

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Jeremiah Jaggars (Jaggers) R5544

Nancy Jaggars

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Alabama Territory of the United States

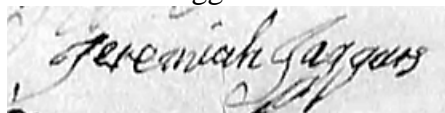
On this 30th day of June 1818 before me Obadiah Jones one of the Judges of the Superior Courts of the said Territory personally came Jeremiah Jagars [sic] aged nearly Seventy-three years resident in Madison County in said Territory who being before me first duly sworn, on his oath makes the following declaration, in order to obtain the relief provided by the late Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to provide for Certain persons engaged in the Land and Naval Service of the United States in the Revolutionary War" Viz.

That he the said Jeremiah Jagars in or about the month of April 1776 enlisted in the company commanded by Captain Richard Winn in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Thompson [sic, William Thomson] (the same being as well as he recollects the Third Regiment) of the South Carolina line on the Continental Establishment -- That he continued to serve in said Regiment from the time of his enlistment until sometime in the month of June 1777 (having thus continued in said service for about fourteen months) when he was honorably discharged at Head Quarters near Eutaw Springs, South Carolina & his discharge signed by said Colonel Thompson, which discharge he has since lost -- That he was in Service in the said Captain Winn's company & in the aforesaid Regiment on Sullivan's Island South Carolina when Fort Moultrie was attacked by the British in the year 1776 [June 28, 1776],¹ -- That he the said Jeremiah Jagars is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support.

The foregoing declaration of said Jeremiah Jagars was by him sworn to & subscribed before me at Madison County Alabama Territory on the day & year aforesaid.

S/ Obadiah Jones

S/ Jeremiah Jaggars



And said Jaggars further swears, that he has no other evidence of his said services now in his power than that which is contained in the affidavits --

[William Ellis gave a supporting affidavit dated June 30, 1818 saying that he has long been acquainted with Jeremiah Jaggars both before and since the time of the service alluded to by

¹ http://www.carolana.com/SC/Revolution/revolution_ft_moultrie_1.html

Jaggars in his affidavit; that he was not with him in the service but knows that Jaggars has always been a man of respectability and had the reputation of being a brave soldier in the revolution.

Wm Ellis]

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State of Alabama, County Court of Madison County January Term 1824
Schedule

District of Alabama

On this 28th day of January 1824 appeared in open Court, being the County Court of Madison County in the State of Alabama and being a court of record for the said County & State expressly so made by the laws of the State of Alabama aforesaid, and having been solemnly adjudged by the higher tribunals of the said State of Alabama to be a court of Record, in which said County Court proceedings according to the course of the common law, with a Jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount, keeping a regular record of its proceedings and which said Court hath the power of fine and imprisonment, Jeremiah Jaggars aged Seventy-nine years, resident in the said County of Madison and District of Alabama, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows. In the third Regiment of South Carolina Rangers commanded by Colonel William Thompson [sic, William Thomson], in Captain Richard Winn's company of said Regiment, and that he filed his original declaration the 30th day of June 1818 in the said State of Alabama. And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident Citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or other wise disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision of an act of Congress entitled "an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war" passed on the 18th day of March 1818, and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property, or securities, contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed that is to say: two old hand saws one little broad ax, one Squire and Compass two pair of spoon moulds, seven pewter plates, three pewter basons, one fire shovel, one Iron wedge, one drawing knife, three small Potts, two small Dutch ovens & one skillet, about \$4 worth of Books and Set of knives and forks and one Jug, two wheels one Real [?]² and five old chairs that my occupation has been that of a Millwright but that I am now entirely unable to pursue it, and that the number of my family now residing with me is too, my wife Nancy Jaggars who is unable to contribute any to the support of her and myself and is about fifty-seven years of age and my daughter Nancy Jaggars who is about Eighteen years of age and is a healthy person and that I am unable to support myself and family without the aid of the Government of the United States, except by private or public Charity.

Sworn to and declared in open Court on the 28th day of January 1824 before
S/ Thomas Brandon, CCC

S/ Jeremiah Jaggars

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A memorandum of time in the Service of the United States

Enlisted April 1st 1776

1 st Eutaw Springs 6 weeks	1 m	2 w
ten mile house		3
Sulavans [sic] Island	2	2
fulow [sic]	1	
Congaree		2
Altamahaw [sic]	4	
Utaw Spring [sic]		6
head quarters		2

then discharged by Colonel Thomson at headquarters in June 1777.

These are the times & places as well as I recollect the balance of the time I was at headquarters 14 months in all.

This from your friend

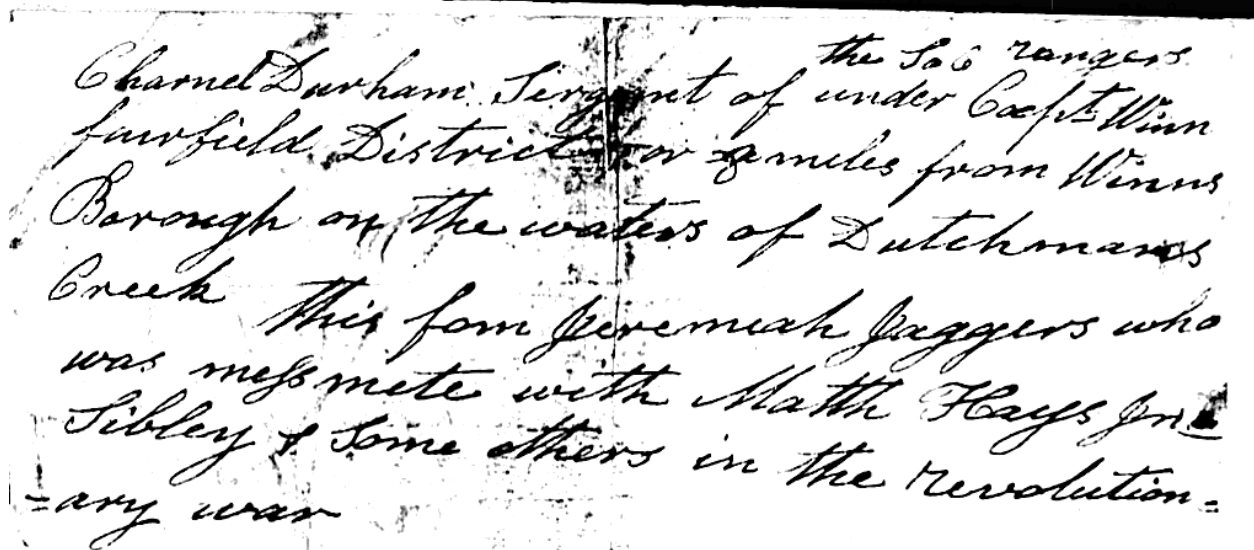
Jeremiah Jaggars

To Mr. Jonas Baless

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Charnel Durham Sergeant of ^{the So. C. Rangers} under Capt. Winn Fairfield District or 8 miles from Winns Borough on the waters of Dutchman's Creek

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[p 4: On March 16, 1835, Nancy Jaggars filed an affidavit in Madison County, Alabama saying that she is the widow of Jeremiah Jaggars the deceased pensioner of the US for his revolutionary services at the rate of \$8 per month; that her husband died January 25, 1832. She signed this document with her mark.]

[p 18 [very faint images]: On June 29, 1857 in Jackson County Arkansas, Nancy Jaggars, aged

