

No. 11588

WAR OF 1812.

SURVIVORS' PENSION.

Georgia
Thomas Bryan

Rank
Company Capt. J. Waters

Regiment
Georgia Militia

Washington D. C. Agency.

Rate per month—Eight dollars.

Commencing February 1st, 1871.

Certificate dated 27th Jan 1872
and sent to Pension Agent.

Act 11th February, 1871.

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J. M. Kwaning Clerk.

Consolidated with Widow
31779 Dec. 27/73

Cert. No. 23496 Feb

No. 23496.

WAR OF 1812.

Act of March 9, 1878.

DEAD.
WIDOWS' PENSION.

Georgia
Roman Bryan

widow of
Thomas Bryan

Rank *Pvt*
Company *Capt. J. Waters.*

Regiment *G. Milie*

Truxville Agency.

Rate per month—Eight dollars.

Commencing ~~March 9, 1878~~
July 26, 1878.

Certificate dated *May 21/79*
and sent to Pension Agent.

27 May 79
J. F. Blackman Clk.

29917-80-55

DROPPED

Apr 25 1911

Auditor advised of Death.

MAY 1 - 1911 *N.Y.N.*

MAY 6 - 1911 *Act March 2, 1895*
in to W. W. S. Myers
1931 Jan. 29 - Hist. to Lena Bryan

Military

23496

No. 31,779
At 29917 " 80 " 55
SERVICE PENSION.

WAR OF 1812.

Act of March 9, 1878 -
Thomasin Bryan
La Fayette, Walker Co. Geo.
WIDOW of Thomas Bryan
Private - Capt. J. Waters
Geo. Mil.

Died July 25, 1878

Sar. Oct. 11, 1888
inside
Feb

Received Sept. 18, 1878.
Claimant
as ator.

Attorney.

Oct 5 - 1878
Feb 6/79 - Atty for
mar. & death of soldier

1871
Oct 30. F. and
" " Character of

Jan 31 Act of Congress

H. B. C.

NO 18458

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ACT OF FEBRUARY 14, 1871.
WAR OF 1812.

Thomas Bryan
La Fayette, Walker Co, Ga
Capt Jack Waters Co
Georgia Milit

Discharged March, 1815.

Imm. Cert. 11588

Widow 31.779
Albany Washington D.C.
L.H.

Received June 1871
Samuel V. Niles
Washington
D.C.

Attorney.

127.036 Sept 16/57

^{137.833}
Thomas Bryan private
Capt John Walton
Georgia Militia
Col _____ Indian War

Co. D Oct 2/1st - 1814
also April 1st - 1815
May 6

2 service
Capt Samuel _____
Major Charles H Nelson

Co. D August - 1836
also Nov - 1836
This man served under Capt Walker
from 21st Nov 14 to 6th May 15 - exposed
to 2 addl for 2 miles

Phram
R. M. Aycock Esq
Lafayette Walker County
warrant #34228 of Georgia
May 11/59 (sent)

Josh. Clark

116 - ind
1872 ind
Den 31.7.79
2^d Service from 4 July to 1 Oct 1836

2^d Co. O } M. Layton
29 Apr 1832 } 2^d Quarter

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127,833 Oct Mar 3 53
127,036 May 19 53

Thomas Bryan Sr

April 8 1853
~~Capt W. Altman~~
~~Capt Harris~~
~~Col Nelson~~
Ga Mill

break war

Red war 80
Mines 80
OKL

Thomas Bryan
Valley Store
Chattanooga
Ga

Call
Hamilton

29917

St. Louis

Spec. Order of Knoxville
No. 31,779
March 9/79
Oct. No. 234,96

SERVICE PENSION,
War of 1812.

Original Case
Report from
Act of

WIDOW'S BRIEF.

Thomelin Bryan, widow of
Thomas Bryan
Rank: *Private*
Captain: *Jack Waters*
Regiment: *Militia*
State: *Georgia*
Post Office: *La Fayette*, County of *Walker*, State of *Georgia*
Attorney: *Claimant* P. O.: *as above*
County, State of _____, For _____

Application filed *September 18th, 1878*
Sum of ~~Money~~ *Benefit No. 11,588 Washington City, Md. paid July 28/79*
Alleged service: *Private in Capt. J. Waters' Co. Georgia Militia, and served 2 months in 1814 & 1815.*
Receipt evidence of service: *January 19/72 Auditor reports that Thomas Bryan served in Capt. Jack Waters' Co. Georgia Militia from Nov. 21st 1814 to 6th April 1815.*
Paid evidence of service: _____
Length of service: *89 days (prints from office) - Total 167 days*
Proof of identity: *Attesting witnesses Mrs. Myers and A. Mills. Similarity of her and soldier's declarations.*
Proof of loyalty: _____
Admitted *April 21st, 1879* to a pension of *THIRTY DOLLARS* per month from ~~July 26, 1878~~ *March 29/78* ~~the day after the soldier's death.~~
NO pension previously applied for

Alex. R. Spell Pension Secretary.
Donny Land *29917-12-00 issued*
W. Robinson Donny Land Searcher.
C. S. Medary Examiner.
APPROVED *April 23, 1879.*
M. C. Jones Receiver. (OVER.)

SUMMARY OF PROOF.

