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Case, Theophilus  
Susannah

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STATE OF NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

Groton 88.)

ON this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1819, before me the subscriber, one of the Judges of the Court for the Probate of Wills &c for said County personally appears Theophilus Ladd Jr. of Exeter aged Ninety Three years, resident in Exeter in the said State, who being by me first 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 and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war." That he the said ~~Theophilus Ladd~~ enlisted in ~~Exeter~~ for one year in the State of New Hampshire in the company commanded by Captain Amos Moxall of the New Hampshire Line

that he continued to serve in the said corps, or in the service of the United States, until the 7<sup>th</sup> of June 1793

, when he was discharged from service in ~~New Hampshire~~ ; that he was in the battles of State of

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. ~~excepting what he can produce~~ Sworn to and declared before me, the day and year aforesaid.

I, Amos Ladd, Judge of the Court for the Probate of Wills &c for said County

do certify, that it appears to my satisfaction, that the said Theophilus Ladd did serve in the revolutionary war, as stated in the preceding declaration, against the common enemy; and I now transmit the proceedings and testimony taken and had before me, to the Secretary for the Department of War, pursuant to the directions of the aforementioned act of Congress.

Amos Ladd, Judge of Probate.

For testimony before me have been sent to my home & have affixed the seal of said court the day & date above written

Amos Ladd, Judge of Probate

State of New Hampshire

Grafton At the Court of Common Pleas being a court of record by law established, holden at Grafton within and for said county of Grafton on the first tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, by adjournment from the second tuesday of July last past

Present the honorable

Ezra Bartlett Esq; Reques Justice  
Daniel Blanchard

Personally appeared in open Court Theophilus Goff aged sixty five years resident in Grafton in said county of Grafton who being duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows viz a Sergeant in Capt Amos Morris' Company and Co.

Goff's regiment in the New Hampshire line  
That his original declaration is dated 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1776  
and that he has received a pension and his pension certificate is numbered 3,446  
And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish or waste myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War passed on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities contracts or debts due to me nor have been income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed I further declare I am by occupation a farmer unable to do more than one third of a man's labour as I was wounded in the revolutionary war & have other infirmities I am perfectly unable to do

myself by labour I have a wife aged 59 years unable to work half of the time by reason of the rheumatism & other infirmities I have only one child at home with me Mr Theophilus Cope aged 15 year nearly supports himself but no more & in all respects really stand in need of my country's bounty

Theophilus Cope

State of New Hampshire  
Grafton fo Grafton July 31. 1820

The following is a schedule of all the property either real or personal which the subscriber is the owner of.

1 Chest drawer	1.00	2 Old Water pail	.25
1 spinning wheel	1.00	1 Wash tub	.25
1 Large broken Kettle	.50	1 Hand saw	.25
1 small pot	.50	2 Augers & 2 Chisels	1.00
1 Tea Kettle	1.00	5 Old Axes	2.50
1 dish Kettle	.50	2 Hoes	.50
1 Shovel & Hango	1.00	1 Plow	2.50
6 Old Chairs	.75	1 Share	.50
2 Old Tables	.75	5 Young Swine	.25
1 wooling wheel	.50	1 ft. Old Chair wheels	4.00
1 Old pine Chest	.50	2 Carpenter's adze	.75
1 Pewter platter	.75	a number of old knives & fork & spoons	.50
2 Balloons	.25	1 pair steel yards	1.25
Two articles of Old Crockery		2 Old Systha	.50
		1 Pitch fork	.25
		1 Womming pan	.50
		3 Plates	.50
			\$ 8.00

Theophilus Cope

Grafton fo Grafton July 31. 1820 Then we the subscribers after carefully examining the several articles named in the within schedule shown to us by the within named Theophilus Cope or the whole property by him owned we have affixed the price to each article and say that it is our opinion the value of the whole in cash is not more than thirty-one dollar and we have no reason to doubt but the within is a bona fide owner of all the property he owns etc etc  
Joseph Cope

Secar. Tra - Oct 15 '35

To Vermont fr. 4 Mar '36

- Oct 26 1835. —

To Pa City 17 Aug 1840.

To Concord st. A from Lined  
1840. D Sep 1840. Notification  
to Penn Haverhill st. H.

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To Vermot fr. 4 Mar 3<sup>o</sup>  
- Oct 26. 1835.

To Pea 17<sup>o</sup> 17 Aug 1840  
To Concord st. H from hired  
1840. D L 6 1840. Modification  
to Pea Haverhill st. H

Engaged to build a house of brick  
at the rate of \$20 Dollars or Cent per Brick  
to commence on the 1st day of March, 1831.

