

Pension Application for Reuben Doolittle

W.19188 (Widow: Mary Keeler) Married November 14, 1784 at North Salem in the County of West Chester, NY. Reuben died August 10, 1830.

State of New York

County of Saratoga SS.

On this 30th day of August 1843, personally appeared before me Lewis Stone a Judge of the County Courts of the County of Saratoga aforesaid, Mary Doolittle a resident of the town of Ballston in the County of Saratoga and State of New York aforesaid, aged seventy nine years; who being first duly sworn, according to law, doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain he benefits of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed July 7, 1838, entitled "An act granting half pay and pensions to certain Widows".

That she is the widow of Reuben Doolittle who was a soldier of the Revolutionary Army.

And further according to the best of her knowledge information or belief, Reuben Doolittle her said husband resided in North Salem in the County of Westchester in the State of New York, when he entered into the service of the United States in the war of the Revolution, the precise year of his first entering into the service aforesaid, she is unable to state.

That he served in captain Jesse Turesdel's Company in Colonel Thaddeus Crane's Regiment of Militia Infantry of the County of Westchester in the State of New York, and also he served under Lieutenan tJospeh Doolittle, in said Regiment.

And she further declares that she was married to the said Reuben Doolittle on the 14th day of November A.D. 1784 at North Salem in the County of Westchester in the State of New York by the Reverend Elkana Homes Pastor of the Baptist Church at Salem aforesaid that her name before marriage was Mary Keeler and she was a resident of the said Town of North Salem WestChester County & State aforesaid.

She further declares that her husband the said Reuben Doolittle deceased died on the 10th day of August 1830, that she was not married to him prior to his leaving the service, but the marriage took place previous to the 1st of January 1794 to wit, at the time above stated. (Signed with her mark) Mary Doolittle

Sworn and subscribed before me the day and year above written. Lewis Stone
Judge of Saratoga Courts. Henry Doolittle.

Family Record: Marriages

Reuben Doolittle and Mary Keeler were married 14th Nov 1784.

Daniel Morehouse and Fanny Doolittle were married Jan 25, 1810.

John Kelly and Mary Doolittle were married Feb 22, 1814

Henry Doolittle and Mary Oliphant were married Jan 26, 1815.

Harvey Doolittle and Sarah Butterworth were married June 5, 1825.

Henophon Haywood and Huldah Doolittle were married May 28, 1828.

Horace Doolittle and Catharine Skillman were married May 4, 1830.

Family Record: Births

Reuben Doolittle was born Ap 19, 1761.

Mary Keeler was born May 26, 1764.

Fanny Doolittle was born Mary 27, 1787.

Mary Doolittle was born Jan 21, 1789.

Henry Doolittle was born Ap 29, 1793.

Huldah Doolittle was born May 15, 1797.

Harvy Doolittle was born Ap 13, 1800. [This is how Harvy was spelled in this instance.]

Horace Doolittle was born March 1, 1803.

Eliza Doolittle was born Sept 5, 1806.

Family Record: Births

Harvey Doolittle was born April 13, 1800.

Sarah Butter worth was born May 7, 1797.

A daughter born and died April 15, 1826.

Henry Butterworth Doolittle was born Nov 14, 1827.

Harvey Keeler Doolittle was born March 26, 1829.

Horace Brown Doolittle was born March 26, 1829.

Reuben Doolittle was born Augt 4, 1831.

Family Record: Deaths

Mary, wife of J. Kelly died Dec 25, 1825.

Reuben Doolittle died Augt 10, 1830.

Huldah, wife of H. Haywood died Feb 1, 1834.