Date 8th August 1847. Thomas Bryan
 Marriage. Thomas Grogan as per her ~~own~~ and soldier's
 declarations and the affidavits of James Y. Deek
 and John Cattell who were eye witnesses to
 said marriage. Her affidavit of M. M. S. Myers
 & John Edge who knew her to exhibit herself
 Proof as to capacity as man & wife for many years. Claimant says she
 to marry. was previously married to Mary Grogan who died Aug 23rd 1846.
 Date 25th July 1848. as per her declaration
 Death of soldier. and affidavits of John Cattell and M. M. S.
 Myers and John Edge
 Widowhood. Affidavits of John Cattell and M. M. S. Myers
 and John Edge.

INCIDENTAL MATTER.

2 SERVICE PENSION.
 War of 1812.

WIDOW'S BRIEF.

Claim No. 31,779
 Certificate No.
 Age of Widow 9/178
 Claimant, Thomas Bryan
 Soldier, Thomas Bryan
 Admitted
 Examined, C. S. L. Lecky
 Administered Oath 23, 1848
 J. B. Jones

WAR OF 1812.

ACT FEBRUARY 14, 1871.

18458 Wash Dc 11588

BRIEF OF CLAIM FOR A SURVIVOR'S PENSION

In the case of Thomas Bryan, a
 of Captain Jack Walker's Company, Colonel Reg't.
La Fayette, La Fayette, Pa
 Residence: La Fayette, Pa
 POST OFFICE ADDRESS: Walker, Co. Pa
 Enlisted Nov 21, 1814, discharged May 6, 1815
 Served afterward from _____, 18____, to _____, 18____
 in Captain _____ Company, Colonel Reg't.

Declaration and identification in due form, filed June 8, 1871.

SERVICE FOR SIXTY DAYS, SHOWN AS FOLLOWS:

Report of Chief Auditor shows that Thomas Bryan served in Capt Jack Walker's Co Pa Militia, from Nov 21, 1814 to May 6, 1815.

Length of service, 167 days.

Claimant declares he is not a pensioner under any previous act. Name not on list of pensioners.

Oath, claimant's averment and testimony of, A. Shaw & R. D. Adams

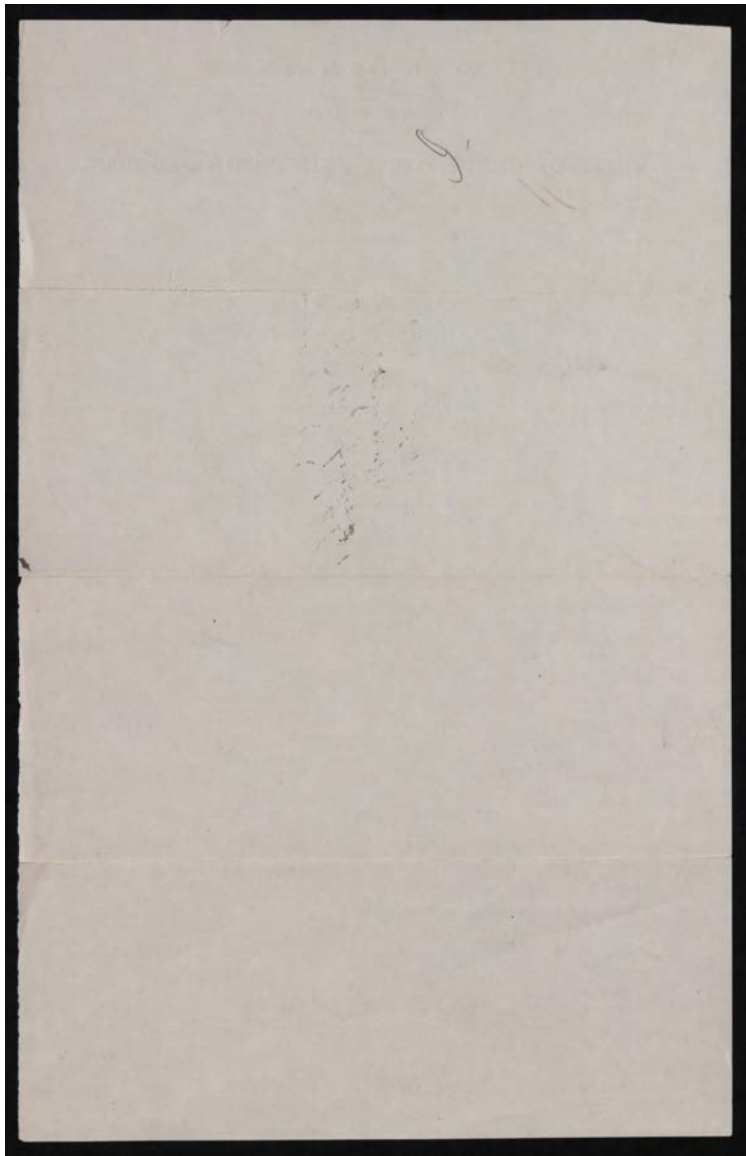
Credibility of witnesses certified to by J. H. Raymond

Oath to support the Constitution of the United States subscribed. La Fayette

Admitted Jan 24, 1872, to a pension of eight dollars per month, from February 14, 1871.

David V. Miles
Washington
App'l.

H. B. King
La Fayette
Reviewer.



PENSIONER DROPPED.

United States Pension Agency,

KNOXVILLE, TENN.

Apl 29, 1901

Certificate No. *23496*

Class **WIDOW.** *Mar 1812*

Pensioner *Thomasin Bryan*

Soldier *Thomas "*

Service *1st Lt. Jack Waters Co La
rail*

The Commissioner of Pensions.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the
above-named pensioner who was last paid
at \$ *12*, to *4 Aug 1910*
has been dropped because of *death*
Sept 13 1910

Very respectfully,

Am Rule

United States Pension Agent.

NOTE.—Every name dropped to be thus reported at once,
and when cause of dropping is death, state date of death
when known.

