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Land Grant Application- Bartlett, Joseph (Whitefield)

Joseph Bartlett

Hannah Bartlett

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Hannah Bartlett
widow of J. Bartlett
application for land,
etc

Recd. May 28. 1835,
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Examined & ~~Rejected~~ July 7, 1835,
Did not have these papers.

Admitted & certificate N^o. 135,
ip. Oct. 1. 1835.

Oct. 1. 1835. Recd. certificate
N^o. 135. for Hannah Bartlett
R. C. Torrey Agent

R. C. Torrey

I *Hannah Bartlett* of *Whitefield* in the County of *Lincoln* and State of Maine, aged *Sixty five* years, do, upon oath declare, in order to obtain the benefit of a Resolve of the Legislature of Maine, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," that I am the widow of *Joseph Bartlett* late of *Northville* in the County of *Malden* and State of Maine, who died at *Northville* on the *second* day of *June* A. D. 1828

That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *Joseph Bartlett* did enlist *as a private in the year 1781 for three years into Mills Company 8th New York* & was discharged at *West Point in Dec 1783* he was also present at *some period 3 months in McCarter's Company of the 1st Regt of Artillery at Bagdad* he was a *United States pensioner at the time of his decease*

I do further on oath declare that I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *Joseph Bartlett* was at the time of his said enlistment, an inhabitant of *Baldtown in the then District of Maine* and that I do know that he was at the time of his decease as aforesaid, an inhabitant of the said State of Maine, residing in *Mentville* aforesaid, where he had resided for *second* years before his decease. That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that neither my said late husband, nor any one claiming under him did receive, (nor have I received since his decease,) a grant of Land, or money in lieu thereof, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for his said service, or any other service during the Revolutionary War, and that I am therefore justly entitled to the full benefit of said Resolve.

Hannah Bartlett
Marks

STATE OF MAINE.

Hannah SS.....Subscribed and sworn to this *20th* day of *May* 1835
 BEFORE ME,

Geo. W. Norton Justice of the Peace.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I,

Hannah Bartlett of *Whitefield* in the County of *Lincoln* and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby constitute and appoint ROBERT C. VOSE, of AUGUSTA, in the County of Kennebec, my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Resolve of the said State, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute such receipt or acknowledgment therefor, as I might, were I personally present. HEREBY ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my hand and seal this *20th* day of *May* A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED
 IN PRESENCE OF

Geo. W. Norton her
Enoch Sprague *Hannah Bartlett*
Marks

STATE OF MAINE.

Kennebec SS. Be it Known, that on this *20th* day of *May* 1835, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared *Hannah Bartlett* above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by her signed, to be her free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my name the day and year last above mentioned.

Geo. W. Norton Justice of the Peace.

Hannah Bartlett¹³⁵

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Lot No 80 Letter D drawn
Jan'y 1. 1836

Conveyed July 23. 1836
to William Mount Jr

STATE OF MAINE.

LAND OFFICE,
Augusta, October 1st 1835.

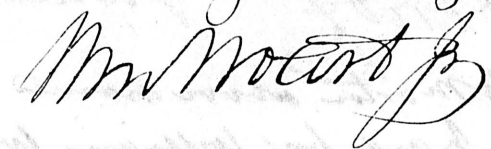
N^o. 135.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That Mannah Bartlett
of Whitefield in the County of Lincoln,
~~widow of Joseph Bartlett of Montville~~
by declarations sworn to on the 20th of May, & 18th of Sept,
last, (See claim N^o. 197.)

and other accompanying evidence has satisfactorily proved her claim
to the benefits of a "Proesolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers
of the Revolutionary war and the widows of deceased officers and
soldiers;" approved March 17, A. D. 1835, and that "the lawful
holder" of this certificate is entitled, under said Proesolve, to **TWO**

HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND.


Land Agent of Maine.

Examined & countersigned,


Know all men that the within named Hannah Bartlett by Robert C. Fore her attorney for and in consideration of seventy five dollars to me paid by George W. Morton do hereby, sell, convey transfer and assign to the said Morton his heirs and assigns, all my right, title, interest & claim in and to the within certificate and in and to the land to which I am entitled in virtue thereof, and hereby authorize said Morton his heirs & assigns to represent me before the land agent and to select and make choice of the lot to which I am entitled and to receive to himself or his assigns a deed thereof in his own or his assigns name instead of mine, & on receipt thereof to sign and execute any discharge to the state or to the land agent which may be required. In testimony whereof the said Hannah Bartlett by the said Fore her attorney hereunto set her hand & seal the 21st day of Oct. AD 1835

signed, sealed & delivered
in presence of
Mr. Wood

Robert C. Fore

State of Maine

County of Penobscot Oct. 21, 1835,

aforsaid Robert C. Fore ^{The} ~~foregoing~~ acknowledges the foregoing to be the free act and deed of the said Hannah Bartlett

