

**Pension Application for Richard Granby**

R.4184

State of New York

County of Schoharie

On this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine personally appeared before the Hon. Lyman Sanford a Judge of the County aforesaid and State of New York William M. Granby a Resident of the Town of Blenheim in County and State aforesaid aged sixty years, who first being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the provisions made by the Act of Congress granting Pensions to Person who served as soldiers in the Revolutionary War; that he is the son, and only son of Richard Granby who was a private soldier in said War.

While living in the Town of Kinderhook and County of Columbia in the State of New York, he enlisted for during war under Capt. Dobbs in the year of 1782 and served through said war as will more fully appear by the documentary evidence herewith enclosed and attached. That he has often heard his Father (Richard Granby) say that he was in a number of battles and was wounded and the marks of one across his body he carried to his grave. That he had heard his Father say he served in Col. Willet's Regiment and that he received his discharge from him, and said discharge being lost he has often heard his father talk about it and enquire and hunt up said discharge but he could never find it.

That his father Richard Granby (deceased) died in the Town of Blenheim in the County and State aforesaid November 22d 1828.

This declarant respectfully asks the Hon Commissioner of Pensions to grant him the pension that was due to his Father at the time of his death and also the Land to which he might be entitled. (Signed) William M. Granby

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August AD 1859.