U.S. POST OFFICE
MAY 1 1911
PENSION

FINANCE DIVISION
APR 27 1911
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Personally appeared before
me F. C. Griffin a Special
Examiner of the US Pension
Bureau. William a Foster
who deposes and says that
Thomson Brown was my
Aunt and a Pensioner of
No 23496 who died
Sept 13 1910
W. A. Foster

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 8 day Dec 1911.
and I certify that the contents
were fully made known
to the deponent before
signing
F. C. Griffin
Special Examiner

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY
PERSONALLY INTERVIEWED AND ASKED
THE DEponent ALL THE QUESTIONS
THAT ARE NECESSARY TO BE ASKED
IN ORDER TO DETERMINE THE
FACTS OF THE CASE

F. C. Griffin

Dec 8 11

closed

Walker Co
1868
WAR OF 1812

Name: *Bryan, Thomasin*

Certificate No. *23496*

Name of Soldier:

Rank, Company and Regiment:

Rate and commencement of pension:

Date of certificate: *21 May 1879*

Names of Minors: Commencement: Ending:



Post-office address and Remarks:
*At 2 Lafayette, Ga.
Walker Co*

Last paid to—

127036



1862

FREE

Commissioners of Pensions
Washington
D. C.

La Fayette Ga

Sept 10th 1878

Dear Sir

Having this day
my application for pension
as my husband was drawing
a pension at his death I
suppose no further proof will
be required. But if so please
let me know

Very Respectfully

Mrs. Phoebe Bryan

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PENSION AGENCY
RECEIVED
MAY -2 1911
KNOXVILLE
TENN.

Lafayette Ga R.F.D. 2 May 1st 1911

Hon Mr Ruler

U S Pension agt
Knoxville Tenn.

My Dear Sir, I write you
in regard to a balance of Bryan,
U.S. Pension due one Mrs Thomasine,
who was a pensioner of the War
of 1812; Under Certificate no 23,496
The said pensioner Mrs Thomasine
Bryan died on the 13th of
September 1910. I am the
legal representative of her estate
having been appointed Executor
of her Will. I have qualified
as such as the Certificate
from the Hon C. Foster, Ordinary
of Macon Co Ga, herewith enclosed
shows. I have in my possession
the Voucher for said pensioner
for the period from Aug 4th 1910

U. S. OFFICE.
L
MAY 8 1911

To Nov 4th (2) 1910. I do not
know whether or not I should
send to you said voucher
at this time. I will await
your instructions in the matter.
I also have the pension certificate
of said pensioner. I suppose
that there will be something due
the estate of said pensioner for
the time from Aug 4th 1910 to
the time of the death of said
pensioner, which occurred as
above stated, on Sept 13th 1910
if not for the whole quarter.

Please let me hear from
you at your earliest convenience
relative to the matter in question.
Please instruct me how to
proceed to collect whatever
amount of pension may be
due the estate of the said deceased
pensioner.

Very Respectfully
W. W. S. Myers
Executor of Mrs Thomasin Bryan

U. S. OFFICE
MAY 8 1911
L. S. DIVISION

SAMUEL V. NILES,
ATTORNEY,
No. 1733 I Street,
(Between 17th and 18th Streets.)
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington,

November 16th 1871,

Hon. J. H. Baker,
Commr Pension.

Sir:

I file herewith
as addl. evidenc. in support
of the Pension claim of Thomas
Bryan, War 1812, No. 18458
the cert. of Jame' H.
Rogers, Esq, Postmaster, as to
the good character of the witness.

Very Respectfully,

Samuel V. Niles



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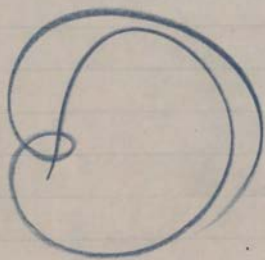
Sofayette Co.
April 2. 1879

Mr. J. A. Bentley
Comm. Pension
Washington

Dear Sir

Please find
herewith testimony in my
case of claim for pension on
account of services of Mrs. Bryan
my husband in war of 1812
which I trust will be satisfactory

Very Respectfully
Mrs. Phoebe Bryan



Georgia
Walker County

Personally came before me R. N.
Dickerson Clerk of the Superior
Court of said County the same being
a Court of record James L Deck
and after being duly sworn deposes that
in the year of eighteen and forty seven
in the County & State afore mentioned
he was present and was an eye witness
to the marriage of Mrs Thomason Bry-
gon the widow of Thos. Brygon De-
ced and knows of his own knowledge
that the Mrs Thomason Bryant was
legally married to the said Thomas Bry-
gon and that the said Mrs Thomason
Bryant now applying for Pension as
the widow of Thomas Brygon is the sa-
me ^{woman} that was married in the year afore
mentioned and he further avers that
the afore said parties were living to-
gether as man & wife when the said
Thomas Brygon died and affiant fur-
ther avers that he has no interest in said
Pension whatever

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this
Feb 25th 1879
R. N. Dickerson Clerk
Supr Court Walker County Georgia

Georgia J. Robert M.
Walker County Dickerson Clerk

I, said Superior Court of
said County hereby certify
that James D. Dick the affiant
affiant is personally known
by me to be a respectable and
credible person of good standing
in society and worthy of full
belief, & has held the office
of the collector in said
County. Given under
my hand and official
signature this 4th day of Feb 1879

R. M. Dickerson
Clerk Supr Court Walker County



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EXAMINER

Box 954, Atlanta, Ga.

