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Pension Application of Joshua Drummond W7045 Mary Drummond VA
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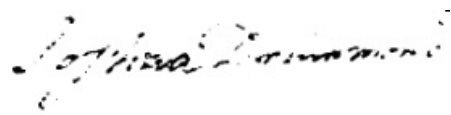
State of Virginia }
Rappahannock County } SS On the 10th day of August 1838 personally appeared before the subscriber a justice of the peace in and for the county aforesaid Mary Drummons a resident of the county aforesaid, aged 76 years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of congress passed July the 7th 1838 entitled an act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows – that she is the widow of Joshua Drummons Dec'd who was a soldier in the Revolutionary war as will appear by the record of the war office in the city of Washington that he enlisted under Captain Elias Edmunds [VAS2004] in Fauquier County and State aforesaid on the [blank] day of [blank] for three years that he served out his time faithfully, that he was at the Siege of York [Yorktown, 28 Sep - 19 Oct 1781] and many other engagements during the war – she further declares that she was married to the said Joshua Drummons on the 10th day of March 1786 and that her husband the aforesaid Joshua Drummond died on the 30th day of Sept 1831 that she was not married to him prior to his leaving service but the marriage took place previous to the 1st day of January 1794 towit at the time above stated
Mary herXmark Drummond

[The following are from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I do Certify that Joshua Drummond Enlisted in the State Artillery the 20th of Aug't 1777 & served three years, as a private in the said Reg't agreeable to Enlistment.

Given under My hand this 20th of Aug't 1780 El's Edmunds Lt Colo
A Copy. J Shackelford CBA S.A.

Sir Please to Essue a Land Warrant for me to Capt. Decloman [Christian Charles De Klauman VAS827] for the amount of my Claim as a Soldier in the state artilary Ridgmet for Three years [two undeciphered words]
Joshua Drummond
To His Excellency
Benjamin Harrison Esqr



NOTES:

The federal file includes a copy of the following minister's return:

“Marriages celebrated by the subscriber since last September Court

Joshua Drummond to Mary Kidwell – March the tenth

Given under my hand this 26th of June 1786 John Monroe”

On 4 Apr 1843 Mary Drummond certified that she was still a widow.