

Pension Application for George Shannon

R.9421 (Widow: Christina) Married to George September 9, 1793. George died the 8th of January 1829.)
Private 4th Regt, Col. Wynkoop
State of New York
County of Schenectady

On this eleventh day of February one thousand eight hundred nineteen, before me the subscriber, James V.S. Ryley, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Schenectady, & state aforesaid, personally appears George Shannon aged about seventy years, resident in the Town of Duanesburgh of said County who being by me duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the late Act of Congress entitled an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & navel services of the United States in the revolutionary war, that he the said George Shannon enlisted in the State of New York in the year 1776 on the 13th day of March, Capt. Gerrit S. Veeder Junr company 4-New York Regiment commanded by Col. Cornelius Wynkoop Regiment on the establishment and that he was discharged on the 18th day of February 1777 which discharge is lost, that he never was in any battle against the common enemy and that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services but which is annexed and that he never had any pension allowed him by the law of the United States. (Signed) George Shannon

Sworn to & declared before me the day & year aforesaid. James V.S. Ryly, Judge of the court of common Pleas County of Schenectady.