Oct 16, 1911

THE POSTMASTER,

La Fayette Ga
Walker Co

Sir:

Desiring to personally interview *Thomasin Bryan*
, a pensioner,

in connection with pension claim No. _____, I would
thank you to promptly inform me, by indorsement hereon and under cover of
the inclosed envelope, whether *he* reside within the delivery
of your office, and, if so, at what distance and in what direction therefrom,
and when you last saw him. If *he* does not reside within your delivery,
any information you may furnish with respect to *his* post-office address and
nearest town or railway station will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

F. C. GRIFFIN.

Special Examiner.

LaFayette, Ga.

Oct 20, 1911

Returned to F.C.Griffin,

Atlanta, Ga. with the

information Mrs Bryan is dead,
died Sept 13th 1910,

W.W.S.Myres is executor for
her estate, and gets his mail
at this office,

FINANCE DIVISION
DEC 19 1911
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

W.H. Carroll

Postmaster.

No. 18458 *W*

Treasury Department,
THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

January 17th 1872.

Respectfully returned to the Com-
missioner of Pensions with the informa-
tion that the rolls of Capt. *Jack*
Water Company of
Georgia Militia show
that *Thomas Bryan*
served from 21st November, 1814,
to 6th May, 1815.

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Allan Rushford
Auditor.



January 29, 1931

Lena Bryan
118 Fayetteville Street
Van Buren, Arkansas.

Rev. & 1812 Wars Section
AWF- W.C. 23496
Thomas Bryan

Dear Madam:

You are advised that it appears from the War of 1812 records of this bureau that Thomas Bryan was born in Elbert County, Georgia, date not stated.

He enlisted and served in Captain Jack Water's company of Georgia Militia from November 21, 1814 to May 6, 1815.

He also stated that he enlisted in August 1836 in Captain Samuel Paris' company of Georgia Mounted Volunteers and was "in the removal of the Creek Indians beyond the Mississippi River", served three months.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 24, 1871, at which time he was living in Walker County, Georgia, and was aged seventy-seven years.

He died July 25, 1878 at his residence in Walker County, Georgia.

The soldier's first wife, Mary Dooley, died July 23, 1844 in Walker County, Georgia. There are no further details as to her.

He married August 8, 1847 in Walker County, Georgia, Thomasin Grogan.

She was allowed pension on her application executed September 5, 1878, at which time she was a resident of said

Walker County, aged fifty-four years.

She died September 13, 1910.

Soldier's children by his second wife are referred to, but no names are given. There is no reference to children by the first wife.

Very truly yours

E. W. MORGAN
Acting Commissioner.

Bureau of Pensions
Washington, D.C.

Rev & 1812 "ars Section
AWF:MLB

Some time ago I wrote you about Thomas Bryan of Georgia. Your very clear record gives a Thomas Bryan of Laurens County, Georgia. The Thomas Bryan, whose record I am hunting lived in Elbert County, Georgia. His son, James Tillman Bryan was born there in 1817.

Thomas Bryan is thought to have gone there from South Carolina.

~~He helped move the Indians from Georgia to the territory set aside for them by the Government. He served in some war and drew a pension. His second wife drew ~~his~~ a pension after his death.~~ *ran*

His children by his first wife were:

James Tillman
Riley
Mack
Jesse

by his second wife:

Leander Crook
Augustus Grogan
Greenberry Gordon
Thomas
Willie
Phoenicia
Asa

This Thomas Bryan died in Elbert County. His wife lived there after his death and drew a pension there.

Please see if you can find a pension record of this Thomas and let me have all the details given in the record.

Sincerely

Lena Bryan

Lena Bryan
118 Fayetteville Street
Van Buren, Arkansas



STATE OF *Georgia*
COUNTY OF *Walker* } ss.

On this *fourth* day of *September* 1857, personally appeared before me,
Eddy Bevent Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid,
Thomas Bryan aged *fifty seven* years, a resident of
Sain Mable County in the State of *Georgia* who
being duly sworn according to law, declares, that he is the identical *Thomas Bryan* who
who was a *private* in the *Regiment - (Georgia)* commanded by
Gen. John M. Smith in the *Georgia* *Militia*
of *Georgia* commanded by
Captain John Matters in the war with *the South* in

deceased in the year 1814-15
that he *volunteered* at *Charleyville Franklin County* on or
about the *first* day of *October* A. D. 1814 for the term of
six months and continued in actual in service in said war for the term of
six months, & so on and was honorably discharged at *Fort Hawkins*
on the *21st* day of *April* A. D. 1815 *at Mobile*
Superior by the Muster rolls of file in the War
of 1814 - having received the Certificate of
discharge

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the
act granting bounty land, passed September 28th, 1850.

Thomas Bryan

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day and year above written.
AND I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I believe the said *Thomas Bryan*
to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.

Eddy Bevent J.P.

