

Pension Application for George Trimble

R.10703 (Widow: Mary)

State of New York

Orange County SS

Be it known that on this 23rd day of January AD 1851, personally appeared before me one of the Justices of the Court of Sessions in and for the County and State aforesaid, the same being a Court of Record, Mary Trimble, a resident of the Town of Montgomery in the County of Orange Orange [sic] aforesaid aged 85 years, who being first duly sworn by me according to law, on her oath makes the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed July 7th 1838, granting pensions to certain widows whose husband served in and during the war of the Revolution.

That she is the widow of George Trimble, deceased, a resident of the County of Clinton in said State of New York. That she has often heard her husband the said George Trimble deceased in his lifetime say that he served with Colonel Odney Hay in and during the war of the Revolution—and that she has often heard other persons say that her said husband served with Colonel Hay as a Deputy Quartermaster and Deputy Quarter Master—General in and during the war of the Revolution—all of which she believes to be true.

She further declares that she was married to her said husband the said George Trimble in the County of Orange in said State, on the 31st day of October 1788, by the Reverend Nathan Kerr, who was the Pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Goshen in said County of orange—and that her said husband died in the County of Clinton in the State of New York aforesaid on or about the 6th day of January 1797—and that her name was Mary McCobb before her marriage to the said George Trimble, and that she was not married to him the said George Trimble before he ;left the service but the marriage took place at the time above stated.

That she is now a widow, and that she has no record of her said husband's services, and that she must rely on what records may be found in the War Department to support her claim to a pension, and that she has never before made an application for a pension except the present. (Signed) Mary Trimble

Subscribed and Sworn before me this 23rd day of January 1851. D. A. Shuart. Associate Justice of the County of Sessions of Orange County the same being a Court of Record.