Pension Application for Elisha Burdick

S.44700 B.L.Wt.6817-100 Issued Nov. 17, 1791 is Elisha Camp, Assignee. No papers. State of New York Delaware County SS.

On the sixteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred & eighteen came personally before me—Robert Clark Esquire one of the Judges of Delaware Common Pleas Elisha Burdick (to me known)— and being duly sworn did depose and say that on or about the fifteenth day of May one thousand seven hundred & seventy eight he entered the service of the United States by enlisting in Capt. Walker's company of Infantry in the fourth Regiment Commanded by Col'I Livingston New York Line for the term of nine months.. That he served in said Regiment until some time he thinks in November following when he enlisted in the company of Capt. Bevier in the fifth Regiment New York line commanded by Col. Dubois for serving the war. That he was afterwards transferred with said company to the Second Regiment commanded by Phillip VanCourtland where he served until discharged which was four years & four months as will appear by the inclosed discharge which he received on the ninth day of June one thousand seven hundred and eighty three. And that from this weakness of his constitution and reduced circumstances he does absolutely require the assistance of his country for support. (Signed) Elisa Burdick

Sworn & subscribed the sixteenth day of April 1818 before me. Robert Clark one of the Judges of De. Com. Pleas.

Letter in folder dated June 30, 1931, written in response to an inquiry.

You are advised that it appears from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S.44700, that Elisha Burdick enlisted May 5, 1776, served as a private in Captain Walker's company, Colonel Livingston's New York Regiment until November 28, 1778, when he re-enlisted, served as a private in Captain DeBevier's Company, Colonels DuBois' and Philip VanCortland's New York Regiment and was discharged June 9, 1783.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 16, 1818, while a resident of Delaware County, New York. In 1828, he resided in Kortwritght in said Delaware County.

There are no data relative to his family in the papers in this claim.