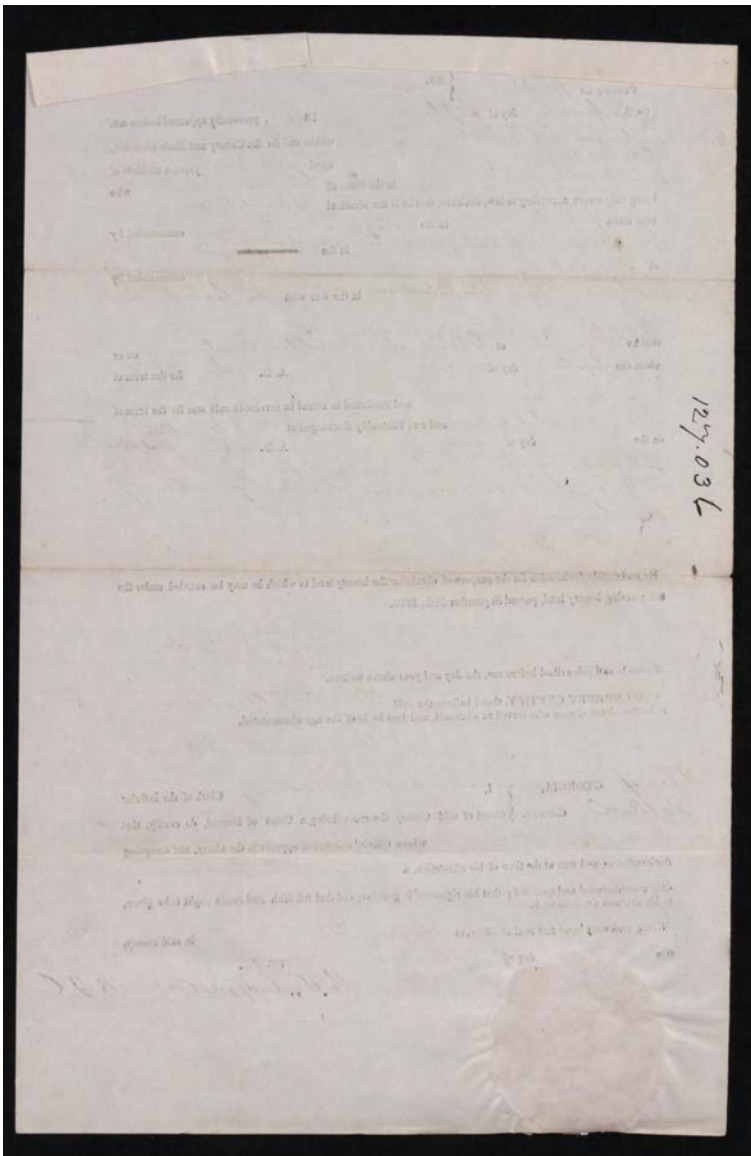
State of GEORGIA, } I, *Richard W. Leasady* Clerk of the Inferior
Walker COUNTY, } Court of said County, the same being a Court of Record, do certify, that
Eddy Bevent whose Official attestation appears to the above, and foregoing

declaration is, and was at the time of his attestation, a *Justice of the Peace*
duly commissioned and qualified; that his signature is genuine, and that full faith and credit ought to be given,
to his acts and deeds as such.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at *Safayette* in said county,
this *14th* day of *September* 1857.



R. W. Leasady M J C



127.036

STATE OF Georgia }
County of Walker } SS.

On this fourth day of September 1857, personally appeared before me,

Edley Bevert, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid,
Thomas Bryan aged 57 years, a resident of
Walker County in the State of Georgia

who being duly sworn according to law, declares, that he is the identical Thomas Bryan
who was a private in the ~~Military~~ ^{Volunteer} ~~Company~~ ^{Company} commanded by
~~Major~~ Charles Robinson in the Georgia Militia

of the State of Georgia commanded by
Capt. Samuel Smith in the war with the Creek Indians
in the year 1836.

that he ~~Volunteered~~ at Lafayette Walker Army on or
about the day of August A. D. 1836 for the term of

Three months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of
near three months and was honorably discharged at Fort Scott
on the day of November A. D. 1836.

as will show by the Muster rolls of files in
the War Office having annexed the
certificates of discharge

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the
act granting bounty land, passed September 28th, 1850.

Edley Bevert

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day and year above written.

AND I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I believe the said Thomas Bryan
to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.
Edley Bevert J.P.

State of GEORGIA, } I, Richard W. Casady, Clerk of the Inferior
Walker County, } Court of said County, the same being a Court of Record, do certify, that

Edley Bevert whose Official attestation appears to the above, and foregoing
declaration is, and was at the time of his attestation, a Justice of the Peace

duly commissioned and qualified; that his signature is genuine, and that full faith and credit ought to be given,
to his acts and deeds as such.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Lafayette in said county,
this fourth day of September 1857.
R. W. Casady M.C.



STATE OF

IN SENATE
January 18, 1870

127036

To the Comisary General of the State
I do hereby certify that the within and
above named person is a free man and
is entitled to the same rights and
privileges as other citizens of the State
and is not a convict or a person
under any legal disability.

John P. Ryan



State of Georgia

County of Walter On this 8th day of May 18th one thousand eight hundred and fifty five Personally appeared before me James H. Rodgers a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State of said Thomas Bryan aged thirty one years a Resident of Walter County in the State of Georgia who being duly sworn according to law declares that he is the said Thomas Bryan who was a private in the Company commanded by Captain Samuel Harris in the Regiment of Georgia Militia Volunteers Commanded by Col. Nelson in the removal of the Creek Indians beyond the Mississippi River for the term of three months and continued in actual service in the removal of said Creek Indians for fourteen days that he has heretofore made application for Bounty Land under the act of March 22^d 1853 and received a land warrant (not yet recalled) for Eighty acres which he has since legally disposed of and cannot now return

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the additional Bounty Land to which he may be entitled under the act approved the 2^d day of March 1853. He also declares that he has never applied for or received under this or any other act of Congress any Bounty Land warrant except the one above mentioned.

James H. Rodgers

We Alisha Crawford and James Kirklin residents of Walter County in the State of Georgia upon our oaths declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by Thomas Bryan in the presence and that we believe from the appearance and statements of the applicant that he is the identical person he represents himself to be.

