

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Samuel Lancaster² SC4777
Audited Account No. 4417A

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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 8th 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.]

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No. 104

No. 2382 Book X

11 April 1786

Sam. Lankester [sic] for 183 days duty as horseman from 15th December 1780 to 8th of September 1781 in Capt. James Elder's Company Col. Roebuck's [Benjamin Roebuck's] Regiment

[old South Carolina] Currency £183

Stg. [Sterling] £26.2.10 ¼

Ex^d. J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

[p 3: Transcript of an illegibly faint document appearing on page 4]

The State of South Carolina to Samuel Lankester

Dr.

To 183 days duty as Horseman from the 15th December 1780 to the 8th of September 1781 ... Pay Bill of Captain James Elder

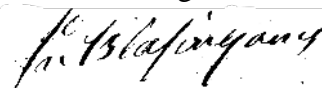
£183

Regt. of Colonel Benjamin Roebuck

Stg. £26.2.10

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Rec'd 11 April 1786 full Satisfaction for the within, in an Indent No. 2382 Lib. X, per order
S/ John Blasingame



¹ 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.

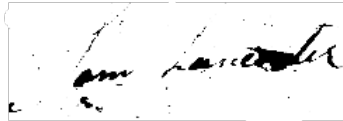
² This file is indexed in the SC Audited Accounts under "Lancaster-Lancaster-Lankester, Samuel." Throughout the file where the veteran's signature appears, he spelled his surname "Lancaster"; so I have used it.

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State of So. Carolina Ninety Six District
January 12, 1786 Gent.

I the Subscriber have accounts against the publick Returned by the hands of Col. Robert Anderson which Accounts I Expect are now Examined and being in your office I therefore Desire you will please to send my Respective Indents by the hand of Mr. John Blasingame Whom I hereby Impower to receive the same in my behalf and whose Receipt shall be good against Gentlemen your Humble Servant

S/ Sam Lancaster

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sam Lancaster", enclosed in a rectangular box.

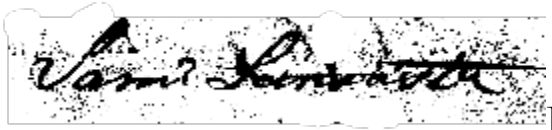
To the Treasurers of Charles Ton

Test

S/ Zach. Bullock, JP

[p 7: Printed form of Indent No. 2382 Book X]

[p 8: Reverse of the above Indent bearing numerous endorsements by several individuals including the veteran who signature their own appears as follows:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sam Lancaster", enclosed in a rectangular box.