

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William Treacle W6309

Elizabeth

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Transcribed by Will Graves

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State of Virginia County of King & Queen: SS

On this 23 day of August 1844 personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for the said County Elizabeth Treacle a resident of the County of King & Queen and State of Virginia aged 82 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 the act of Congress passed July 7th 1838 entitled "An act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows" That she is the widow of William Treacle who was a private soldier in the war of the Revolution and who served and enlistment of three years in the regular service and afterwards several militia tours and was in service at the time of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown.

She further declares that she was married to the said William Treacle in the month of February in the year 1780. That her husband the said William Treacle died in the year 1801 in the month of February, and that she has remained a widow ever since that period, as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereto annexed.

S/ Elizabeth Treacle, X her mark

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year above written before me

S/ Roderick Bland, JP

[f p. 6: On August 17, 1844, in Mathews County Virginia, Nancy Hudgins, 75, gave testimony that she was intimately acquainted with William Treacle who married Elizabeth Keys she believes prior to the close of the Revolution; that she, affiant, was married in her 22nd year of age; that when she was married the veteran and his wife had at least two or three children; that said William Treacle died about two years before affiant's husband who has been dead 38 years; that affiant's oldest child was born April fifth, 1792; that the veteran and his wife had children named as follows: Robert who died in infancy, John, Sarah, Elizabeth and Suzanne all of whom is said are dead but one. She signed heard affidavit with her mark.]

[f p. 8: certified extracts of official records:

"Council Chamber, May 29th '83 [1783]

I do certify that William Treacle is entitled to the proportion of land allowed a private in the State line for three years service.

Benjamin Harrison

Thomas Meriwether

"A Warrant for 100 acres issued to William Treacle May 29th, 1783 No. 676"

[f p. 13: On November 20, 1844 in Mathews County Virginia, Nancy Hudgins gave further

testimony that the veteran and his wife were married before the year 1785; that they were married in Gloucester County Virginia in a portion thereof which is now Mathews County.]

[Veteran's widow was pensioned at the rate of \$80 per annum commencing March 4th, 1836, for her husband's service as a private for two years in the Virginia Continental line.]

The following document appears in the digital collection posted online by the Virginia State Library at http://lva1.hosted.exlibrisgroup.com/F/YL42T964VMKRT8FNCKGGG1D75PGF6EDHAFS7ACFKIQRHCJHXR-01114?func=full-set-set&set_number=000808&set_entry=000001&format=999

William Trickle a souldier belonging to the State Regiment having servd three years as a good Souldier it being the ful time of his enlistment he is hearby Discharg'd from the same Regemnt and is intitled to the Benefits of the act of Assembly by Which he has [indecipherable word] by Regement [two indecipherable words] given under my hand at the point of fork this 5 day of July 1781

Thos W. Ewel Capt [Thomas W. Ewell]

I Certify that there was [indecipherable word] of the [indecipherable word] of William Trekle in the State Service at the same time.

Cary Wiatt L. Arty [?] [Cary Wyatt?]

Decr 4th 1783 Ceppy [copy?]

J. Pendleton

M. Mereweather will please to Deliver [one or more indecipherable words] my hand

William Treckle, X his mark

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Cary Wiatt L. Arty

J. Pendleton

M. Mereweather will please to Deliver [indecipherable words] my hand

William Treckle

William Trench is said to be belonging to the
State Regiment having served three years
as a good Soldier & being the full term
of his enlistment he is hereby Discharged
from the same Regiment and is indebted
to the Benefactor of the act of Assembly
by which he was taken by Regiment
was drawn over and so my hand at the
point of faith this 5 day of July 1781

Thos Ewell Capt

I hereby that this was the name of the same
of William Trench in the State Service at
the same time

Dec 4th 1783

Wm Mathis Capt

Per Trench

Wm Mather will please to deliver the same to
William Trench
Lark

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Addendum to William Treacle W6309

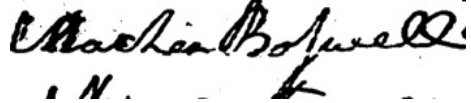
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. 18 April 2022.

[From [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#) indexed as Treacle, William.]

I hereby certify that William Treacle, served three years in the 2^d State Reg't.

Machen Boswell Capt [R19364]

May 29th 1783

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Machen Boswell". Below the signature, there are some faint, illegible markings that appear to be initials or a date.