

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to James Johnston SC4371
Audited Account No. 4068

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[Book] W

[No.] 521

[25 April 1785]

Mr. James Johnston his account of Militia duty as private before & since the reduction of Charles-town [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £565.0.0

also a Horse lost 100.0.0

£665.0.0

Stg. [Sterling] ~~£95.0.0~~

NB: certificate nor appraisal for the above Horse

Eighty Pounds fourteen shill 3d ¼

Ex^d. T. W. [Examined by T. W. [identity unknown]]

J. M^c. A.G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

Passed S/ ED

Rec'd 25th August 1785, full Satisfaction for the Within, and in an Indent No. 521 – W by an Order

S/ John Speake



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State of South Carolina

To James Johnston

Dr.

Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant] Currency

£565.0.0

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100.0.0
£665.0.0

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The State of South Carolina

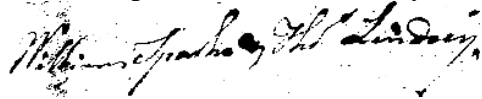
To James Johnston

Dr.

To 1 Horse lost at Sumpter's Defeat [Thomas Sumter's defeat at Fishing Creek, August 18, 1780]

William Sparhe & Thos. Lindsey on Oath To the Amount of

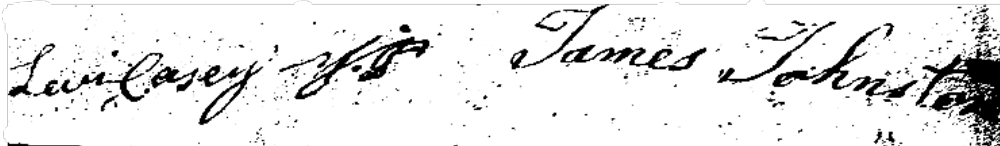
£100



Personally Came and appeared before me one of the Justices Appointed to keep the Peace James Johnston and being duly sworn declares on oath that he hath not received the said Horse or any Consideration for the same. Sworn before me 7th day of June 1783

S/ Levi Casey, JP

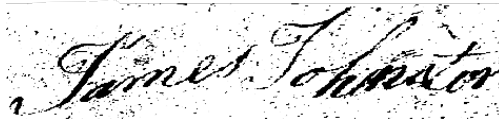
S/ James Johnston



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Gentlemen Please to Deliver my Indent with The Interest unto Mr. John Speake and this shall be your Receipt from your friend and Humble Servant

S/ James Johnston



November ye 19th 1785

to Mr. Edward Blake

and Peter Boqueat } Commissioners of the Treasury

[p 37: Printed form of Indent No. 521 Book W in the amount of £80.14.3 made payable to Mr. James Johnston for militia duty.]