

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Wallis (Wallace) R11064 Esther fn34SC
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Clark's Fork Y. D. S. C. [York District South Carolina] December 14th 1855

Mr. J. Minot Commissioner Pensions

I send you that evidence of John Wallace he made to the Legislator [sic] of South Carolina in the claim of Esther Wallace John Wallace widow it she is entitled to anything please let me know as soon as convenient she died the 6th of December 1855 you have the case before you, you can give her or her children but they are entitled she died in solvent left nothing the \$30 the state of South Carolina gave he did not support her I have been out about \$15 getting evidence to prepare her claim I remained yours

S/ John McGill, P. M.

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To the Honorable: The President & Members of the Senate of the State of South Carolina

Your Petitioner John Wallis respectfully Show with that he is a Revolutionary Shoulder, that he is about 79 years of age, that he was a soldier in the Revolutionary War, that he was stationed at the Four Holes Bridge within about forty miles of Charleston for three months under the command of Captain Joseph Smith Colonel Bratton & Colonel Bryan. That Deponent further stating, that he was in service three months again in the upper part of the State: that he was in service altogether about six months, as a drafted Soldier. Your petitioner therefore prays that he may be placed upon the pension roll of this State, a schedule of his whole Estate is hereto attached

(Signed) John Wallis

The above petition this day sworn to by John Wallis

July 22, 1842

S/ James Jefferys, Magistrate

South Carolina York District: David Patton¹ makes oath that he was acquainted with John Wallis in the Revolutionary War & that he knows of his own knowledge that the said John Wallis was a faithful soldier in the Revolutionary War, that he served with said John Wallis three months at the Four Holds Bridge.

¹ [David Patton S18151](#)

Sworn to this 22nd of July 1842
S/ James Jefferys, Magistrate

S/ David Patton

John Wallis adds the following to his petition, we then sworn to that he is not a pensioner from the General Government. He did apply to the General Government but his papers were returned to him as informal -- and the difficulty of getting the papers fixed right would have to abandon the idea of applying there.

Sworn to this 14 November 1842
S/ James Jefferys, Magistrate

S/ John Wallis

A Schedule of the whole Estate of John Wallis
One Bed & Bedstead

Axe 1 Hoe & Hoe

1 large chest 1 oven 1 one pair of pot hooks

1 Baking pan 1 pair of dog irons

1 pair tongs 1 peekin Tub

1 Bible & testament 1 Hymn Book

1 Psalm Book & Westman's on Confession of Faith

Sworn to this 14th of November 1842

S/ John Wallis

S/ James Jefferys, Magt.

State of South Carolina York District: SS

On this 26th day of June A.D. 1855 personally appeared before me Thomas McGill name Magistrate within and for the District in State aforesaid Easter Wallace aged 92 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 or John McCool in the Revolution war with Great Britain in the Battle of King's Mountain² & Stalians [sic, Stallions or Stallings' Plantation³] or Brattons⁴ etc. and that her said husband was drafted or volunteered on or about the year 1778 or some near that for the term of 2 years or more or during the war and continued in actual service in said war to peace was made as I was told.

She further states that she was married to the said John Wallace on the close of the war by one Frances Adams Esquire and that her name before her said marriage was Easter Patton that her said husband died at his dwelling house in York District South Carolina on the 25th day of June A.D. 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 1855 & Her pension by act 1840 -- 1849 & approved February 3rd 1853.

S/ Easter Wallace, X her mark

² October 7, 1780

³ Summer 1780. <http://gaz.jrshelby.com/stallings.htm>

⁴ Brattonsville, Williamson's plantation or Huck's defeat July 12, 1780 <http://gaz.jrshelby.com/hucksdefeat.htm>