

Pension Application for Stephen Case

R.1771

Circuit Court

Calhoun County SS.

Of the November Term, one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

Stephen Case now of the Town of Marshall, county of Calhoun State of Michigan being duly sworn in open court and before the clerk of the said court deposeseth and says that he was born in the town of Old Plats County of Ulster and State of New-York, that when he this deponent was of the age of fourteen years & upwards that at that age, he this deponent entered the Revolutionary Army under the patronage of Captain Stephen Case who was his uncle and held that station in the Revolutionary Army, that this deponent entered the said army as aforesaid in the month of May one thousand seventeen hundred and seventy seven that⁶ this deponent was subsequently employed to carry express from one line of the Army to another by the direction of Governor Clinton of New York that this deponent done the duty of a soldier for the term of two years & upwards.—

And was stationed at Fort Montgomery in NY that this deponent continued in the service³ of the United States as aforesaid for the term of three years including the term of soldier and as a carrier of express as aforesaid—

That this deponent is now poor & in hard circumstances, therefore this deponent prays that a pension may be allowed according to the Laws of the United States, and further this deponent saith not.
(Signed) Stephen Case.

Subscribed & Sworn before me in open court & tenth day of Nov 1838, M. Preston Clerk