

**Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters**

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to Benjamin Culpepper SC63  
 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 1683A

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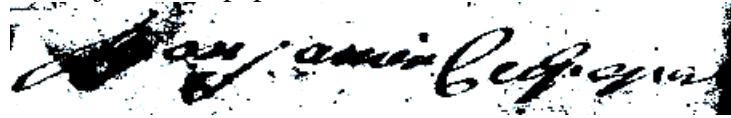
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To the Honorable David Ramsey Esquire President and the rest of the Honorable Members of the Senate

The Petition of Benjamin Culpepper humbly Sheweth that your Petitioner performed ninety-one days duty as a private Soldier under the command of Colonel Robert Goodwyn in the winter of 1778 and one hundred and fifty-one days duty under the command of General Sumter [Thomas Sumter] from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January to the last day of May 1781 for which your Petitioner hath received no Compensation although he delivered in his Account for the same in due time to the late William Arthur Esquire Deputy Auditor for the District of Orangeburg. Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honorable House to take his case into Consideration & allow him such relief as you in your Wisdom may deem meet [?] and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Columbia 31<sup>st</sup> January 1791

S/ Benjamin Culpepper



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State of South Carolina

To Benjamin Culpepper

To 91 days duty as a private Soldier in the Militia under the command of Colonel Robert Goodwyn from the 15 January to the 15 <sup>th</sup> March 1779 at ___ per day	Currency	Sterling
		6:10
To 151 days duty in the Militia as a Horseman under the command of General Sumpter at 20/ per day	151	21:11:5
To 1 Steed Horse impressed by Lieutenant Henry Reives by order of General Sumter appraised to		£50
To 1 ½ Bbbls Flour at 37/4		2.16
To 100 lbs of Bacon at 6 <sup>d</sup>		2.10
		£83:7:5

<sup>1</sup> The South Carolina Audited Accounts are available on microfilm at the South Carolina Department of Archives & History in Columbia, SC. They will eventually be available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. The "SC" file number has been assigned by the administrator of this website for indexing purposes only and is not an officially recognized file number.

Personally appeared before me this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1791 Benjamin Culpepper Esquire who maketh oath that the within Account is just and true and that no part thereof hath been received.  
Sworn before me

S/ R. Hampton, JP

S/ Benjamin Culpeper

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Benjamin Culpepper". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the printed name "S/ Benjamin Culpeper".