

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Matthew Patton SC4569  
Audited Account No. 5752

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[Book] R [No.] 609 16 June 85 [1785]

Estate of Mr. Matthew Patton his Account of Sundries for Militia use in 1780 & 1781  
Amounting to £44.10 Stg. [Sterling]

N: B: a Saddle, &c charged £13 Currency or £1.17.1 ½ Stg included in said Amount is not Certified.

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

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

State of So. Carolina to Rebekah Patton Widow of Matthew Patton deceased 1780 Dr.

June 10	To 126 days horseman's Service as Lieut. in Capt. Walker's <sup>2</sup> Company at 45/per day	£ S D 283.10.0
August 18	To a Saddle & Saddlebags lost at the Surprize aprest [appraised] <sup>3</sup> to	13.0.0
1781		
May 7	To 320 wt of Fresh beef	<u>15.0.0</u> <u>£311.10.0</u> 40.10

<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.

<sup>2</sup> There were three captains with the surname "Walker" at the Battle of Fishing Creek, to wit: John Walker (Spartan Regiment), Philip Walker (Camden District Regiment) and Samuel Walker (Fairfield Regiment). [https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot\\_military\\_sc\\_captains.htm](https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_military_sc_captains.htm) It is not possible to determine which of these officers the veteran served under as there are insufficient details of his service in the file.

<sup>3</sup> Sumter's Surprise or the Battle of Fishing Creek, August 18, 1780  
[https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution\\_battle\\_of\\_fishing\\_creek.html](https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_battle_of_fishing_creek.html)

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Received the 16<sup>th</sup> June 1785 full Satisfaction for the within Account in Indent No. 609 Book R in Virtue of an Order filed No. 36, Book Y

S/ Robt. Patton [Robert Patton]



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[Book] W [No.] 642 29 August 1785

Estate of Mathew Patton his account of a Mare lost in Public service 5 May 1779  
charged at £3.11.5 Stg.

“no receipt for the delivery”

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

Pass S/ EL [Edward Lightwood]

South Carolina

Camden District} Personally appeared John Harrison & John Walker & being duly sworn have appraised a Saddle & Saddle Bags the property of Mathew Patton lost in the public service under the Command of General Sumter to 13 Pounds. Sworn before me this 10<sup>th</sup> June 1783

S/ Jas. Knox, JP

Likewise appeared John [undeciphered surname]<sup>4</sup> and being duly sworn saith the above Saddle & Saddle Bags were lost in the public Service, and not by his neglect  
Sworn before me this 10<sup>th</sup> of June 1783

S/ Jas. Knox, JP

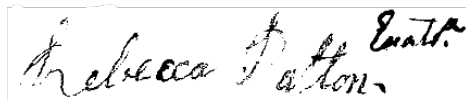
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Gentlemen

Please to Deliver to Mr. Hugh White all such Indent or Indents as shall appear due to the Estate of Mathew Patton Deceased from the State of So. Carolina or from the United States and his Receipt shall be your Sufficient Discharge for the same.

From your Humble Servant

S/ Rebecca Patton Executrix



Acknowledged this 12<sup>th</sup> of September 1785 Before me  
S/ John McClanahan, JP

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<sup>4</sup> John Hummery