

**Michael Cain (FPA W7665)**

On 13Jan1845 in Hall County GA, Mary Harris, widow of Michael Cain, applied for a widow's pension. She testified that Michael served as a private in the Cavalry of South Carolina militia under Captain Andrew Miller and Colonel Robert Anderson. He entered service on or about Feb1779 in Abbeville district and served until Jul1783. At **Cowpens** on 17Jan1781, Michael was **wounded by a sword on the head**. His captain, Andrew Miller was killed. Michael recovered and was wounded again at the Siege of Ninety Six.

South Carolina Audited Accounts recorded payment of £387 to Michael Cain for "Three hundred and eighty seven days duty as Private Horseman, performed alternately from 13Feb1779 to 12Jul1783."

Michael and Mary Cain were married Jun1777 by Abbeville JP Robert Anderson. Their children were Catherine, Joseph 19Feb1780, Henry, John R. Catherine, Sarah, Mary, Jenny, & Nancy. Michael Cain died 10Mar1802 in Abbeville District, South Carolina.