

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Benjamin Kilgore SC4591  
Audited Account No. 4270

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No. 524

Lib. [Book] X 29<sup>th</sup> August 1785

Benjamin Kilgore, for 90 days as Col. in Militia from 28<sup>th</sup> September 1781 to 27 December following at £6 per day; one 3 year old Stear furnished Militia 20<sup>th</sup> November 1781, and 550 lbs.

Pork at £5 per Ct. 12<sup>th</sup> March 1783 Amounting in the whole to

[old South Carolina] Cy. [Currency] £580

Stg. [Sterling] £82.17.1 ½

“Not Certified”

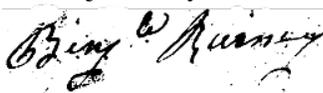
Ex<sup>d</sup>. J. M<sup>c</sup>. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

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Rec'd 29<sup>th</sup> August 1785, full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 524 X per Order

S/ Benj. Rainey

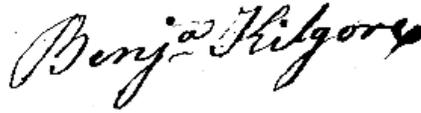


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A Pay Bill for Colonel Benjamin Kilgore Whilst he did Duty over the Regiment formally Commanded by Colonel James Williams in General Pickens [Andrew Pickens] Brigade Colonel Benjamin Kilgore from the 28 day of September 1781 until the 27 December is 90 Days at 6 pounds per day is £540.0.0  
South Carolina

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Ninety Six District } The above account of £540.0.0 Due from the Publick of South Carolina to  
Colonel Benjamin Kilgore was attested before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1784  
S/ Robert Hanna, JP S/ Benj. Kilgore



This day Colonel Benjamin Kilgore Made oath before me Robert Hanna one of the States  
Justices Appointed for said District that he furnished out of his own stock the above beef Steer  
for the Use of the Regiment Under his Command as aforesaid & never received any Value for the  
same. Sworn this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1784

S/ Robert Hanna, JP S/ Benjamin Kilgore

12 March 1783 – the Publick of South Carolina to Colonel Benjamin Kilgore Dr  
to 550 lbs pork at five pounds per hundred is £27.10.0  
£580  
£82.17.1 ½ Stg.

State of South Carolina

Ninety Six District } Colonel Benjamin Kilgore came before me & made oath that he furnished  
the Regiment whilst on duty Under his Command with 550 lbs of pork & Never Received any  
payment.

Sworn before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1784

“not Certified” S/ Robert Hanna, JP S/ Benjamin Kilgore

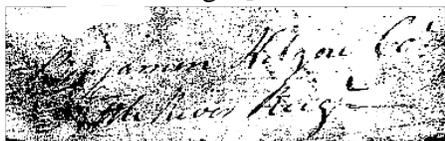
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So. Carolina

Ninety Six District } Received for the use of Colonel Kilgore’s Regiment forage for one Hundred  
Horses & Corn &c Fodder and pumpkins and Rations for the same number of men on an  
Expedition against the Enemy by Order of General Pickens signed by me this 1<sup>st</sup> December 1781

S/ Benjamin Kilgore Col.

Little River Reigt. [Little River Regiment]



Gentlemen

Please to Deliver my Indent with the Interest thereon to Captain Benjamin Rainey as also to give  
him a Credit on the back of my indent for £36.0.0 Sterling in Case it Should [be] Required.

Witness my hand this 24<sup>th</sup> June 1786

To Boquet & Mitchel

Public treasurers

S/ Benjamin Kilgore

I Cert. that the above order was Signed before me

S/ Wm Mitchison, JP

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 524 Book X]

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Captain Benjamin Kilgore's Account for Militia Duty in 1779 & 1780 Amounting to £278 Stg.

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The State of So. Carolina to Benjamin Kilgore  
1780

Dr.

May 27	To Captains Pay from 6 March 1779 to this day in Col. Williams's [James Williams'] Regiment 96 District having been on duty the Whole of that time as Horseman – 432 days at 70/	£1512
Sept. 27	To ditto from 27 May 1780 when I was made a Prisoner of while on duty as above & Sent to Charleston & there kept, 'till I made my escape, Returned Home, I took Command of the Regiment this day, all my Superior Officers being killed – is 124 days at 70/	
		<u>434</u>
	old Currency	<u>£1946</u>
	Sterling	£278

This is to Sartify that the Above Sarvises was actually Dun by Capt Benjamin Kilgore per me  
S/ Robt. McCrery [Robert McCrery], Lt. Col.



September 25<sup>th</sup> 1785

South Carolina

Laurens County} Personally appeared Benjamin Kilgore before me William Mitchison a Justice  
for said County & made oath as the law directs that the above account is Just & True and that he  
Never has Received any value for the Same sworn to & subscribed before me

September 25<sup>th</sup> 1785

S/ William Mitchison, JP

S/ Benjamin Kilgore

To be Certified & attested – And Sent to Daniel Smith Clerk to the Commissioners for the  
Speedy Settlement of Public Accounts

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