

Pension Application for Hezekiah Gregg

S.34379

District of New Jersey

Sussex County SS

On this fifth day of June at a session begun at Newtown on the fourth Tuesday of May of the Term of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, personally appeared in open court before the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas of the County of Sussex and State of New Jersey (The said Court of Common Pleas of the County of Common Pleas being a Court of record in the said county being a court constituted and established by the laws of the State of New Jersey as a Court of record, having a seal with power to fine and imprison and an unlimited jurisdiction in such cases, and whose Judgments are only receivable by writ of [?] at Common Law. Hezekiah Griegg of the age of sixty six years resident in the Township of Wantage in the County of Sussex and State of New Jersey who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows.

1st he enlisted and served in the Company of Captain Logan of the New York State Troops in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy five for three months - 2 he enlisted in the company of _____ commanded by John Belnap of the New York State Troops in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy six for one year - 3- and before his term of service had expired to wit on the sixteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy six he enlisted and served in the company of Captain Thomas Lee in the fifth Regiment of the New York State Troops commanded by Coln Lewis Duboise for three years and remained in the regiment aforesaid during the time of enlistment as aforesaid—4th after the term of service as aforesaid had expired, to wit, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two he enlisted in the company of Captain Westfall in the regiment commanded by Coln Weisenfelt of the New York State Troops for the term of eight months and was discharged at the close of the war.

That on the twenty third day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighteen he applied for a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month he being a private in the army as aforesaid and on the eighth day of August in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighteen obtained a certificate under the hand and seal of J. C. Calhoun Secretary of war of the United States, and numbered 2194, and I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the eighteenth day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eighteen and that I had not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress intitled an act to provide for certain [persons] engaged in the land and navel service of the United States in the revolutionary war passed on the 18th day of March AD 1818.

And that I have not nor has any person in Trust for me any property or securities or contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed [annexed] and by me subscribed.

And this deponent further saith that he hath no known trade or provision, but he is a common labourer and principally follows making stone fence and that he is not able by that or any other occupation to procure for himself a sufficient support that eh has no family, neither wife nor children. And that he is incapable of supporting himself without the assistance of the Government—except by public or private charity.

(Signed) Hezekiah Gregg

Sworn to in open court and declares the 5th day of June AD 1820. John Ogden

Schedule of Property

Real estate none

Personal estate

One bed and bedding

2 stone hammers (Signed) Hezekiah Gregg

Sworn and Subscribed in open court the 5th day of June 1820. John Ogden.