

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Sherrod Stroud R10277 Hannah fn9NC
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State of Georgia Cobb County: On this seventh day of June personally appeared before Crawford Tucker & Benson Roberts both Justices of the Inferior Court of said County of Cobb in the State of Georgia Hannah Stroud a resident of said County & State aged Eighty-eight years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by act of Congress passed July 4th, 1836 and the act explanatory of said act passed March 3rd 1837. That she was married to Sherrod Stroud who was a three months soldier, and served two Tours in the States of South Carolina and North Carolina, under the command of Captain James Little and Colonel Francis Locke as appears by the Certificate of his regular discharge a copy of which the following is a true copy.
"October the 20th 1780, Camp Bell's Branch Roan County This may certify that Sherod Stroud one of the 3 months soldiers has served 2 towers of duty as a good Soldier in Captain Littles Company under the command of Colonel Locke and is hereby discharged. Given under our hands

Jas Little Capt
Francis Lock Col."

She further declares that she was married to the said Sherrod Stroud in the month of December in the year 1781 soon after his discharge that her husband the said Sherrod Stroud died the 17th day of December in the year 1838. That she has never since married, and is still a widow as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereto annexed.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of June 1843

S/ Benson Roberts, JIC

S/ Hannah Stroud, X her Mark

S/ Crawford Tucker, JIC

[On the same date, John Stroud gave testimony that he is the son of Hannah and Sherrod Stroud and that he believes the facts set forth in his mother's application are true.

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