

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Charles Jones R5733

Patsy Jones

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State of South Carolina, Spartanburg District

Personally came before me Patsy Jones of this District and makes oath that she is the surviving widow of Charles Jones deceased, and that she will was married to the said Jones, in North Carolina, now, the County of Cleveland. She further says that her husband Charles Jones has been dead to the best of her recollection about 25 years, she thinks they lived together about 16 years, before his death, she believes the said Jones had been married twice before, and that both his wives were dead before his & her marriage. And she further declares that she does believe that he served as a soldier, in the North Carolina Militia, in the Revolutionary war, between the United States & Great Britain, and that she has heard him the said Jones often say that he was drafted as a soldier at the age of 18. And she further says that she the said Patsy is now about 72 years of age, and that she makes this declaration to obtain the amount allowed to widows of soldiers by Congress.

Sworn to & subscribed before me April 14th, 1855 –

S/ Patsy Jones, X her mark

S/ A. Bonner, Mag.

[Elizabeth Humphries and Kiziah McCraw gave a supporting affidavit as to the marriage of Patsy to Charles in NC].

[See below for NC Comptroller's certificate regarding payments made to one Charles Jones for military services during the Revolutionary War]

State of North Carolina.
Comptroller's Department.

I, C. H. Brogden, Comptroller of Public Accounts in and for the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that it appears of record in my office, among the payments made by said State to sundry persons for Military service in the Revolutionary War, as follows:

Charles Jones

Indent No. 704 L 31-5 - Specie. Salisbury District.
September 5th, 1782.

" " 1075 L 18 - - - Specie. Salisbury District.
August 18th, 1783.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office, at the city of Raleigh, this 10th day of February, A. D. 1857.

C. H. Brogden,
Comptroller
N. C.

