

## **Pension Application for Abraham DeLancey**

S.43474

State of New York

Orange County SS

On this seventh day of December 1820, personally appeared in open court, the same being a Court of Record for the county aforesaid by virtue of the Statutes and constitution of the state aforesaid, Abraham DeLancey aged seventy six years resident in the town of Minisink of said County, who being first duly sworn according to law—doth on his oath declares that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows, to wit, First in the third Regiment commanded by Colonel Dubois in the Company commanded by Captain Godwin in the New York line for the term of about six months.

Next, in the Fifth Regiment commanded by Captain Hambeaweck of the New York Line for about the term of five years—

That the date of his original declaration is April one thousand eight hundred and eighteen. That the number of his pension certificate is 1.811 according to the best of his recollection.

And I solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> March 1818, and that I have not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled “An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War” passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities, contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

And that said Abraham DeLancey in open court as aforesaid produces the following schedule that is to say: -- I have a Set of Shoemakers Tools worth about eight dollars, I have no other property of any nature except my necessary wearing apparel.

I have about one dollar due to me. I am indebted to different persons about thirty five dollars. And the said Abraham DeLancey states that in order to comply with the provisions of the late law relative to Revolutionary Pensioners he was sworn &c in the City of New York in September last, but has been informed that he must apply in the county where he resides. (Signed) Abraham DeLancey

Sworn to in open court the 7<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1820 before me. Jas. McClintock, Dep Clk