

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to John Briggs SC832
Audited Account Microfilm file No. 754

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[No.] 381 [Book] S

Mr. John Briggs his accot. [account] of Militia duty as private since the reduction of Charlestown [Charleston South Carolina fell to the British on May 12, 1780] amotg. [Amounting] to

Currey [old South Carolina Currency]

£12

Stg. [Sterling]

£1.14.3 ¼

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

State of South Carolina Laurens County} Missers Boquet & Mitchell Treasury Keepers
Charleston

Gentlemen Please to Deliver unto the Bearer hereof Joseph Adair my indent and spatial [sic, special] indents and this order shall be your Receipt for the same as witness my hand this 17th Day of February 1787

Witness

S/ James Montgomery

S/ John Briggs



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State of South Carolina

To John Briggs

Dr.

Duty per Colonel Anderson's [Robert Anderson's] Return [no longer extant]

£12

Stg.

£1.14.3 ¼

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[No.] 361 [Book] W

Messr. John & Wm Brigs [sic] their accot. [account] of Militia duty since the reduction of Charlestown, also for a Horse lost in service in Feby 1779 the whole amotg. [amounting] to as under Duty Curr^y £45.1.0

Horse Charg^d £3000

in 1779 Feby is	_____	<u>360.11.3</u>
	Curry	<u>£405.11.3</u>
	Stg.	£57.18.9

N.B. No certificate for the Horse & the appraisement has been altered

Passed for
£6.9.Stg.

Ex.
T. W.
J. M^c. A. G.

E. Lightwood

Received 9 November 1787 – the Amount of the within Account in a Treasury Indent No. 361 Book W per Order

S/ Robert Hanna



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State of South Carolina

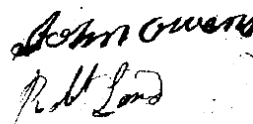
	To John & Wm Briggs	Dr.
Duty per Colonel Anderson's return	Curr ^y	£45.0.0
A Horse lost in February 1779 by Depreciation		<u>360.11.3</u>
	Curr ^y	<u>£405.11.3</u>
	Stg.	£57.8.9

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The State of South Carolina

To the Estate of William Briggs Deceased	Dr.
To one horse lost in the Expedition to Savannah appraised to	£3000 ²

Duly attested on oath by
S/ John Owens
S/ Robert Lord



Before me Robert Hanna, JP

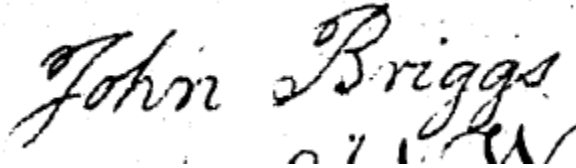
² someone has written over the initial 2000 so as to change the figure to 3000

John Briggs To the above Deceased Appraised & Made Oath That His Father, Self, nor Any of
the Family Ever Received Any Pay or Satisfaction for Said Horse before Me
S/ Robert Hanna, JP

Laurens County
October 7th, 1787

To Missedrs Boquate & Mitchell Treasurers in Charleston:

Gentlemen please to give my indent with the interest due thereon to the Bearer Mr.
Robert Hanna and this order shall be your Discharge and oblige your humble Servant
S/ John Briggs

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Briggs". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned in the center of the page, below the typed name "S/ John Briggs".

I do Certify that the above order was
signed before me
S/ James Montgomery, JP

[p 9: Printed form of Indent No. 3793 Book X dated September 23, 1786 “delivered to Mr.
William Briggs this our Indented Certificate, for the Sum of Forty-seven Pounds, five Shillings
Sterling, for Duty as a Lieutenant in the Militia per Account passed by the Commissioners.”]