

Pension Application for Henry Wentworth

R.4304 (Former Widow: Hannah Gridley) Hannah Romer was Hannah's name before marriage. They were married June 12, 1791. They had four children together: Julia, wife of Barnet Lewis; Fanny, wife of Evert DenDeMark; Alexander, & George. Henry Wentworth died June 15, 1836. After Henry's death Hannah married John Gridley. Hannah died Dec 5, 1852.

[There doesn't seem to be a deposition for either Henry or Hannah in the file.]

State of New York

County of Chautauqua SS

Be it know that on the 7th day of March 1853 before me Orrel Green, a Justice of the Peace in and for the county aforesaid, duly authorized by law to administer oaths, personally appeared Alexander Wentworth, aged fifty four years, a resident of the town of Randolph, in the county of Cattaraugus and State of New York, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth depose, state and declare that he is the son and heir at law of Henry Wentworth who lived at Woodstock, in the County of Ulster, and State of New York when he was pensioned and who died at Woodstock aforesaid, about the year 1836, that he was a Revolutionary soldier and pensioner at the rate of ninety six dollars a year, that the said Henry Wentworth on or about the 12th day of June 1791 married one Hannah Romer as he verily believes, that from the truth of said statement he refers to the affidavit of John Romer and Hannah Gridley hereto attached, that the said Hannah Gridley (the mother of this deponent) was married to said Gridley about the year 1837, and that she died at Woodstock aforesaid on the 5th of Dec. 1852, that he believes the said Hannah Gridleys last husband is still living, that there are two sons and two daughters of the said Henry Wentworth and Hannah Wentworth now living, and that this deponent is one of them, and that this deponent is one of them, that this deponent is directly interested as a claimant in an application for a pension, and the said Hannah Gridley could not obtain a pension as this deponent has been informed and believes true on account of her second marriage.
(Signed) Alexander Wentworth

Sworn & subscribed the day and year aforesaid before me. Orrel Green, Justice of the Peace