

Pension Application for Nicholas Kasler

W.21505 (Widow: Delia) Married Oct 13, 1784. Nicholas died Sept 7, 1807.

State of New York

Montgomery County SS.

On this eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine personally appeared before the undersigned a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for said County Delia Kasler a resident of the town of Johnstown in the County of Fulton and State of New York aged eighty two years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows.

That she is the widow of Nicholas Kasler who was a Sergeant, Private and Batteaman in the army of the United States during the revolution she has reason to believe that her husband the said Nicholas Kasler entered the service at the commencement of the war at the battle at Oriskany, Cherry Valley, Unadilla, and Wyoming but of this service she has not been able to procure proof.

That from April 1780 he performed a tour of nine months as a Batteaman on the Mohawk river under Captain Samuel Gray and in the two succeeding years a term of nine months each via in 1781 a tour of nine months in the company of Captain Abner French in Colonel Marinus Willett's Regiment of New York State Troops (called the New Levies) and again in the year 1782, a tour of nine months in the same regiment in the company of Captain George Young—as she has reason to believe will appear by the proof hereto annexed and the records in the War Department and on which she rests her claim.

She further declares that she was married to the said Nicholas Kasler on the thirteenth day of October in the year seventeen hundred and eighty four and that her husband the aforesaid Nicholas Kasler died on the seventh day of September eighteen hundred and eighty four and that her husband the aforesaid Nicholas Kasler died on the seventh day of September eighteen hundred and seven, that she was not married to him prior to his leaving the service; but the marriage took place previous to the first of January seventeen hundred and ninety four, viz, at the time above stated and that she has ever since remained his widow. (Signed with her mark) Delia Kasler.

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year above written before me. D.F. Sacia, Judge of Montgomery County Courts.