## Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension Application of John Alexander X9

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Know all men by these presents that I John Alexander aged 77 years a resident now of the County of Leavenworth and State of Kansas and a son of John Alexander a Soldier from the State of Virginia in the war of the Revolution do hereby constitute empower and appoint E. S. & L A Manager of same place or their substitute for me and in my name stead and behalf to ask call for and receive any patent or warrant for bounty land due the heirs of the said John Alexander for said Revolutionary services as well as to ask demand and received any and all information from the Department at Washington City D.C. and all public Officers any and all information relative to said claim as fully as he could do if personally present. He further states that he is now aged and infirm and his recollection of exact dates and facts are imperfect; that said John Alexander Revolutionary soldier died in Tennessee about the year 1825; that the undersigned his son has not received nor applied for any bounty land due him for said revolutionary services; nor does he believe any Warrant or patent has ever been received or delivered for the same. The foregoing is made for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the Acts of Congress made and enacted in such cases and he respectfully refers for the proof of his father's services to Public Document No 57 of 28<sup>th</sup> Congress 1<sup>st</sup> session Ho of Rep. War Dept. under the head of Virginia troops in the war of the Revolution [signed 18 Mar 1864] John Alexander

NOTE: A letter in the file explains that terms of the law providing for claims for bounty land for children of Revolutionary soldiers expired in May 1860.