

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Robert Lowrimore SC5016
Audited Account No. 4694B

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The petition of Robert Lowrimore praying compensation for losses sustained in the service of the state during the revolution
rejected
William Woodberry
Claims

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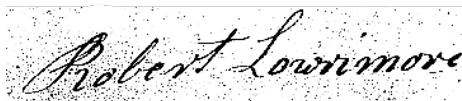
State of South Carolina Horry District }

To the Honorable the Senate and House of representatives of the State of South Carolina

The petition of Robert Lowrimore a Soldier of the Revolutionary war Sheweth that your petitioner was attached to the brigade of General Francis Marion at the time the forces of the United States and of Great Britain met at Wambaw Bridge² in the capacity of a militia man, Your petitioner further Sheweth that in the battle that occurred at and near the said bridge your petitioner lost by the hands of the enemy his horse saddle bridle halter & pistols worth at the time they were so lost seventy dollars or more all of which were his own property and that he has never received any compensation for the same. Your petitioner's kneedy circumstances alone induces him at this time to ~~grant him compensation for his loss is so sustained~~ pray that you would grant him compensation for his losses so sustained.

And your petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray

Robert Lowrimore



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 February 24, 1782 https://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_wambaw_bridge.html

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South Carolina Horry District } Pursonally appeerd Mr. Joseph King of said District and Duly Made oath on the holy Evanglest of Almighty God that he this Deponant was in Camp with Mr. Robert Larymore [sic] in the time of the Revelushenery [sic] war between Grate Britan and a Merica when General Marion Was Commander and in his Cuntrys Sarvis at a plase Calld Wambaw Bridge and then and there the Enemy Came on When and made an attact and he this Deponant Beleves a number of horses and other property was taken by the Ememy and Stats that Mr Robt Larymoore was Present Sworn to Before

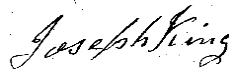
me this twenty Second Day

of November in the year

of our Lord 1825

George Sessions JP

Joseph King



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Marrion District } Personally appeared Mr. Robert Lourimore [sic] of Horry District and being Duly Sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he this deponent was Encamped at Wambaw Bridge in General Marion's Brigade when the Enemy came on and made an attact and he the Said Deponant lost his horse saddle Bridle Halter & Pistols and that he has received No Compensation for the Same & further Saith Not, Sworn to before me this 24th of November 1825
Wm Woodbery, JQ

Robert Lowrimore

[p 7: Another petition identical the one transcribed above except filed in December 1825]

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South Carolina Horry District } To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina

The humble Petition of Robert Lowrimore of said District respectfully Sheweth, that your petitioner entered into the Military Service as a Militia man (prior to the siege of Charleston)³ under General Marion that he was at one time attached to the Company of Capt. Jonah Clark [sic, Capt. John Clarke of the Kingstree Regiment?], afterwards was under the command of Capt. John Morell [sic, Capt. John Murrell of the Berkeley County Regiment?], and sometime after this served in the company commanded by Capt. William Alston (of Waccamaw) [sic, Capt. William Allston of the Kingstree Regiment?] – Continued with the troops of Marion until the end of the War, and from the first Campaign to the last, Your petitioner begs leave to State, that he entered into the Service before he was Sixteen years of age, and that he is at this time in his Sixty fourth Year, having spent the flower of his manhood in the Service of his Country, suffering many privations, dangers, sufferings and fatigues, that he has now become old and infirm and being in indigent circumstances, he hopes your honorable Body will take his case into consideration and by extending towards him, that bounty, which you have generously given to others, similarly circumstanced, assist him in passing the remainder of his days, free from the pangs of that poverty and distress, which now threaten him in the decline of life; – Your

³ Battle of Charleston <http://www.myrevolutionarywar.com/battles/800401-charleston/> & <https://allthingsliberty.com/2020/10/britains-last-throw-of-the-dice-begins-the-charlestown-campaign-of-1780/>

petitioner deems it not irrelevant to mention that his papers having been unfortunately destroyed by fire, he is precluded from furnishing any documentary evidence: But he hopes this defect will be remedied by the respectable signature of one of his old commanders: – Should your Honorable Body, be pleased to grant the request of your petitioner, then he as in gratitude bound, will ever pray &c &c

Robert Lowrimore



South Carolina Horry District} Personally appeared before me J S Norman, JP for said District Robert Lowrimore and maketh oath on the Holy bible and Saith that he Never Received any pay for the above Service neither directly or indirectly
Sworn to before me this 14 November 1826
John S Newman, JP Robert Lowrimore

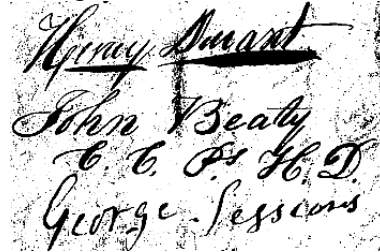
South Carolina Horry District} Personally Appeared Joseph King and made oath that he served in the Revolutionary War with Mr. Robert Lowrimore which Terminated in the Independence of the United [States] and To the best of his Knowledge believes that the Statement of his Petition to be Correct. Sworn to before me November 17th, 1826
George Sessions JP Joseph King



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We the Subscribers from a long acquaintance with the Petitioner Robert Lowrimore, do hereby Certify, that we believe him to be a man in every way worthy of Credit, – and further that he bears the reputation of being honest, Sober and industrious

Henry Durant
John Beaty
C. C. Ps. H. D.
George Sessions



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South Carolina Marion District} Personally appeared before me Robert Lowrimore and being duly sworn on the holy evangelist Saith on oath that he volunteered before he was sixteen and Continued til the Close of the Independence of the United States of America –
Sworn to before me this 18 day of November 1826 Robert Lowrimore
William Woodbery, JQ

[p 18: Committee recommended placing the veteran on the pension list December 1826]

[Note: The balance of the documents in this file reflect the annual payment of an annuity of \$60 to the veteran commencing in 1826 with the last voucher being dated June 24th, 1837.]