

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Edward Lacey SC4753  
Audited Account No. 4390

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[Methodology: Spelling, punctuation and/or grammar have been corrected in some instances for ease of reading and to facilitate searches of the database. Where the meaning is not compromised by adhering to the spelling, punctuation or grammar, no change has been made. Corrections or additional notes have been inserted within brackets or footnotes. Blanks appearing in the transcripts reflect blanks in the original. A bracketed question mark indicates that the word or words preceding it represent(s) a guess by me. The word 'illegible' or 'indecipherable' or 'undeciphered' appearing in brackets indicates that at the time I made the transcription, I was unable to decipher the word or phrase in question. Only materials pertinent to the military service of the veteran and to contemporary events have been transcribed. Affidavits that provide additional information on these events are included and genealogical information is abstracted, while standard, 'boilerplate' affidavits and attestations related solely to the application, and later nineteenth and twentieth century research requests for information have been omitted. I use speech recognition software to make all my transcriptions. Such software misinterprets my southern accent with unfortunate regularity and my poor proofreading skills fail to catch all misinterpretations. Also, dates or numbers which the software treats as numerals rather than words are not corrected: for example, the software transcribes "the eighth of June one thousand eighty six" as "the 8<sup>th</sup> of June 1786." Please call material errors or omissions to my attention. Researchers should not rely solely on the transcripts but should review the originals for themselves. These transcripts are intended as an aid to research, not to be used in lieu thereof.]

[Transcribers Note: Unfortunately, the documents contained in the file relating to Col. Edward Lacey only relate to his claims for reimbursement for supplies provided for the use of the Continental and militia units in South Carolina. He was a noted patriot and commander of the Turkey Creek Regiment of South Carolina militia. See, e.g., [https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot\\_leaders\\_sc\\_edward\\_lacey.html](https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/patriot_leaders_sc_edward_lacey.html) and pdf file at <https://heritagelib.squarespace.com/s/Lacey-General-Edward-Life-of.pdf>. I have transcribed a few of the receipts or vouchers in this file because they relate to troop movements at a particular time.]

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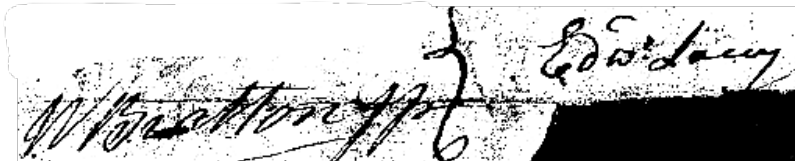
State So. Carolina to Edward Lacey Senior	Dr.
one thousand and Eighty wt. of pork for the use of	
Col. Neel's Regiment on their way to Georgia 1 <sup>st</sup>	
of February 1779 at £6 per Hundred the amount	£64.16
One Sheep taken for the Negro	
guard by Ad. Meek [Adam Meek] at	£4
	Total
	£68.16 [old SC Currency]
	£9.16.[illegible] [Sterling]

Camden District} Personally appeared Edward Lacey and made oath that the above account as it  
Stands Stated against the publick is Just and true and that he has never yet Received any  
Satisfaction for the same

Sworn to 30<sup>th</sup> June 1783

before S/ W. Bratton, JP [Col.]

S/ Edw<sup>d</sup> Lacey

The image shows two handwritten signatures in black ink on a white background. The signature on the left is 'W. Bratton' and the signature on the right is 'Edw. Lacey'. Both signatures are written in a cursive style.

<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.

May the 13<sup>th</sup> 1778  
Received of Edward Lacey one Sheep for the use of Negro  
Guard Given under my hand Ad: Meek Lt. to Col.  
Wade Hampton Reg. of Lt Dr. May 17--

[The above translated as follows:

May the 13<sup>th</sup> Day 1778

Received of Edward Lacey one Sheep for the use of Negro guard Given under my hand

S/ Ad. Meek Lt. to Col.

Wade Hampton Regt. of Light Dragoons May 17---]

Then received of Edward Lacey one thousand and Eighty Weight of pork for the use of Col.  
Neel's Regiment on their march to Georgia 1<sup>st</sup> February 1779

per John Davison W. M [Wagon Master]

John Davison W. M