

## **Pension Application for Jacob Allen**

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State of Vermont

County of Windham SS.

Probate District of Marlborouogh.

St the Probate Court within and for said District being a Court of Record on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Sept A.D. 1832—Personally appeared in open Court. At New Tane in said District. Present Hon. Marshall Miller Esquire, Judge before the said Probate Court, within and for said District now sitting Jacob Allen a resident of New Tane in the county of Windham and State of Vermont, aged seventy four years, who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States, under the following named officers, and served as herein stated.

In the year 1777, he volunteered for one months only and marched to Saratoga to assist in the capture of Burgoyne, then lived in Lancaster Mass, served that month under Capt Sawyer & Col. Sawyer

In the year 1780 enlisted for six months about the first of July, and marched to the southward through Litchfield to King's ferry, land joined the continental troops at Tappan Bay, joined General Glover's Brigade, Colo Bigelow's Regiment the 15<sup>th</sup> Mass. Capt Bowman's Comp'y served the six months out, and was discharged at the Hospital at Fishkill, State of New York. Received no written discharge. And knows of no person whose testimony he can procure to testify to his service.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state.

To the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department, he answers, upon his said oath, as follows:

1. Was born in Lancaster, Mass. February 13, 1758.
2. Has a private record of his age in a Bible.
3. Lived in Lancaster, Mass, when called into service. Removed to Fitchburgh, Mass lived there twelve years. Removed to Vermont about 37 years ago lived 8 years in Stratton, about 29 in Townsend and has lately removed into New Tane.
4. Engaged voluntarily in the service.
5. Remember only Col. Matteson's Brigade besides Col. Bigelow as above stated.
6. Has no written discharges.
7. Refers to Joseph Tyler & Dana Bailey, Esquires.

(Signed) Jacob Allen