Alisha Crawford

James Kirklin

The foregoing declaration and affidavit were sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and year above written and I certify that I know the applicants to be credible persons that the claimant is the person he represents himself to be and that I have no interest in this claim.

Alisha Crawford

James Kirklin

State of Georgia, ss.
 County of Walker, ss. Charles F. Bruckner, Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, do hereby certify that James M. Rogers has the within subscribed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit made and who has the within subscribed his name to the same as being a Justice of the Peace within and for the County aforesaid duly commissioned and sworn and that his signature thereto is genuine.

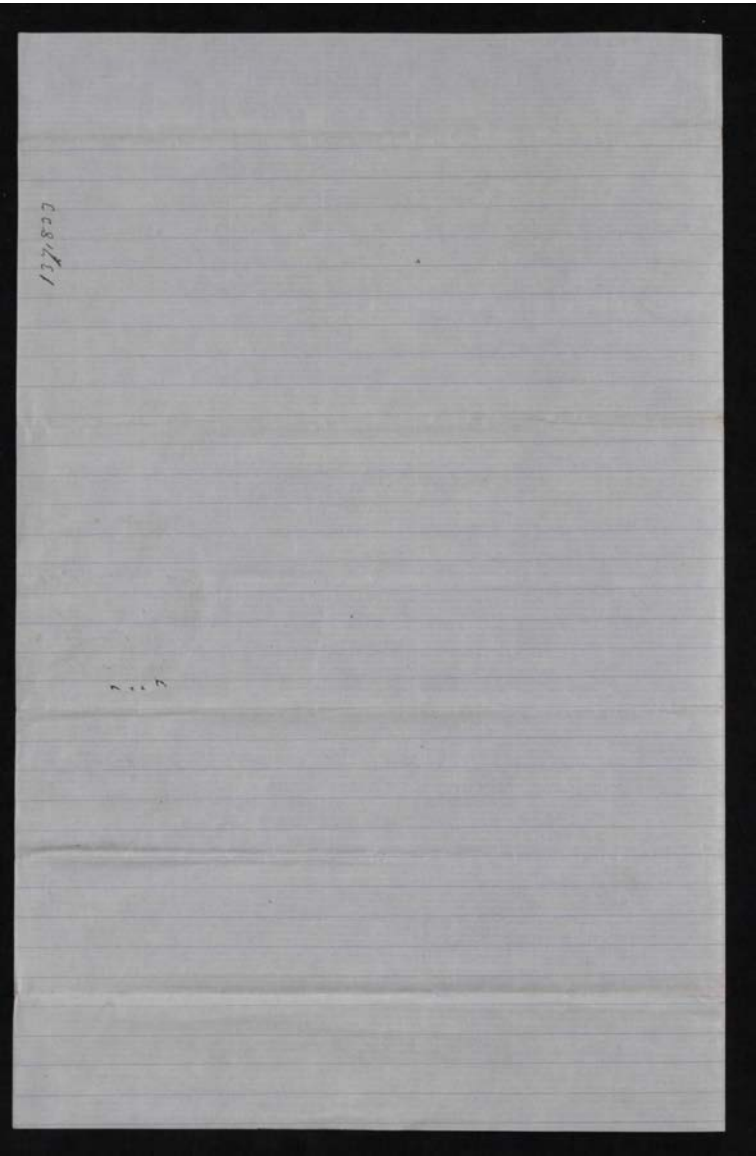
In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the seal of the Superior Court for the County aforesaid this 5th day of May 1855
 Charles F. Bruckner
 Clerk



Valley Store, Chattooga Co. Ga. May 11th 1855
 W. B. Wadde, County Recorder

See if there is any defect in the foregoing application you will please inform me immediately by letter and the warrant if granted to Valley Store, Chattooga Co. Ga.

Very respectfully yours
 Thomas Bryan



State of Georgia ss. In person comes
Walter County & before me the undersigned
Robert N. Dickerson
clerk of the Superior Court of
said County and State the same
being a Court of Record.
John Catlett a citizen of said
County, of good standing in
society and whom I certify to be
of respectability and creditability,
and who being by me duly
sworn according to law deposes
and on oath says that he knew
Thomas Bryan late of said
County, now deceased on account
of whose services in the war of 1812
his surviving widow Mrs. Thomas
Bryan has applied for a pension
that he also knows the said
Thomas Bryan, and has
personally known them both for
more than thirty five years prior
to the death of the former, that
they were married in said County
and State on the eight (8th) day
of August in the year 1847 by
Elder, Edwin Dyer a regular
Minister of the Gospel that

deponent was present at said
marriage and then any eye witness
to the same and of his own knowl-
edge knows that it was consummated
or consummated. That said Thomas
Bryan remained from the County as
a refugee during the late war and
that he never returned to it
since and deponent has been
repeatedly informed and fully
believes that the said St. John finally
moved to Arkansas near Little
Rock and died there since the
late war. That the said Thomas
Bryan died in said County on
the 5th day of July 1878 leaving
the said Phoebe Bryan his
widow with two children in said
County and has never remarried
since the death of his said husband
deponent is able to fix the date
of said marriage because he was
at the time Sheriff & Justice of the
Inferior Court of said County and
was present to by said Thomas Bryan
to perform the ceremony of marriage
in the said Court with Edward Bryan
father to the present and by

the justice of the Court deponent
knows was married about a
month thereafter deponent further
says that he has recently found
years of age on the 11th day
of last May and that he has
no interest whatever directly
or indirectly in said claim for
pension deponent further says
that James B. Cook was present at
said marriage. J. B. Cook

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 11th day of
1879.

