

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Claim: John Wallace BLReg.227462-1855

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State of South Carolina -- York District: SS: On this 18th day of August A.D. 1855 Personally appeared before me Thomas McGill magistrate within & for the District & State aforesaid Esther Wallace (widow) aged 90 years, a resident of York District in the State of South Carolina, who being duly sworn according to law declares that she is the widow of John Wallace, deceased, who was a soldier in the company commanded by Captain Andrew Love in the Regiment of \_\_\_ commanded by John McCool Colonel & John Carrch [?] officer, the officers I am not certain who was Captain or Sergeant or Colonel. I state as my husband told the names. In the Revolution war, and that her said husband was drafted I cannot state the date when I think it was in 1778 to 1780. I know he was in the service more than six months and was honorably discharged he was in the battles of Stages 10 miles South of York SC at Battle at Ramsour's Mill & King's Mountain. [She has] no public or family record of marriage. She further states that she was married to the said John Wallace of the 13th day of May A.D. 1787 by one Francis Adams Esquire and her name before her marriage was Esther Patten, that her said husband died at his dwelling house York District SC on 25th day of June 1844. She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which she may be entitled under the act approved March 3rd A.D. 1855

S/ Esther Wallace, X her mark