

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Robert Kirkwood SC4710  
Audited Account No. 4338

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[No. 555 Book O April 27<sup>th</sup>, 1785]

Mr. Robert Kirkwood his Account of Militia Duty on Horseback done alternately as Private from 1779 to 80 [? text written over] Amounting to

Viz.

195 Days at 20/ [20 shillings old South Carolina currency per day] £195

Stg. [Sterling] £27.17.1 ½

Ex<sup>d</sup>. W.R. [Examined by W. R. [identity unknown]]

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

South Carolina

Ninety Six District} I do hereby Authorize and Impower John Crawford to Draw and Receive the Indents due to me for my service to the Publick Militia Duty with the Interest Due thereon the accounts having been returned by Colonel Robert Anderson into the Auditor's Office for which I have Received value. Given under my hand this 10<sup>th</sup> of November 1785

S/ Robert Kirkwood



Sworn and Acknowledged before me

S/ Pat. Calhoun, JP [Patrick Calhoun]

[p 3: Restatement of the veteran's services as set forth above except in a slightly different format.]

Rec'd to October 1786 from the Commissioners [of the] Treasury the amount of the within account in an Indent No. 555 Book O.

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<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.

S/ Robert Kirkwood



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[Book] X

[No.] 809                      29<sup>th</sup> September 1785]

Robert Kirkwood for a Horse lost in 1779 under the Command of General Pickens [Andrew Pickens, then a Colonel in the South Carolina militia]

Valued at            £100  
or Stg.                £14.5.8 ½ <sup>2</sup>

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

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State of So. Carolina

Ninety Six District} Before me James Patterson 1 of the Justices of said District Personally came and appeared Robert Kirkwood who being duly sworn saith that on the 8<sup>th</sup> of February 1779 he being then on duty at Fort Charlotte lost a blanket for which he never received any Compensation sworn to this 30<sup>th</sup> of July 1779

S/ Robert Kirkwood



before me James Patterson Appeared also George Crawford and Gilbert Willson [sic] who being duly Sworn to value and appraise the above blanket have Valued and appraised the same to one hundred and ten pounds

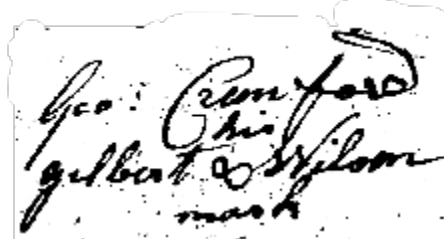
Sworn this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1779

before me

S/ James Patterson

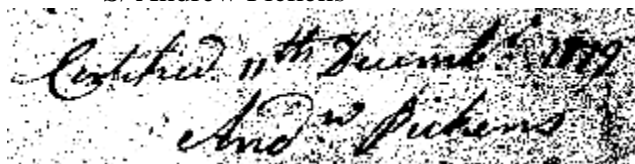
S/ Geo. Crawford

S/ Gilbert Wilson, X his mark



Certified 11<sup>th</sup> December 1779

S/ Andrew Pickens



<sup>2</sup> Salley's Stub Entries, Book X, part 1 there is a note that the Indent was returned when the horse was found