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Pension application of John Stewart R10164

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State of Georgia County of Oglethorpe

Be it known, that on this 4th day of February A.D. 1855 before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Parmelia S. Perkins resident of Maxeys [? ] Geo. in said County, and made oath according to law that she is the only daughter of the identical Mourning Stewart, widow of John whose name, under Act of 1832 should have been placed on the Georgia Pension roll.

That she has been credibly informed that the said pension may and all to have been allowed from its commencement and during its continuance; that she is directly interested as a claimant in said claim and makes this affidavit to be filed with such additional evidence as my Agent may use in prosecuting said claim.

Countermanding and revoking all Powers of attorney and Authority heretofore given, I hereby constitute and appoint Samuel M. Knight, of Washington City, my true and lawful Attorney to prosecute the claim of Mourning Stewart widow of John, for any amount of Revolutionary Pension, that may be due; and for the purpose of establishing additional evidence by the soldier for whose military duty in the Revolution the aforesaid pension was granted, I hereby authorize my said Attorney to apply for and obtained from State archives and other sources, certified proofs of such service. To examine all papers war documents in relation to said service, on the file of the Departments of Washington City or elsewhere; to the I'll additional evidence or arguments, and to receive for my benefit the Certificates for [indecipherable word] which may be issued in satisfaction of said claim, which certificate I wish made payable at the Pension Agency of this State; to appoint one or more substitutes under him for the purposes herein expressed, and to do all things that I might force could do were personally present. He hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Aged and Attorney shall lawfully do in the premises.

S/ Parmelia S. Perkins

[Facts in file: "General" John Stewart died April 23, 1830. His widow, Mourning Stewart, died December 10, 1847