

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to James Lyon SC5053  
Audited Account No. 4723

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No. 60

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27<sup>th</sup> June 1785

Mr. James Lyon his Account of Duty as Private, in the Militia done since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] Amounting to

[old South Carolina] Currency £114.15/

Stg. [Sterling] £16.7.10 ¼

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]

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State So. Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to James Lyon

For Duty per Col. Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] return [not extant]

£114.15/

Stg. £16.7.10 ¼

Rec'd 27<sup>th</sup> of June 1785 the full Amount of the above Account in a Treasury Indent No. 474  
Book T by Virtue of an order for James Lyon

Joseph Dawson



Gentlemen September 5<sup>th</sup> 1785

Please deliver Mr. Joseph Dawson or order the Indents due to me by the Public of this State for Accounts delivered into the Auditor General

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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.

James Lyon

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James Lyon". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the printed name.

To Edward Blake & Peter  
Bocquet Esquires Commissioners  
of the Treasury

So. Carolina Edgefield County } James Lyon being duly sworn made oath that he hath not given  
any other order but the above nor disposed of his Indents in any other manner whatever  
sworn this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1785                      John Purves, JP

[p 5: Printed form of Indent No. 474 Book T]

[p 6: Reverse of the above Indent]