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Pension application of William Trammel (Trammell) W6312 Sarah fn183SC
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State of North Carolina Macon County

On this 10th day of December 1845, personally appeared before the Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Macon & State of North Carolina (now sitting in Franklin) Jacob B. Trammel a resident of said State & County, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the amount or arrearage of Pension which accrued and fell due to William Trammel under the act of Congress passed 7th of June 1832. He further declares that he is the son and heir at law of said William Trammel who was a Private Soldier in the War of the Revolution and served under the following named officers as herein Stated as he has often heard him say in his lifetime. That he entered the Service of the United States in the State of South Carolina, at the date he does not recollect or whether he was an enlisted, or volunteered Soldier he does not recollect, though he entered the service under one Captain Daniel Duff, in Colonel Brandon's Regiment & served therein sometime over three years after which he received a discharge what has become of that discharge he does not know. He further declares that his father the said William Trammel departed this life in Macon County North Carolina on the 12th day of December 1843 leaving surviving him the present applicant together with 3 other lawful legatees (viz.) Robert Trammel, Javan Trammel, & Jehue Trammel day being the only legal legatees & heirs at law of the said William Trammel and which is now surviving,

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court on the day and year above S/ J. K. Gray, Clerk S/ J. B. Trammel

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State of South Carolina Greenville District

On this 5th day of July 1850, personally appeared before me John Watson Judge of the Court of Ordinary for said District, Sarah Trammell, a resident of said District, aged 45 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 June 7th 1832: That she is the widow of William Trammel who was a soldier in the Army of the Revolution, Colonel Brandon's Regiment, General Sumter's Brigade, and was generally in service from the commencement of hostilities until the close of the War, as this Declarant has always understood and believes, and that during his service in the Revolution he the said William Trammel was dangerously wounded, Declarant believes at the City of Charleston or at the Cowpens, for which he was allowed a pension by the State of South Carolina at the rate of \$60 per annum: but to give the particulars of said services, Declarant cannot. She further declares that she was married to

the said William Trammel, on the 31st day of December 1836 or 1837, by Joseph McJunkin Esquire, of said District; and that her Husband, the aforesaid William Trammel died on the 15th day of October 1844 and that she has not intermarried since the death of her aforesaid Husband. Sworn to & subscribed on the day and year above written.

S/ John Watson, Judge

S/ Sarah Trammell, X her mark

[fn p. 12: in her bounty land application filed April 16, 1855 in Pickens District South Carolina, Sarah Trammell, 50, stated that she was married to William Trammel on December 26, 1838 by Joseph McJunkin, a magistrate; that her name prior to her marriage was Sarah Runnells and that her husband died at his sons residence in Macon County on October 15, 1843; that she is now a pensioner at the rate of \$80 per annum; she signs her name "Sarah Trammell"]

[fn p. 19: South Carolina Comptroller General's office certificate dated December 22, 1845 shillings payments made to William Trammel for service in the military under Brandon during the revolution.]