. Henry [illegible] and Receive for my Use an Indent with the Interest due thereon; due to me for Services done to the Public of this State – Agreeable to Returns made by Colonel Robert Anderson into the Auditor's Office – Given under my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> of May 1785

S/ Samuel Houston



State of South Carolina

Ninety Six District I do hereby certify that Samuel Houston signed and Acknowledged the above Order before me; date as above

S/ Andrew Hamilton, JP

[p 5: Note: Another coversheet for an indent the top of which is illegible. This Indent, however, appears in Book R No. 492 dated 10 June 1785 issued to Samuel Huston [sic] for £2.10. ] for Militia Duty in 1781 & 1782

Amounting to £28.15.3 1/4

only 35 days Duty is Certified of the above amounting to 17.10/ Currency £2.10 Stg.

Ex<sup>d</sup>. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]

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

There is a Certificate for 35 days

110

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the remainder of duty was Certified [remainder of note is illegible]

[Illegible statement of the veteran's services]

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110 days Duty in Captain McClure's [John McClure's] Company under my Command

<sup>2</sup> William Freeman was a Captain in the Upper Ninety Six District Regiment from 1778 through 1781

<sup>3</sup> Joseph Calhoun was a Captain in the Upper Ninety Six District Regiment from 1779 through 1783

22<sup>nd</sup> Mar. 1787

S/ Edwd Lacey Colo.

The day of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Mar 1787  
 under my Commission  
 Edwd Lacey Colo.

Received 10 June 1785, full satisfaction for the within Account passed in the Indent No. 492 R £2.10/

S/ James Houston

James Houston

Columbia 2 October 1790 from Commissioners and Indent No. 456 Book Z for 6 pounds 4/3 in balance of this account per Order £6.4.3

S/ John Henry

John Henry

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I Do hereby Certify that Samuel Hughston [sic] Served one tour of militia Duty to Puryburg [Purrysburg] Under Command of Captain Major Joseph Brown in part of Colonel Wynn's Regiment as returned in my Company pay Bill which I believe is as yet Unpaid Certified for this 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 1786 per

S/ Hugh Whiteside Cap.

N. B. The above Duty was Done from December 7, 1778, until January Ensuing

Certified per

S/ Jo Brown Maj.<sup>r</sup>

I Do hereby Certify that Samuel Hughston  
 served one tour of militia duty to Puryburg under  
 Command of Major Joseph Brown in part of Col.  
 Wynn's Regiment as returned in my Company  
 pay Bill which I believe is as yet Unpaid  
 Certified for this 3<sup>rd</sup> of Oct. 1786 per  
 H. B. The above Duty was Done from  
 Dec 7, 1778, until January 1786  
 Ensuing  
 Certified per  
 Jo Brown Maj.<sup>r</sup>

I do Hereby Certify that the above mentioned Samuel Hughston [sic] Served One Hundred and ten Days (as a Horsemen) in my Company in Colonel Lacey's Regiment under the Command of General Sumter in the year 1780 and that I Returned said Duty for the like Number of Days in my pay Bill to Capt. Tate Commissioner of Public Accounts Certified this 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1786 by me

S/ Hugh Knox } Capt.

Saml Huston's Acct'  
[illegible]

I do hereby Certify that the above mentioned Samuel Hughston Served One Hundred and ten Days (as a Horseman) in my Company in Col. Lacey's Regt. Under the Command of General Sumter in the year 1780 and that I Returned said Duty for the like Number of Days in my paybill to Capt. Tate Commissioner of Public Accounts Certified this 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. 1786 by me  
S/ Hugh Knox } Capt.

I do hereby empower James Houston to draw an Indent for the Amount of my Account against the Public of South Carolina whose Receipt shall be a sufficient discharge from

Gent: Your Very Humble Servant

May 12, 1786

S/ Saml Hou

To the treasurers of South Carolina

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I do hereby Certify that Samuel Huston [sic] Did Serve as A foot Soldier Under My Command in Colonel Lacey's Regiment 35 days at 10/per Day which is £17.10.0

Comm'd 11<sup>th</sup> feb 1782

Ending 10<sup>th</sup> March Do

Certified by Me

S/ James Ramsey Cath.

I do hereby Certify that the above Saml Huston did Serve in my Regiment from 21 September 1780 till 9 October 1780

Certified by me

Sworn this 4<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1786

S/ Jos Brown

Assign'd by

S/ Edwd Lacey Colo.

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September 17, 1786

Received from Samuel Huston one hundred weight of flower at General Pickens Blockhouse you will be pleased to give him half a bushel of salt by order of General Pickens

S/ Matthew Finlay Lut.

To Major Perdieu 100lbs flower

dr. by 1/2 Bushell Salt [undeciphered]