

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Frazer [Frazier] BL Reg.241203-1855 [Ga5] May f4GA
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State of Georgia County of Richmond

On this 6th day of March A.D. 1856 personally appeared before me, Thomas Skinner a Justice of the Inferior [Court] within and for the said County and State aforesaid, May Fraizer [sic] aged 97 years, a resident of Richmond, in the State of Georgia who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is the widow of John Frazer, deceased, who was a Lieutenant in the company commanded by Capt. *not recollected* in the Georgia Regiment of __ , commanded by __, in the war with Great Britain 1776 that her husband the said John Fraser, [entered the service] on or about the __ day of __ A.D. 1777, for the term of the war, and continued in actual service in said war for the term of 5 years and was honorably discharged at Savannah, on the __ day of __ A.D. 1782.

She further states that she was married to the said John Fraser in 1792 on the 20th day of April A.D., by one __ a, __ and that her name before her said marriage was May Durden [? could be Dunden]; that her said husband died at Richmond County on the 5th day of July A.D. 1850 (crarzgy [?crazy?]), and that she is now a widow.

She further declares that she has not heretofore made application for bounty land nor obtain a land warrant.

She makes this application for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which she may be entitled under the "Act approved March 3, 1855."

S/ May Frazer, X her mark