## **Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters**

Pension application of Jesse Jackson R5515 Transcribed by Will Graves Elizabeth Jackson f12NC rev'd 1/19/16

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## State of Tennessee, County of Haywood

On this the 18 day of September 1848 personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson formerly Elizabeth Simson [sic, Simpson?] a resident of Tennessee in the County of Haywood aged Eighty Six years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed July 7<sup>th</sup> 1838, which is extended under the acts of Congress March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1843, June 17<sup>th</sup> 1844 and February 24<sup>th</sup>, 1848 entitled an act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows that she is the widow of Jesse Jackson who was a volunteer in a Militiaman in the Revolutionary war the declarant states that from old age and for the want of Memory does not recollect the names of all the officers and regiments her Husband was under but to the best of her Recollection her husband entered his Services in Pasquotank County North Carolina in the year 1778, that part of his Service was under Captain Stevens [William Stevens] she thinks and General Gregory was at the scrimmage at Norfolk and Portsmouth Virginia and part of his time in South Carolina as well in North Carolina serving at different times and tours to the best of her Recollection 15 months which will appear by the proof that will be annexed. She further declares that she was married to the said Jesse Jackson in Pasquotank County North Carolina on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 1782, which will appear by the family Record which will accompany this declaration and that her husband the aforesaid Jesse Jackson died in Haywood County State of Tennessee on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 1826 that her Marriage took place previous to the first day of January 1794 viz. at the time above mentioned.

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year above written before me. S/ Anthony Carlton, Justice of Haywood County

S/ Elizabeth Jackson, X her mark

Attest in the presence of us S/ William B. Woodard S/ William Warren

State of Tennessee, Haywood County

On this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 1848 personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace of the County of Haywood and State aforesaid Mr. James Jackson aged 51 years doth certify that the family Record that will accompany the above declaration was written by Jesse Jackson himself and in his own hand write [sic] and has been kept in his possession ever since his death and Haywood County Tennessee. Sworn to and Subscribed the day and date above written before me.

S/ James Jackson

## James Jackson

S/ Anthony Carlton, JP [Bible Record]

Demsey [Dempsey?] Jackson & Dorcas Jinnings [sic, Jennings?] was married October 28<sup>th</sup> 1759 Jesse Jackson son of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was Born July the 9<sup>th</sup> 1761 Isaac Jackson son of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was Born December the 25<sup>th</sup> 1764 & Deceath [sic] Sept. the 17<sup>th</sup> 1771 Dec'd December 18<sup>th</sup> 1826

Ann Jackson Daughter of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was Born January the 20<sup>th</sup> 1768 James Jackson Son Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was Born October the 15<sup>th</sup> 1769 Asa Jackson Son of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was born July the 10<sup>th</sup> 1772

Malachi Jackson Son of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was born July the 2<sup>nd</sup> 1775 Susanah Jackson Daughter of Demsey Jackson & Dorcas his wife was born November the 19<sup>th</sup> 1777

Elizabeth Simson Daughter of William Simson & Rodey his wife was Born September the 18th 1762

Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth Simson was Married April the 18<sup>th</sup> 1782

Demsey Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elesabeth [sic] his wife was Born August the 19<sup>th</sup> 1783 Decst. Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> 1781 [last two digits are unclear]

Ruthe Jackson Daughter of Jesse Jackson & Elesabeth his wife was Born November the 25<sup>th</sup> 1784

William Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was born August the 18<sup>th</sup> 1786 Samuel Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born July the 15<sup>th</sup> 1788 & Decst. Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> 1794

Ann Jackson Daughter of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born February the  $13^{\rm th}$  1781 & Decst Oct.  $6^{\rm th}$  1794

Lovey Jackson Daughter of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born Apriel the  $30^{th}$  1793 & Decst Oct. the  $11^{th}$  1795

James Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born January the 30<sup>th</sup> 1796

Robirt [sic, Robert] Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born March the 12<sup>th</sup> 1798

Jesse Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was born January the 1<sup>st</sup> 1802 Malachi Jackson Son of Jesse Jackson & Elisabeth his wife was Born August 30<sup>th</sup> 1804

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