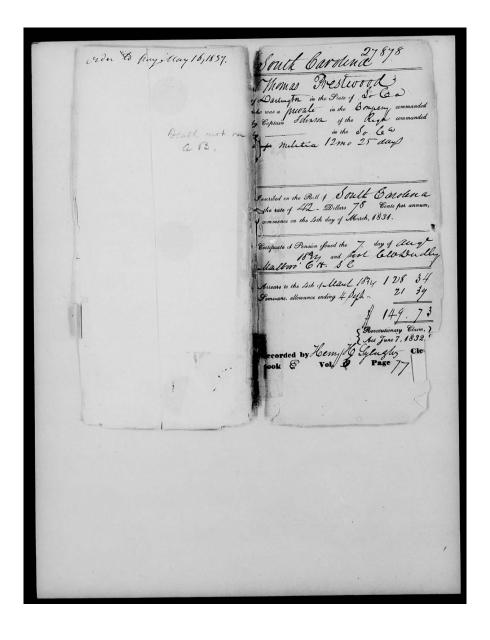
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Thomas Ellerbe . - rendermend at Cheraw. So. Ca.

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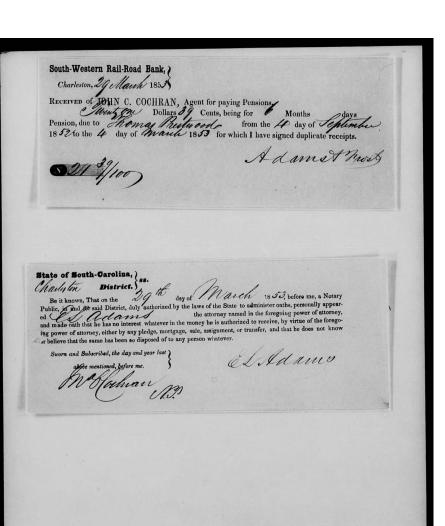
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These they personed sew the distance of 8 miles succe Thursday and cle worth relating during thingles Which lasted for one mouth in Campel , The balan of his Sorrier as a Soldier was of this chipracter the Mititio of Cravew County (now called Chesterfile) Dearlington & malbring to Districts) wourd dan de de the parts who were out duringly in Compo On mouth at a time of was to arrange two thirds of the mulities Companies were also home as a protestion from the Tories whitat the other there was with Gud marion an foreign duty. He (this Deponent) Sound in this m between 2 x 3 years always turning out when his duty required it. At these times he Some Some times under Capet Alex modutosto, Capet South Sones, Cafet Dan! Sparks + others, whose names he does not at Just readlet. He was form in Christofuld Dist to Ca on the 18th day of Jany 17h2 This ago was wended in a Book by his father Which Book was last on the death of his father he has already stated When he live when called with the Sorvice of the manners in which he Vervie Since the Revolutionary war he has Unid in Clusterfield District & Duting tow dis that in the latter of which places he now lives. He has no documentary evidence of his Services - his dischanges he has lost long since not Supposing they would ever be of dernier to him he took but little can of them whas lost them long Jenes The giver de circumstant

