

### **Pension Application for Henry Barnes**

S.44314

State of New York

County of Madison SS.

On this sixteenth day of April 1818 before me the subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Madison and State aforesaid personally appears Henry Barnes a German by birth (but not having any record or memorandum in writing was not positive as to his age; but supposed to be about sixty six years of age), and resident in the town of Galen in the County of Seneca & State of New York (but late of the town of Sullivan in the County of Madison and State aforesaid, 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 an naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War; that the said Henry Barnes enlisted in Stillwater in the State of New York in the company commanded by Captain Austin in Col. Gansevoort's Regiment (Afterwards commanded by Col. VanSchaick) of the New York line, that he continued to serve in the said Corps or in the service of the United States from October one thousand seven hundred until June 1783 when he was honourably discharged at Newburgh in the State of New York. That he was at the taking of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown; and was in the western expedition with General Sullivan and in the Battle at Newtown; and that he is in reduced circumstances, and stands in need of assistance from his country for support, and that he has no over evidence now in his power of his said services except the affidavit of John Keller whose affidavit is hereunto annexed. (Signed with his mark) Henry Barnes

Sworn and declared before me the day and year aforesaid. John Stocking.