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Mc Gaffey, Andrew
or Mc Gaffey

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Hannah

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To Maine from Portsmouth
N. Hampshire - Jan 4 March
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- to Augusta Maine

890 Maine
New Hampshire

Hannah McGaffey

widow of Andrew McGaffey

who died on the 20 August 1825
of Stafford Co in the State of N. Hampshire
who was a Lieutenant in the Corps commanded
by Captain _____ of the Regt - commanded
by Col. Seannell in the N. Hampshire
line for ten years.

Inscribed on the Roll of New Hampshire
at the rate of \$20 Dollars — Cents per annum,
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Certificate of Pension issued the 19 day of May
1837 — and sent to
Pah. Mendenhall Esq. San. de. vic.

Bears to the 1st of March 1837 to 1920. —
Pension allowance ending 4 Sept 37 160. —

\$2080. —

Revolutionary Claim,
Act July 5, 1836,
Section the 3^d

Recorded by _____ Clerk,
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Declaration -
In order to obtain the benefit of the 3^d section of the Act
of Congress of the 4th of July 1836.

State of New Hampshire. Stafford ss.

On this seventh day of October A.D. 1836, personally
appeared before the Court of common Pleas holden at
Gofford in said county of Stafford Marmah McGaffey
a resident of said county and State of said Aged
eighty years, who first being ~~advised~~ 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 4. 1836 - That she is the widow of Andrew
McGaffey who was a Lieutenant of Infantry in the
regular service for two years or more prior to the year
A.D. 1778 or 9 the time of his leaving the service of the United
States - that he entered the United States service in the Army
A.D. 1775 and was at the battle of Bunker Hill and continued
except by furlough until the time above named - She further
declares that she was married to the said Andrew McGaffey
on the seventh day of September in the year seventeen
hundred and twenty five; that her husband the aforesaid
Andrew McGaffey died on the twentieth day of
August eighteen hundred and twenty five, and that
she has remained a widow ever since that period
as will more fully appear by reference to the proof-
books annexed.

Witness } Daniel Philbrick
 } Near McGaffey

Marmah McGaffey

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and
year above written before said Court.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal
of said Court this seventh day of
October A.D. 1836 -

Wm. H. Boggs well Clerk

Application for a transfer

State of Maine
County of Kennebec

On this thirtieth day of April 1838

before me the subscribers a Justice of the Peace for the said
County of Kennebec personally appeared Hannah Mc Caffey who
on her Oath declares that she is the identical person named
in a pension certificate numbered 890 and bearing date in
the War Office of the United States the nineteenth day of
May one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and signed
by J R Poinsett Secretary of War that she was pensioned
under the third section of the Law of the United States of the
4th of July 1836. that her name was placed on the pension
roll at New Hampshire agency payments to be made by Isaac
Waldron Esq. that she in July 1837 removed from Sandwich
in the State of New Hampshire to the town of Mt Vernon in the
State of Maine where she intends to remain and wishes her name
placed upon the roll of the State of Maine agency to be there paid
in future. The following are her reasons for removing from said
town of Sandwich to Mt Vernon, viz that she has six children living
in said town of Mt Vernon and that she was desirous of living with
or near them. that her pension was paid at the New Hamp-
shire agency to the fourth day of ~~March~~ March 1837
attest David Mc Caffey Hannah Mc Caffey

State of Maine
Kennebec County

Sworn and subscribed to before me the day
and year aforesaid
Upham F. Chase Justice of the Peace

I David McGaffey of Mt Vernon County of
Kentucky State of claims aged fifty two years
son of Andrew McGaffey deceased do testify and
declare upon oath, that my mother (now living
in said town of Mt Vernon) Hannah McGaffey
late a resident of the town of Sandwich State of
New Hampshire is the identical person named in
a pension certificate which entitles her to three
hundred & twenty dollars per annum and dated
at the War Office of the United States the 19th
day of May 1837 and signed by J. R. Poinsett Secy
of War which certificate is in her possession and is
the same person who has made application to be
transferred have her name transferred from the N. Hampshire
to the Maine Agency for paying pensions. She is now
residing with me

David McGaffey

State of claims
County of Kentucky & Town of Mt Vernon

On the thirtieth day of
April 1838 personally appeared the above named
David McGaffey to me known as a credible witness
and made oath to the truth of the above deposition
by him subscribed

Before me
William T. Harris Justice of the Peace

I Benjamin Stevens Jun of lawful age do hereby and say that I am
Town Clerk of the town of Deerfield County of Rockingham and
State of New Hampshire and have the custody of the Records
of said town and that it appears by said Records that Amos
Magaffey was married to Hannah Wallis September 8th 1771
by Rev Timothy Upham.

Deerfield December 10-1836 Benjamin Stevens Jun

State of New Hampshire
Rockingham Co December 10 1836 - I then
personally appearing the above named
Benjamin Stevens Jun. make solemn
oath that the above affidavit by him
subscribed is true.

Before me, True H. Lord Justice of the Peace

February 15, 1928

A. Tower Tarbell
220 Commonwealth Ave.,
Boston, Mass.

Sir:

I have to advise you that from the Revolutionary War records of this Bureau it appears that Andrew McGaffey entered the service in 1775, was at the battle of Bunker Hill, served as Lieutenant in the Third New Hampshire Regiment until some time in 1779.

He was pensioned from July 31, 1788, while a resident of Strafford County, New Hampshire, on account of disability (the nature of which is not stated) incurred in the service. He died August 20, 1825 in Sandwich, Strafford County, New Hampshire to which place he had moved from Epsom, New Hampshire.

Soldier married September 3, 1775 in Deerfield, Rockingham County, New Hampshire, Hannah Wallis. She was allowed pension on her application executed October 7, 1836 while a resident of Sandwich, New Hampshire aged eighty years.

In July 1837 she moved to Mount Vernon, Kennebec County,

Haine because she had six children living there. No names are given except David McGaffey aged sixty-two years in 1838 and with whom she was living in said Mount Vernon.

Respectfully,

E. W. MORGAN
Acting Commissioner.