

State of New Jersey } p: On this thirtieth day of Oc-
Essex County }tober one thousand eight hun-
dred and thirty eight, personally appeared before
~~the Judge of the Inferior Court of~~
Common Pleas in and for the said ^{in open Court} County of Essex
Huldah Brookfield a resident of Rahway in
the said County of Essex, aged seventy 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 July 7th 1838, entitled
"an act granting half pay and pensions to certain
widows" - That she is the widow of Jacob
Brookfield, who was a private in the New Jersey
volunteers of the Army of the Revolution, and a
pensioner under the act of June 7th 1832, evidence
of whose claim properly authenticated together
with the original pension certificate granted to
the said Jacob Brookfield is on file in the Pension
Office, by reference to which the Department may
ascertain the nature of the services rendered by the
said Jacob Brookfield; for which reason it is
deemed unnecessary to exhibit further testimony as
proof of the claim of said Jacob Brookfield deceased.
This declarant further states that she was married
to the said Jacob Brookfield on the tenth day
of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and ninety one, and that her
husband the aforesaid Jacob Brookfield died
on the twenty eighth day of February one thousand
eight hundred and thirty eight. That she was not
married to him prior to his leaving the Service, but
the said marriage took place previous to the first
of January seventeen hundred and ninety four;

State of New Jersey ss : On this thirtieth day of Oct Essex County dred and thirty eight , personally appeared before the said Judge of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas in and for the said County of Essex Huldah Brookfield a resident of Rahway in the said County of Essex , aged seventy 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 July 7th 1838 , entitled An act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows " " . That she is the widow of Jacob Brookfield , who was a private in the New Jersey volunteers of the Army of the Revolution , and a pensioner under the act of June 7th 1832 , evidence of whose claim properly authenticated together with the original pension certificate granted to the said Jacob Brookfield is on file in the Pension Office , by reference to which the Department may ascertain the nature of the services rendered by the said Jacob Brookfield ; for which reason it is deemed unnecessary to exhibit further testimony as proof of the claim of said Jacob Brookfield deceased , This declarant further states that she was married to the said Jacob Brookfield on the tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety one , and that her husband the aforesaid Jacob Brookfield died on the twenty eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight . That she was not married to him prior to his leaving the service , but the said marriage took place previous to the first of January Seventeen hundred and ninety four ; viz . at the time above stated . And she further

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