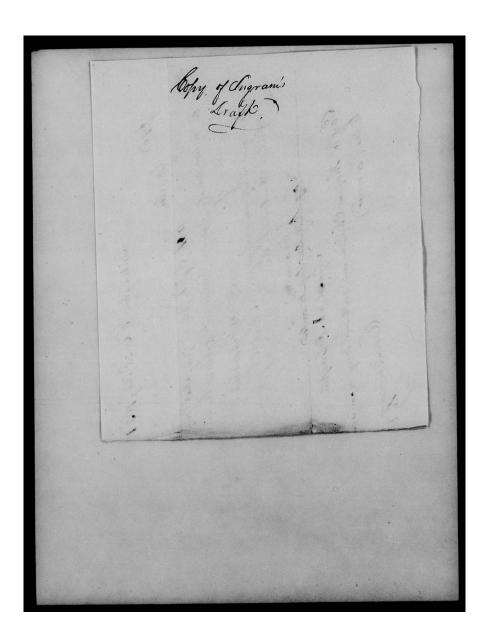
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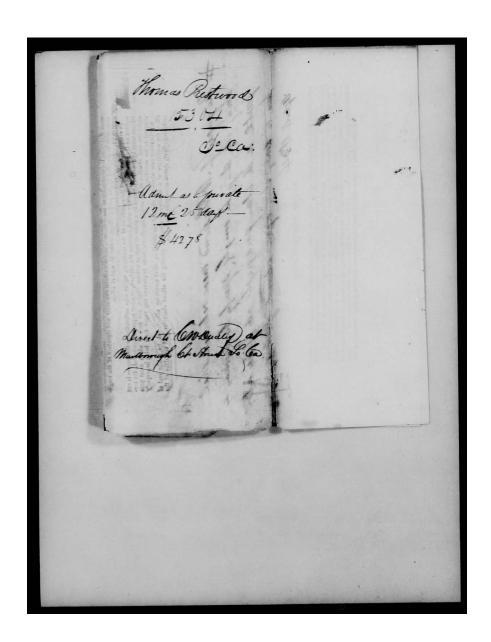
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BRIEF objections to the admission of Pension Claims, of which those answered in the negative in red ink, will apply to the claim of which require further proof or explanation.

- 1. Does the declaration show where the applicant resides?
- II. Did the declarant make the declaration in the county where he resides?
- III. If the applicant did not make the declaration in the county where he resides, is there are reason assigned for his not doing so?
- IV. Has the declarant mentioned the period or periods of the war when he served?
- V. * Has he mentioned with precision the length of his service, and the different grades in which he served, in language so definite as to enable the department to determine to what amout of pension he is entitled?

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- VII. Has he made a relinquishment of every claim to any other pension than the one under the Act of June 7, 1832?
- VIII. Has the Court given their opinion?
- IX. Has the Clerk given his certificate?
- X. Is the Clerk's seal affixed ? And if so, has it a device or inscription by which it can be distinguished from any other seal?

XI. Has the applicant obtained the evidence of a clergyman and another respectable citizen as to their belief respecting his age and the general belief in his neighborhood relative to his revolutionary service?

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- XII. If the clergyman's affidavit has not been produced, is there any reason assigned for not obtaining it?
- XIII. If the applicant has no documentary evidence, and has not obtained the testimony of at least one living witness, has he stated in his declaration that such proof cannot be had?
- XIV. † If the applicant's name is not found on the rolls of military service, has he produced a witness or witnesses as to his service?

 If he has produced direct proof as to service, has the magistrate who administered the oath,

certified to the credibility of the witness or witnesses?

Has the proper officer certified to the official character and signature of the magistrate as the regulations direct?

XV. Does it appear from any of the papers that the witness was in such a situation, or of such an age, as to have a personal knowledge of the applicant's service?

XVI. : Are the papers authenticated as the regulations direct? No have encleavoured to sufficient of this Character which we could did - XVII. Are the seven interrogatories prescribed by the War Department answered satisfactorily? And, if not, which of them is not so answered?

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

*QUERE V. In a case where the applicant cannot, by reason of the loss of memory, state precisely how long he served, he should amend his declaration by making an affidivit in the following words:

*Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace, &c. A. B. who, being daily sworn, deposeth and saith, that, by reason of old are, and the consequent loss of memory, he cannot swear positively as to the precise length of his serve, and the consequent loss of memory, he lection he served not less than the periods mentioned below the best of his recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned benefit of the property of the property of the served as a served at least a property of the property of the

