

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to Samuel Harper SC3608
Audited Account No. 3343A

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No. 81 [?]

Samuel Harper, for 533 days duty in Militia from August 12 1780 to 1st February 1782 at 20/[20 shillings old South Carolina currency] per day

Charged	£76.2.10
add more 6 days	<u>.17.2</u>
	£77

N:B: Major Parsons Name to the Certifying is a Counterfeit for [text too faint to discern] Write – it is brought by Wm Ward JP

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

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State of South Carolina

To Samuel Harper

Dr. £ S D

1780

To 533 days Service on horse back in Captain Parsons

Company Colonel Thomas' [John Thomas Junior's] Regt.

commencing August 1780 and Ending February the 1st 1782 both

Days inclusive at 20/per

	533.0.0
Currency	<u>533.0.0</u>
Sterling	76.2.10
more	<u>.17.2</u>
	77

South Carolina

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Ninety Six District} Before me William Wood appeared Samuel Harper who being duly sworn
Saith that the above Account as it stands Stated is Just and true sworn to before me this
[illegible] of July [illegible]

S/ Samuel Harper, X his mark

S/ Wm Wood, JP

I certify that Samuel Harper did the above duty [text compromised and rendered illegible] in my
Company and that his Account as it Stands Stated is Just and true
Certified per me 26 of July 1784

S/ Major Parsons Capt.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Major Parsons Capt", written in dark ink on a light background. The signature is somewhat stylized and includes a small flourish at the end.

² Capt. Major Parsons was illiterate and signed his name with is mark until 1792 when he purportedly signed an affidavit attested by Col. Robert Anderson as JP. His signature to that affidavit appears as follows:

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