

## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of George Thompson [Thomson] R10535 Jane Thomson f24GA/SC  
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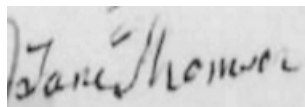
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State of South Carolina District of Charleston:

On this 21st day of December 1838 personally appeared before the undersigned Mrs. Jane Thompson aged 83 years a resident of Charleston, who being duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to be entitled to the benefit of the 3rd Section of the Act of Congress of the 4th of July 1836, That, she was married to George Thompson, late of Godfrey's Savannah South Carolina, house carpenter deceased, who was a soldier during the War of the Revolution in a Militia Company raised in the neighborhood of said Godfrey's Savannah, which said Corps, was commanded by Major Ladson [?] and afterwards by Captain Day. Deponent saith, she has reason to believe said George Thompson served in said Corps under arms two years during said War, to wit one year as a private, and one year as forage master. Deponent saith he joined said Corps in the year 1775, and continued to serve in same up to the period of the Evacuation of Charleston by the British in [December] 1782. Deponent saith that during this period her said husband served at Port Royal, at the assault upon Savannah in 1779, at Bees Creek, and at other places besides the City of Charleston which she does not now recollect. She further declares she was married to the said George Thompson in the year 1773, and that her husband the aforesaid George Thompson died in the year 1799, and that she was a widow on the 4th of July 1836, and has not since and unmarried. That, she has no documentary evidence to produce, That, it is now almost impossible to procure direct testimony more especially as the services of her husband, were performed in a sickly Country, thinly populated, as will appear by reference to the proofs annexed.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written & I also certify the credibility of the affiant.

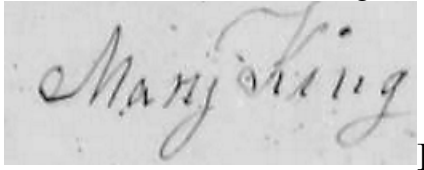
S/ Jane Thomson



S/ Thomas Lee District Judge of the State for South Carolina

[p 11, on December 24, 1838 in Charleston, South Carolina, Mary King, 76, gave a supporting affidavit in which she states she is the sister of Mrs. Jane Thompson, widow of George Thompson late of Charleston house carpenter; that her sister and George Thompson were married by the Reverend Doctor Cooper of the Episcopal church in 1773; and that her sister now

lives with her son Mr. George Thompson, bricklayer in the city of Charleston.



Mary King

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State of South Carolina Charleston District

On this 5th day of December A.D. 1851 -- Before me D. C. Gibson a Magistrate for the Parishes of St. Philips & St. Michael's South Carolina personally appeared William Thompson a citizen of the City of Charleston who being duly sworn according to law, declares and says that he is the Administrator of the Estate of his Grandmother Jane Thompson late of Charleston and widow of George Thompson deceased late of South Carolina, and formerly a private and forage master in the Army of the Revolution. He further Certifies that Jane Thompson aforesaid died in the City of Charleston on the 13th day of May 1840 -- being of the age of about 84 years -- That the following are the only surviving children of said Jane Thompson which are likewise the children of said George Thompson -- To wit -- Francis Thompson aged about 77 years -- Mrs. Eliza Calvert aged about 72 years -- Mary Thompson aged about 68 years -- George Thompson aged about 66 years -- & Anna Thompson aged about 54 years.

S/ Wm Thompson, Adm.



Wm Thompson