Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of David Enoch R2236 Transcribed by Will Graves Rachel Conrad¹ fn9NC 12/1/08 rev'd 12/31/14

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State of Tennessee County of Decatur

On this 1st day of January A.D. 1855 personally appeared [before] me Samuel Brashears Chairman of the County Court of County and State aforesaid Rachel Conrad, a resident of the County of Decatur in the State of Tennessee aged Sixty Seven years who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on her oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefits of the provision made by the act of Congress passed on 3rd February 1853, granting pensions to widows of persons who served or in the Revolutionary war, that she is the widow of David Enoch who was a private, and as she believes was mustered into said Service in the County of Caswell in the State of North Carolina, but served some portion of his time in the State of South Carolina. But as to the time of entering the said Service and being discharged therefrom, and the length of time he continued therein, She must refer to the Records of the war department, the muster rolls, and the accompanying Certificates of his Officers.

She further declares that she was married to the said David Enoch the month of October 1803, in the County of Caswell in the State of North Carolina by a certain Nathan Williams a Justice of the peace, and that her said husband died in the County of Smith in the State of Tennessee in the month of October in the year 1808. And that she was afterwards married to a certain Philip Conrad on the 17th day of April in the year 1814, and who died in the month of August 1837, That she was not married to said David Enoch prior to the Second day of January 1800, but the time above Stated. She further declares that she is now a widow.

S/ Rachel Conrad, X her mark

[p 2 appears to be a discharge dated 14 June 1782 but the text is largely illegible. What I think I can detect of the text is:

"This May Certify that...

the 2nd N. C. Battlion is Intitled....

14th June 1782"



¹ former widow

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State of North Carolina Caswell County and in Captain James Currie Company this is to Certify that David Enoch was Drafted in Said Com^y & was Clear of the first Division Given under our hands this seventh day of March 1795

S/ Robert Park, Colo. S/ Jas Currie, Capt.

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