W. A. Richardson, Sheriff of said County
Also comes before me at the same
time and place John Edge and W.
M. Bryan, said to be and reported to
be citizens of said County who
having duly sworn on oath
say that they have known Thomas
Bryan late of said County, deponent
and his wife Phoebe Bryan
for many years prior to the death
of said Thomas Bryan with
reference their own recollections
made in said County and

the 25th day of July 1878

leaving Mrs. Thomassin Bryan
his widow who has applied for
a pension for the services of the
former in the war of 1812 that
the said Thomassin Bryan has
not since the death of her said
husband remarried. Deponents
were not present at the marriage
of said parties and cannot of their
own knowledge say that they
were married but do say that
for many years prior to the death
of said Thomas Bryan and up to
his death they lived together notoriously
and constantly as husband and
wife and were so recognized
universally and near children
now grown and over 21 years of
age as such husband and wife
deponents further say they have no
interest whatever directly or indirectly
in said claim for pension and
each states his age as follows
John Edge fifty three years old
W. W. S. Rogers 20. W. S. Rogers thirty one
years old



sworn to and subscribed
before me this 25th day of July 1878
W. W. S. Rogers
John Edge
R. A. Dickerson
Clerk of the Court Walker County Ga

Department of the Interior,
PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., Oct 30, 1871.

Sir:
In the claim for pension of Thos Bryan
of the War of 1812, under the Act February 14, 1871,
No. 18458 A. Shaw and
R. B. Dickerson testify to the claimant's loyalty.

You are required to show by the certificate of an officer of a United States Court, a United States Commissioner, an Assessor, Assistant Assessor, Collector, Deputy Collector or Supervisor of Internal Revenue, or a Postmaster, to the satisfaction of this Office that, after careful investigation, he is convinced the above witnesses are men of undoubted good character for truth and veracity, and that their statements in the affidavits referred to are worthy of full faith and credit.

Very respectfully,

J. H. Barber

Commissioner.

James V. Miles
City

undoubted good character for truth and veracity and that their statements in the affidavits referred to are worthy of full faith and credit

Given under my hand and official signature this
November 9th 1871

James H. Rogers P.M.
Lafayette Geo

State of Georgia }
Milled County }
To Hon. J. H. Baker
Commissioner or other
Officers of Pension Office
Department of Interior Washington D.C.

I James M. Rogers
Postmaster at La Fayette in
said County do hereby certify
that after careful investigation
and long personal acquaintance
with A. Shaw and P. B. Richardson
who testified to the Claimants loyalty
in case of Claim for Pension
of Thomas Rogers Survivor of
War of 1812 under act of February
14th 1841. No. 18.450 I am fully
convinced that said above
named witnesses are men of
undoubted good character for
truth and veracity and that
their statements in the affidavit
referred to are worthy of full
faith and credit

Given under my hand and
official Signature this
November 9th 1841
James M. Rogers P.M.
Lafayette Geo

James M. Rogers

Pension Claim

No 18458

Mar 1872

Adm. Evidence

Thomas Bryan

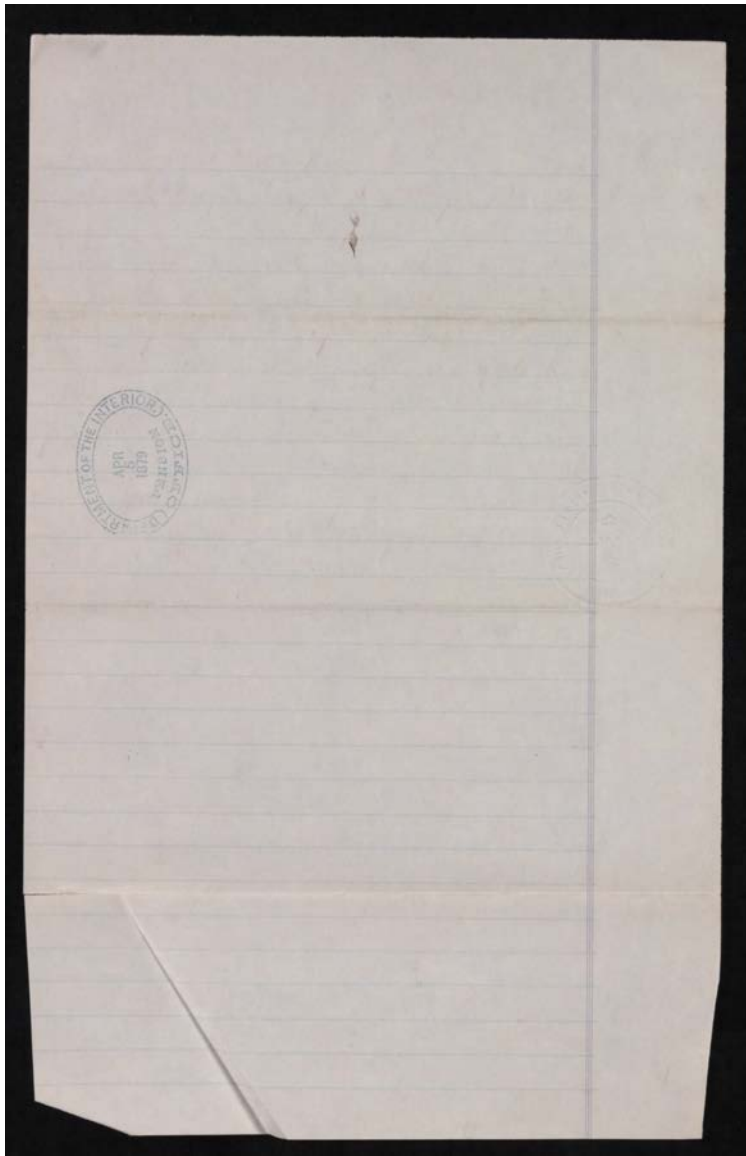
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Washington City

Nov. 16 1871

George Milton Rubeo Ordinary in and for
Waldo County, said county do hereby certify that the
Ordinaries of said State are the proper
custodians of the the records of marriages licensed
in this respective counties and that all the records
of the Court of Ordinary of said county were lost
or destroyed during the war between the States and
that there are no records of marriages in this office
prior to the year eighteen hundred and sixty
five

Given under my hand and seal of the Court
of Ordinary this 1st day of April 1879
George Milton Rubeo Ordinary



WAR OF 1812.