Before me

Mr. Wood Justice of Peace

Know all men that I George W. Morton above named in consideration of ninety dollars to me paid by William W. Wood of Augusta do hereby sell, transfer & assign to the said Wood his heirs & assigns forever all my right, title & interest to the within certificate & to the land therein mentioned, Witness my hand & seal the 21st day of October AD 1835

Witness John D. Roby

Geo. W. Morton

I Hannah Bartlett of Whitefield in the County
of Lincoln being the same person who made
application for land under the Resolve of 17th
March 1835 as the widow of Joseph Bartlett
do testify and declare upon Oath, that in my
said application for land made the 20th day
of May 1835. I then stated that my said husband
was in the Army of the Revolution from the year
1781 to the year 1783, being the last three
years served in the Revolutionary war. I now
herby under Oath make the following, additional
declaration of my said husbands service during
the Revolution. It is that my said husband
Joseph Bartlett did enlist in the year 1777
for the term of three years into Wilds Compy
& Col^o Michael Jackson regt of the Mass^a
Line and rec^d an honourable discharge,
in the year 1780 having served the full
period of three years. In my said appli-
-cation of 20th May 1835. I was incorrect
in my statement by reason of being not
acquainted with the history of the Revolution
for I had repeatedly heard my ^{husband} say that he was in the ^{three} years service & I
did not know of their being but one enlistment
for three years —

Witness

Lovinia Cogher

Hannah X Bartlett
mark

Witness

State of Maine

SEPT 18. 1835

Subscribed & Sworn to

Before me

Geo^o Norton Justice Peace

STATE OF MAINE.

KENNEBEC COUNTY, ss.

Be it Known, That on this *twenty seventh* day of *May* 183*5*, satisfactory evidence has been adduced to me, that *Hannah Parlett* of *Whitefield (Maine)* was the Wife and is the Widow of *Joseph Parlett* late of *Montreal (Canada)* deceased.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name this *27th* day of *May* A. D. 183*5*.

A. B. Miller

JUDGE OF PROBATE.
KENNEBEC COUNTY.

No 36
Joseph Bartlett

Private

Col. Michael Jackson's
Regt Massachusetts Line

From 12 March 1777

To 12 March 1780

Ex
DML

1.

State of Massachusetts.

I Joseph Bartlett a Citizen of the United States, now resident at Montville in the County of Lincoln, and state aforesaid, do and doth testify and declare that in the war of the revolution, about the last part of February 1777 I entered and was engaged in the Land Service of the United States and the Continental establishment and served out the term of three years as a private Soldier against the Common Enemy without any interruptions or absence: That I belonged to Capt John Myles's Company in Col. Michael Jackson's Regiment of the Massachusetts Line, and that I left the Service on or about the last of February 1780 at West Point, and that by reason of my reduced circumstances in life and poverty I stand in need of assistance from my Country for Support, being now of the age of fifty eight years: That while I was in the Service I was at the taking of Burgoyne and in Fort Stanwix when attacked by the British & Indians, & that I received a regular discharge, which I suppose to have been destroyed with all my other papers, when my House was burnt: and that I have no other evidence now in my power of said Service. And I hereby relinquish all claims to every pension heretofore allowed me by the Laws of the United States, if any may be, or hath been so allowed.

(Signed) Joseph Bartlett.

2.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Lincoln Co. Be it remembered, that on this twenty fifth day of April in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighteen, from

an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary war" made and passed on the 18th of March A. D. 1818. personally appeared before me Jeremiah Bailey Judge of the Court of Probate within and for the County of Lincoln in the Commonwealth aforesaid, the same being a Court of records of said County, the aforesaid Joseph Bartlett and after due examination and caution to testify the whole truth, he maketh oath to the declaration aforesaid, and subscribes the same in my presence, and on examination duly made by me the said Judge, it appears to my satisfaction that the said declaration is true.

(Signed) Jer. Bailey

I John H. Sheppard, Register of the Court of Probate for the County of Lincoln hereby certify that the aforesaid Jeremiah Bailey is Judge of said Court of Probate above named and that his signature to this Caption is genuine, & that the seal aforesaid is the seal of said Court.

April 25. 1818 - (Signed) John H. Sheppard

I hereby certify that the foregoing pages numbered from one to two inclusive are truly copies from the originals as filed in the Pension Office War Department. And I do further certify, that it appears from the Revolutionary records of Colonel Michael Jackson's Regiment, Massachusetts line, that Joseph Bartlett enlisted in Captain Wiley's Company on the 11th of March 1777 for three years, and was discharged the service on the 12th day of March 1780.

Benj. L. Deale

8 Sept 1835

Washington City

I certify that Benjamin L. Deale, who is employed by the Land Agent of the State of Maine, under a Resolution of the Legislature of that State, approved by the Governor on the 17th of March 1835, to obtain from the Pension Office certain documents and records, has made as full an examination in the case of Joseph Bartlett as the Books and Papers of said Office will allow, according to the best of my judgment and belief - stated at the Pension Office, War Department the 8th day of September 1835

J. L. Edwards
Commissioner of Pensions