

## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of John Hoyles R5307

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State of North Carolina Johnston County: Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions February Term  
1846

Personally appeared before the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for said County of Johnston Ira Hoyles aged 50 years who being duly sworn doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Acts of Congress passed July 7th 1838 and March 3rd 1843, for the benefit of certain widows &c.

That he is a son of the late John Hoyles of the aforesaid County who was a private soldier in the War of the Revolution and served therein about 18 months – under what officers he does not know. That his father the said John Hoyles was married to Cintha Thomas in the year 1786 in the aforesaid County of Johnston.

That his father died the 14th day of February 1835 and left his mother Cintha his widow who remained his widow up to the 28th day of September 1843 when she died and left surviving her Ira Hoyles the Declarant the only living child of the said John Hoyles and his wife Cintha. This declarant further insist of the Department to grant to him also the Pensioned at was due his deceased father from the 4th March 1831 up to the time of his death which took place on the 14th day of February 1835 as above stated. This Declarant further states that the cause of his father and mother not applying for the pension in their life was that they were able to live without it tolerable well and did not apply – This 24th day of February 1846.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court

S/ Thomas Bagley, Clerk

S/ Ira Hoyles, X his mark