

Pension Application for Lodywick or Lodevyck Vandemark

R.5372 (Former Widow: Charity Humphrey) Lodevyck born January 18, 1760, Married December 20 1783, died January 6, 1813.

State of New York

Ontario County SS.

On this twentieth day of July 1839 personally appeared before Bowen Whiting first Judge of the Court of Record of said County Charity Humphrey a resident of the Town of Phelps in the said County of Ontario, aged seventy eight years and upwards, 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 7, 1838, entitled "An act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows":

That she is now the widow of Charles Humphrey and late the widow of Lodywick VanDemark who was a Drummer of Militia of the State of New York during the Revolutionary War, that he served in Captain Cortwright's Company of Militia in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Levi Paulding and also with the same Captain in a Regiment commanded by Col. [Cautiner?] as she has been informed and verily believes but does not know from her own persona knowledge.

She further declares that she was married to the said Lodywick VanDemark on the 20th day of December (1783) one thousand seven hundred and eighty three—that her husband, the aforesaid Lodywick Vandmark died on the 6th day of January 1813 at the Town of Philps aforesaid.

That she was married to Charles Humphrey 11th day of December 1815 and that her said husband Charles Humphrey died on the [2?] day of April 1835, and that since the death of the said Charles Humphrey she has remained a widow. That she was not married to the aforesaid Lodywick VanDemark 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.

That the family record accompanying this declaration has always been in her possession and that the record of her marriage thereon is in the hand writing of her aforesaid husband Lodywick VanDeMark. (Signed with her mark) Charity Humphrey

Sworn and prescribed before me on the day and yea above written. B. Whiting,
First Judge (Ontario County, N.Y.)