

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Wallace (Wallice) W6410 Mary fn34NC
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State of North Carolina Wake County

On this 22nd day of May 1845 Personally appeared before Michael Thompson, Jr., one of the acting Justices of the peace for said County, Mary Wallice a resident of Wake County NC maketh the following declaration in order to obtain a pension under the act of Congress passed 7th of July 1838 the 3rd of March 1843 & the 17th of June 1844 after being duly sworn according to law doth declare on her oath that she is seventy-eight years old that she is the widow of John Wallice who was a soldier in the revolutionary war, that he entered the service in the North Carolina line before we were married, served 12 months. She believes in the year 1781 that he served his time under one Captain Donoho, that she was married to her deceased husband John Wallice in the year 1790 that her deceased husband at the time of his death aged 60 years that she was married to her deceased husband in the County of Wake & State of North Carolina, that her maiden name was Mary Burnett, and the reason she has not made application for a pension before now is because she did not know she was entitled to a pension until a few months back And as soon as she could get assistance she has made application, that her deceased husband John Wallice died in the year 1803. And she further declares that she nor her husband never were placed on the pension roll of this or any other State or Territory And she now relinquishes all claim whatever to a pension except the present.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and date above written
S/ M. Thompson, Jr., JP S/ Mary Wallice, X her mark

[fn p. 8: Mrs. Rhoda Perry, 69, of Granville County North Carolina gave testimony on July 15, 1845 that she was present at the marriage of Mary Burnett and John Wallace which took place not less than 55 years from the present date.]

[fn p. 11: on August 15 1853 in Wake County North Carolina Mrs. Elizabeth., 61, filed a declaration claiming the pension due her mother Mary Wallis, widow of John Wallis; that her mother died August 22, 1848 leaving declarant their only surviving child.]

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State of North Carolina, Office of Secretary of State.

I, William Hill, Secretary of State, in and for the State of North Carolina, do certify, that it appears from the muster-rolls of the Continental line of this State, in the Revolutionary War, that John Wallis a private soldier in Captain Donoho's Company of the 10th Regiment, entered the service on the 25th day of May 1781, for the term of 12 months and left the service the 25th of May 1872.

Given under my hand this 10th day of March 1853
S/ Wm Hill, Secretary of State

[Widow was pensioned at the rate of \$40 per annum commencing March 4th, 1848 and ending August 22nd, 1848.]