

REVOLUTIONARY PENSIONS

VIRGINIA MILAM, John W 9,951
Polly

Alabama) .. 29th Oct. 1832 ap-
) peared before William J.
Madison County) Adair, Judge of Circuit
Court, JOHN MILAM, aged
seventy-nine...Enlisted spring of 1776
.. 7th Regt. of Virginia, Capt. Nath'l
White, Tapley White and Joseph Hopkins
Lieutenants.. to Petersburg, Williams-
burgh.. At Dumfries all were innoculated
for smallpox...on to Morristown, N. J.
and Valley Forge. Took sick at Valley
Forge--sent to Lancaster where he re-
mained until end of term--some two yrs.
Later drafted for four mos. In Soigo
of Ninty-six, S.C.

Record of age in family Bible, now in
his possession. Born in Brunswick Co.,
Virginia 12 June 1753. His father moved
from Brunswick to Halifax County before
he can remember. Affiant moved from
Halifax County to Laurens Co., S. C.
where he lived 30 to 40 yrs; from thence
to Madison Co., Alabama, where he now
lived.

(Signed) JOHN MILAM

George A. Kelly, clergyman, of Madison
County, Ala. and S(?) Garner, same
county testify for him. 29 Oct. 1832

Alabama, Lawrence Co...22 Sept. 1832..
appeared Sarah Carghill, resident said
county, aged about 70 yrs..infirm so
cannot get to courthouse, but in right
mind.. Well acquainted with John Milam
who lived in neighborhood of her fath-
er in Halifax Co., Virginia for many
years. Well remembers that John Milam
and one of her brothers enlisted in
service for a term of two yrs.
Abraham McGee, J.P.

Sarah Carghill respectable member of
the Baptist church.

Tennessee, Lawrence Co. ..29th Aug.1832
Thomas Estis, resident said county..
well acquainted with John Milam, a citi-
zon of Madison Co., Ala..knows that he
served in 7th Va. Regt., Cont'l Line.

Alberdoon, Missl. March 21, 1858- lot-
ter to Commissioner of Pensions from D.
W. Sadlor, concerning widow of John
Milam. . . Polly Milam, widow of John
Milam, Monroe County, Miss. Husband
was a pension unacr Act of 1832 at \$80
per annum, and died 26 Oct. 1838.

Marriage in 1813, identity of claimant
and her present widowhood proved by sev-
eral creditable witnesses.

Mississippi, Monroe County..20 Apr.1858
..appeared before Johnson Bickerstaff,
J.P., Court of Records, said county..
POLLY MILAM, resident Monroe Co., aged
seventy-five.. Married John Milam in
Laurens . . ., S.C. on ___ day 1813;
and that her husband died on or about
Oct. 19, 1838. Polly X Milam
Johnson Bickerstaff her mark
William B. Atkins

Mississippi, Monroe Co.. William Atkins
declared that he was acquainted with
John Milam during his lifetime. Knew
him from about 1805 or 1806 to time of
his decease in 1838. First knew him in
S. C..that he himself was a resident
of Laurens District at time of marriage
of John Milam and Polly Milam, but was
not present at the marriage. Knew that
John Milam was a Revolutionary pension-
er in Madison Co., Ala where he lived
from about 1819 until time of his death.
Affiant was present at his death and
funeral. (Signed) WILLIAM ATKINS.

William B. Stkins made affidavit before
Newton J. Beckett, J.P., Monroe County,
Miss. 1 May 1858. (No additional inf.)

Mississippi, Monroe Co.. Before N. J.
Becket, J. P. appeared Samuel Ward ..
Has known Polly Milam for a great num-
ber of year- first in Laurens Dist.,
S.C. before and after her marriage. He
lived in immediate vicinity where they
marriage, and he afterward lived in
Madison Col, Ala where he know them
well. 13 April 1858.
Samuel Ward (Word)

Note: Believe this name is WORD.- KFWE