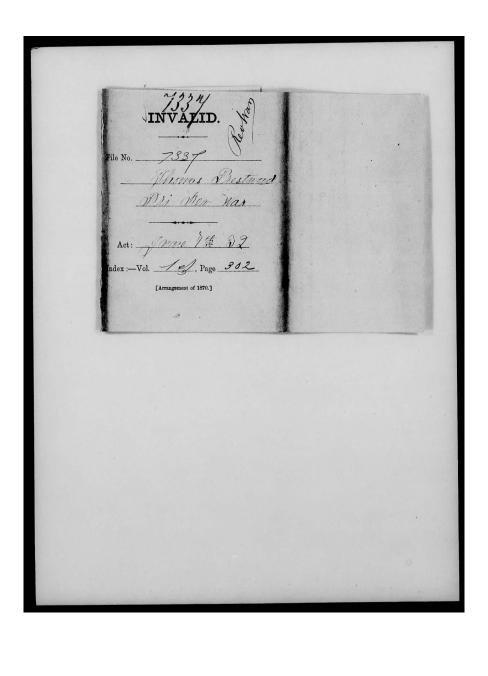
It is important in all cases to determine with precision the period for which each applicant served, and the particular rank he held, as the law directs the pension to be paid according to the grade of the pensioner and the length of his service. There were the pensioner than the length of his service. The term of the pension of the pension of the pensioner and the length of his service. The term of the pension of the pens

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State of South Garolina , Garlington District S Buit Snewn that before me Charles B Fort a Magestrate in and for the District aforesaid personally appeared Thomas Freshwood and made Cath, in due form of law, that he is the identical person named in an original certificate in his posses-- sion of which I certify, the following is a tome copy War Department, Acvolationary Claim, I cortify that in conformity with the law of the United States of the Joune 1802 Thomas Frestwood of the State of South Carolina who was a private in the War of the devolution is intilled to receive chorty two dollars and Seventy eight cents for annum during his natural life, commencing on the fourth of March 1831, and payable semi - annually on the 11 of March and 4th of September in every Siven at the Wat Office of the United States this deventh day of August One thousand right hundred and thirty four John Horsyth Examened and Countersigned Acting Secretary of many of & Couvards Comme foroner of Pensions that he now resides in Chesterfield District and has resided there for the space of Vinter years past, and that previous thereto he resided in the same District and Parling ton Owern and Subscribed this Thomas & Frestwood Eighteenth day of Harch 1558 Witnes & Fort Magistrate

State of South Parolina .

District of Darlington .

18th Murch 1883.

I Charles to Fort a Magistration in the District above named do hereby certify that I have the most satisfactory cridence from Gersonal knowledge that Thomas Fraktwood who has the day appeared before me to lake the Gath of identify is the identical person named in the Sension Certificate which he has exhibited to me numbered 27878 and bearing date at the War Office the Seventh day of August 1834 and signed by John Forsyth Action decretary of Mary Signed by John Forsyth Action decretary of Mary Charles B. Fort .

Seven under my hand at Society Still on the day and year above wistless of the Court of Darlington District Charles B. Fort .

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of 10 Brunson block of the Goart of Darlington Destrict certify that Charles IS Fort is a Magisteak as above and that the foregoing Signature purporting to be his is geneine, In testimony whereof I have hereunt affect my Seat of Affrice and Subscribed my Seat of Affrice and Subscribed my Seat of Affrice and Subscribed my stance this theory first day of March in the year 1800

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Threw all men by these presents that I Thomas Freshwood of South Garolina a Revolutionary Gensioner of the United States do thereby constitute and appoint Mefer Adams & Frest my true and lawful Altorney, for me and in my name to receive from the agent of the United States for paying Finsions in Charleston South Carolina, my Pension from the fourth of September 1802 to the fruit of March 1500 Witness my hand and Seal this 15 day of March 1500 Saled and delivered Thomas of Freshwood (Las) in Freeence of M. Coher State of South Parolina Varlington District 5. be it known that on the Eighteenth day of March 1853, before the subscriber a Magistrate in all for vaid District personally appeared Thomas Frestwood above named and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Mithracy to be his act and deed In testimony whereof I have berount det my hand Charles B. Fartthe day and year above mentioned



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Service: S.C.

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