ACT OF FEB. 14, 1871.

Department of the Interior,
PENSION OFFICE,

Oct 30, 1871.

Sir:

You are respectfully requested to furnish official evidence of the enrollment, muster, service, and duty of Nos Projan, who at _____ on the _____ day of _____ 18, in Captain Jack Waters Company _____ Regiment Ja M, and who was discharged at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 18. He again enlisted at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 18, in Captain _____ Company _____ Regiment, and was discharged therefrom at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 18.

The following are related as the principal incidents of the War of 1812 in which he participated:

If the above name is not found on the roll of said Company, will you so state, and report as to enrollment, &c., in the case of any man bearing a similar name, whom you have good reason for believing to be the soldier inquired for.

Please return this circular with your report.

Class No. 18458

Respectfully, yours,

J. A. Baker
Commissioner.

Third Auditor,
Present.

Room No. N. B. K.

WAR OF 1812.

Act of Feb. 14, 1871.

No. 1458

Thos Bryan
Capt Jack Waters
G. M.

Enlisted _____

Discharged _____

In Capt J. Waters,
Capt
Joshua Clark
21 April 1871 to 6 May 1871

In Lt. Capt Waters a private?
Larkin B. _____



U. WAR OF 1812. CLAIM OF WIDOW FOR SERVICE PENSION.

Under the provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740, inclusive, Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878. N. B.—All the blank spaces in this form must be carefully filled up in accordance with the instructions on the back hereof, and from the best information possessed, or obtainable, by the applicant.

State of Virginia County of Mathews, ss.

On this 28th day of September, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight, personally appeared before me J. B. Johnson of the County and State aforesaid, the name being a court of record within and for the County and State aforesaid, (1) Margaret A. Boyer, aged 54 years, a resident of Mathews County, in the State of Virginia, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is the widow of (2) Thomas Boyer, deceased, who was the husband (3) of Thomas Boyer as a (5) Private in the Company commanded by Captain J. H. Smith in the 1st regiment of Mathews, commanded by Col. Jacob C. Batts in the war of (6) 1812; that her said husband (7) deceased at Mathews, on or about the 10th day of September, A. D. 1816, for the term of 3 months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of (8) three months, and whose services terminated, by reason of (9) discharge at Mathews, on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1816.

She further states that the following is a full description of her said husband at the time of his enlistment, viz: (10) Age 17 years. His name by land, Thomas Boyer. Height 5 feet 6 inches. Complexion fair. Eyes blue. Hair black. Build slender. He was married to the said Margaret A. Boyer, at the city (or town) of Mathews, in the county of Mathews, and in the State of Virginia, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1816, by one (11) John Boyer, who was a (12) Justice of the Peace and that her name before her said marriage was Margaret A. Boyer; and she further states that (13) her said husband, Thomas Boyer, was discharged from the service of the United States on the 10th day of September, 1816, in Mathews County, Virginia, for the purpose of obtaining the Pension to which she may be entitled under Sections 4736 to 4740, inclusive, Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878, and hereby appoints Lawrence D. Benson, her true and lawful attorney to prosecute her claim.

And she further declares that she has heretofore made no application for (16) Discharge from the service of the United States.

and that her residence is No. 2 street, city (or town) of Mathews, county of Mathews, State of Virginia, and that her post office address is Mathews County, Virginia.

(Two attesting witnesses who can write their names.)
E. P. Alexander Thomas A. Boyer
V. J. Dwyer Signature of Claimant

Also personally appeared William A. Myers, aged 45 years, residing at No. 1 street, in Mathews, and William A. Myers, aged 47 years, residing at No. 1 street, in Mathews.

U.
WAR OF 1812.

APPLICATION FOR SERVICE
PENSION.

Thomas Bryan
WIDOW OF
Thomas Bryan
of Capt. J. Walters
Co. Regiment of Ga Mil
Ser Capt. 11.588
No Sup. W.L.B.

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Be it remembered that the Clerk of the Court of Records

Special Agent
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person, in the War of 1812, person whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to work, and who
being by me duly sworn, say that they have known the said Thomas Bryan for
15 years and for 15 years respectively; that they were present and saw her sign her name (or
make her mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said
claimant and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and
they do say that they are able to identify her as the person who was the wife of the identical
(17) Thomas Bryan, who rendered the service alleged in the above application. (In the
company of Captain John M. Smith, in the regiment of the 1st
in the war of 1812.) By the following named facts and circumstances, viz: (18)
that they have known her for 15 years
and that they have not in the presence of the same
If there be a mark, two witnesses to the signature here:
W. B. Ross
111 11th St.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of April 1868, A. D.
1868; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained
to the applicant and witness before me, including the work of the War of 1812, &c., and
and the work of the War of 1812, &c., and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in
the prosecution of this claim.

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