Engaged to Pea 17<sup>o</sup> 17 Aug 1840

West Concord 16<sup>o</sup>

Commence to build

Insurance \$1000.00

Engaged to Pea 17<sup>o</sup> 17 Aug 1840

West Concord 16<sup>o</sup>

Declaration

in order to obtain the Benefit of the act of Congress  
of the third day of March 18113 entitled "An act  
granting pensions to the Widows of certain revolution  
ary Soldiers" and also the act of Congress  
passed June 15th 1814 entitled "An act to continue the pensions of certain  
widows". State of New Hampshire.

Grafton for

On the eighth day of December A.D. 1845 personally  
appeared before me the subscriber, one of the  
Judges of the Court of Common Pleas within and for  
the County of Grafton aforesaid, Susannah Capps a  
resident of the Town of Derry in the County of  
Grafton and State of New Hampshire aged eighty one  
years, 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 March 3rd 18113 entitled "An act granting pensions to the  
Widows of certain soldiers" and also the act of Congress passed June  
18144 entitled "An act to continue the pensions of certain  
widows". That she is the Widow of Theophilus Capps  
who was a Sergeant in the Army of the Revolution  
and was at the time of his death a Revolutionary Pensioner  
of the United States under the act of Congress passed June  
18132. She has documentary evidence to prove his services but  
respectfully refers to the Declaration and testimony furnished the  
War Department by her said husband in support of his claim to a  
pension to support her own claim. — She further deposes  
that she was married to the said Theophilus Capps on the <sup>(25)</sup> 25th day of  
January A.D. 1788 in the Town of Epsom in said State of New Hampshire  
by the Rev. Mr. Hazleton who was at that time a settled Minister in said  
town of Epsom. That her husband the said Theophilus Capps died November  
15th A.D. 1815 and that she has remained his widow to the present time.  
Sworn and subscribed to on the day and year above written; Susannah Capps  
attests Rachel Abbott. Before me M. J. Berry Justice of the County of Grafton  
I hereby certify that the above named affiant by reason  
of bodily infirmity cannot write and  
has affiant read the above Declaration

I William Hume Clerk of the Town of Epsom in the County of  
Merrimack and State of New Hampshire, certify that it appears  
on the records of said Town that Mr. Christopher Clegg and Miss  
Marguerite Laibee were joined in Marriage by the Rev. Mr.  
Houghstone the twenty eighth day of January one thousand  
seven hundred and eighty six.

Michael McCloskey Town Clerk

I further certify that the above is a true extract from the records with  
the exception of date, which is expressed on the records in full legible  
words and figures as follows, 1786 January 28th.

I William Hume above named do hereby certify that I have held the  
office of Clerk of said Town of Epsom for the time of five years  
and that the above is a true extract from the records of  
said Town with the exception above mentioned as certified  
above.

William Hume Town Clerk

State of New Hampshire Merrimack County vs.  
December 16th, 1845

Then personally appeared William Hume above named  
and made solemn oath that the above certificate by him  
subscribed is true - I further certify that the said  
William Hume is Clerk of said Town of Epsom is a  
respectable person and a credible witness.

Robert J. Mox Jr. Proce

~~WITNESS TO THE  
FACTS STATED  
IN THIS CERTIFICATE~~

~~IN WITNESS WHEREOF,~~

~~Subscribed on the Roll at the rate of  
12 Dollars~~

~~Genl per annum, to commence on  
the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1848.~~

~~Certificate of Pension issued the  
1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 1849  
and sent to~~

~~John T. Jackson~~

~~REGD MAIL~~

In reply to your request of \_\_\_\_\_, received \_\_\_\_\_  
for a statement of the military history of Theophilus Cass  
a soldier of the REVOLUTIONARY WAR, you will find below the desired  
information as contained in his (or his widow's) application for pen-  
sion on file in this Bureau. M.F. 22,729

DATES OF ENLISTMENT OR APPOINTMENT.	LENGTH OF SERVICE.	RANK.	OFFICERS UNDER WHOM SERVICE WAS RENDERED.		STATE.
			CAPTAIN.	COLONEL.	
1776 (est. June 1783)	Lgt.	Anns. Morrill	John Stark Joseph Ciley		N.H.

Battles engaged in, \_\_\_\_\_

Residence of soldier at enlistment, Not stated

Date of application for pension, Apr. 30, 1818. His cl. was al.

Residence at date of application, Dorchester, Grafton Co. N.H.

Age at date of application, 63.

Remarks: He married Jan 28, 1786 at Epsom, N.H.  
Suzannah Libbe; he died Nov. 5 1848 and she was  
allowed pension on her application Dec. 8, 1845 while 81 yrs.  
old and a resident of Dorchester, Grafton Co., N.H.

Children referred to, only name stated being that of Theophilus who  
was 15 yrs. old in 1820.

Very respectfully,

Commissioner.

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