

Pension Application for Henry Vanderburgh

W.9751 (Former Widow: Frances Brouillet) Henry and Frances married February 22, 1791, he died April 5, 1812.

B.L.Wt.26928-160-55 and B.L.Wt.2250-300 Capt. Issued Aug 4, 1791, No papers.

State of Indiana

Knox County SS.

At a Circuit Court begun and held at the Court House in Vincennes County of Knox and State of Indiana on [?day] the 2d day of September AD 1844 before the Honorable John Law President Judge of the South Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana and Thomas Bishop and Andrew Berry Esquire Associate Judges in and for said County of Knox and Continental from day to day until the fifth of October 1844, being the twelfth day of the Town thereof the following among other proceedings we had to wit.

In the Matter of Frances Brouillet,

And now Frances Brouillet approved in open court and made the following declaration to wit,

Declaration: In order to obtain the benefits of the act of Congress passed July 7, 1828, State of Indiana Knox County SS.

On this fifth day of October 1844 personally appeared before the Circuit Court in and for said County, being a Court of Record, Francis Brouillet, a resident of Vincennes, in the County of Knox and State aforesaid, aged 69 years, who being first duly sworn according to Law doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the act of Congress passed July 7th 1838, granting pensions to widows of persons who served in the revolutionary war.

That she is the widow of Michael Brouillet dec'd and formerly the widow of Henry Vanderburgh dec'd who was a Lieutenant, and Captain in the Line of the State of New York in the Continental Army, in which capacity he performed more than two years service reference being made to his several commissions which accompany this declaration and to the records and rolls of the New York Line.

She further declares that she was married to the said Captain Vanderburgh on the 22d day of February in the year 1791 that her said husband died on the 5th day of February in the year 1791 that her said husband died on the 5th day of April in the year 1812 that she subsequently as married to Caleb Lownes who died in the year 1828, and that on the 6th day of April 1833, and that she has remained a widow to the present time that she as not married prior to her said first husbands leaving the service but prior to the first day of January 1794 to wit, on the day and date above stated, as will fully appear from the proof which accompanies her declaration. A. T. Ellis Attest. (Signed) Frances Brouillet.

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and yea above written in open court. Wm. R. McCord