

Pension Application for Hendrick Romer

W.16698 (Widow: Christiana & Christina) The file contains no deposition by Hendrick.

B.L.Wt.10002-160-50 Married February 2, 1777. Hendrick died July 22, 1832.

Declaration. In order to obtain the benefit of the 3d section of the Act of Congress of the 4th July 1836.

State of New York

County of Westchester SS.

On this twenty second day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight personally appeared before the undersigned Aaron Vark, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County (the said Court being a court of record) Christina Romer—a resident of the town of Greenburgh in said County aged eighty 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 of Congress passed July 4th 1836.

That she is the widow of Hendrick Romer who was a private in the war of the Revolution.

That the said Hendrick Romer was in the service of the United States during the said war.

That he served in the militia of the County of WestChester at different periods during said war; that he served in the early part of the war to the best of the declarants knowledge and belief in a company of militia of said County commanded by Captain William Dutcher and during a part of his service in that company was attached to the Regiment of militia of said County commanded by Col. Thomas Thomas and was stationed a part of the time at fort Independence in said County and at White Plains a d Peekskill in said County.

And the declarant further saith that the said Hendrick Romer was afterwards in the said service in the company of militia of said county commanded by Capt. Gload Requa and afterwards by Captain George Comb. L But how long the said service the declarant cannot state; but for the duration of the service of the said Hendrick Romer as a soldier in the war of the Revolution. She begs leave to refer the war department to the proof hereto annexed.

She further declares that she was married to the said Hendrick Romer on the second day of February one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven at the town of Mount Pleasant In said County by the Reverend Mr. Ritzma. That her husband the aforesaid Hendrick Romer died on the twenty second day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

And that she has remained a widow ever since that period as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereto annexed. (Signed with her mark) Christina Romer

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year first above written before me. Aaron Vark. One of the Judges of the County of WestChester.