Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts relating to Samuel Craig SC1644
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[p 2]
No. 635 Book P
Estate of Mr. Samuel Craig his Account of Sundries for Military use in 1778 & 1780
Amounting to £50.14.7 Stg. [Sterling]
N:B: a Rifle Gun is included in said Amount £40.12 to Currency at £5.16.0 ¾ Stg.
Ex’d. W. G. [Examined by William Galvan]
J. M’s. A. G. [approved by] John McCall, Adjutant General

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State of South Carolina to Samuel Craig Deceased
1780 June the first to the 6th of August inclusive sixty-seven Silver Dollars
Days text too faint to discern] at 20/ [20 shillings] per day 41 ¼ £67
To one Rifle Gun lost at the Hanging Rock
To three beef cows and one Steer for General Sumter’s
Brigade
To ye service of one horse in waggon [service]
from ye 9th of August to 17th Sept. 39 Days at
ten shillings per day $12
1779 To Sixty seven Days Service under Colonel Neel
[Thomas Neel] at Georgia at 20/per day 41 ¾ £67
1780 To Sixty Two Days service on foot under
Colonel Bratton [William Bratton] at 10
19 £31
1778 To four Beef Cattle for the use of
Genl. Williamson’s Brigade by Colonel Neel
To one Great Coat [illegible text]
One bell one pr. of Stockings lost at Briar Creek
[March 3, 1779] [illegible]

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[old South Carolina] Currency  £355.2.6
Sterling  £50.14.7 ½

The above Certified By
S/ Joe Howe Capt.

Attested before
S/ Wm Tate, JP

[p 4]
Lost at Briar Creek
To one great Coat & one Pair of saddlebags 50
To one Bell 13
To one Pair of Stockings 6
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The property of Samuel Craig
South Carolina
Camden District
Personally appeared before me Samuel Craig and made oath that the above account is Just and true. Sworn to before me this 29 day of July 1779
S/ Wm Bratton, JP
S/ Samuel Craig

[5]
South Carolina Camden District
Personally appeared David Moore & William Adams & made oath that a Rifle Gun the property of Samuel Craig deceased lost at Hanging Rock, in Public Service was appraised by them at Forty pounds twelve & six pence old Currency
Sworn before me
This 15th of May 1783
S/ Jno. McCaw, JP
S/ William Adams
S/ David Moore

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Received the 24 May 1785 full Satisfaction for the within in an Indent No. 635Lib P by order
S/ Joe Howe
To the Honorable the President & Members of the Senate, The Petition of Ann Craig Humbly Sheweth – That your petitioner’s husband Samuel Craig was killed in Battle at the Hanging Rock [August 6, 1780] in defense of his Country, your petitioner therefore having neither land or Negroes to preclude her from the annuity allowed her hopes your Honors will take her Case into Consideration and grant such relief as you shall see meet – as in duty Bound will ever Pray

S/ Ann Craig, X her mark

South Carolina York District} We the subscribers do hereby certify that Ann Craig is the Widow of Samuel Craig who fell in defense of his country at the Battle at Hanging Rock in the year 1780, that she is entitled to the gratuity provided by Law in such cases,

Certified by Andrew Love Member of the Legislature and Robert Faries Esquire one of the Justices of the peace for said District, in November 1780

S/ Robert Faries, JP