

Pension Application for Jacob Hulse

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State of New York

Ontario County SS.

On this twenty eighth day of August 1832 personally appeared in open Court before the Judges of the County Court now sitting, Jacob Hulse a resident of Canandaigua, County and State aforesaid aged 77 years, who being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of 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.

1st. I was born in the town of Goshen, County of Orange and State of New York, on the 10th October 1755, about the first December 1775 was called out in Captain John Little's Company in Colonel Ellison's Regiment, and was marched to the Hudson river and was on guard about ten days and was then marched down to Tappan and there was doing duty about three weeks and after this was commanded by Major John Gardner and continued on duty about forty days.

2nd In the year 1776, the month not remembered, it was warm weather, I was marched to Fort Montgomery and from thence to Fort Clinton and there laboured at the public works under Lieutenant Stewart in Colonel Ellison's Regiment.

While there saw General James Clinton and his brother George Clinton and knew them well. I saw General Washington when he went to Boston; served one month this time.

3rd On or before the twelfth day of December in the same year, was called to Captain Little's Company and joined the Regiment at Goshen under Colonel Ellison and then marched to the New City and remained there nine or ten days, then marched to Glouster then moved back to Tappan and there encamped for some time and then moved back towards the Gap of the mountain and kept guard there about a month, Colonel Ellison then divided the Regiment and took part of it home, deponent remained and done duty more than a month when Lieutenant Marvin drew thirty men, which deponent was one to go out on a scouting party. Went into Jersey, and returned to the Hudson and then went to Peramus, and after two months service was discharged and went home.

4th On or about the first April 1777 was again called out in Captain Little's Company, Colonel Ellison's Regiment and ordered to Naick [Nyack] to join Captain Gardner to guard the frontier, out one month.

5th in May following called out again in Captain Little's Company to go to DeWitt's Fort on the Neversink River and to Decker's Fort on the Delaware and done duty on this stationed until his father came and took his place and he served three months. Major Newkirk commanded at Dewitts Fort. The Indians made several attempts to take the Fort. Lieutenant Stewart was killed.

6th 7th After this was frequently ordered out on alarms but no specific duty. Until the summer of 1781 when he was called out in Captain Sweesey's Company and

done duty at the Tappan landing. Was there when the news of Cornwallis capture was announced and the[n] done duty for two and a half months.

In the year 1777 at the General Review was wounded by the kick of a horse, while on duty, the wound in the skin of his left leg, and by which he is still disabled.

Lived in Goshen and Minisink until six year ago when he removed to Canandaigua where he now lives knows John Reid who served with him part of the time also David Parshall both of Canandaigua.

He has no record of his age. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares his name is not on the Pension Roll of the agency of any state. (Signed) Jacob Hulse.

Sworn & subscribed to the day and year aforesaid in open court.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this first day of September A.D. 1832. Charles Crane