

## **Pension Application for John Hulslander**

S.22842

Declaration. In order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress of the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, 1832.

State of New York

Tompkins County SS.

On this twenty third day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five personally appeared before me Andrew D.W. Bruyn first Judge of the Court of Common Pleas [Pleas] in and for the County of Tompkins aforesaid at the dwelling house of the petitioner, who, by reason of bodily infirmity is unable to attend court, John Hulslander of the Town of Dryden in the County of Tompkins and State of New York, aged seventy six years, who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions, made by the act of Congress, passed the 7<sup>th</sup> of June 1832:--

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated.

In the year 1776, in the month of May at the Town of Wallkill in the County of Orange and State of New York he was called into the service by an alarm in Captain Wm. Falkender's company in the Regiment commanded [by] Colonel McLaughery, marched to Fort Montgomery and served there fifteen days, then dismissed and returned home.

The same year in the month of July or August was called out again by an alarm at Wallkill aforesaid, in Capt'n Falkender's Company and marched to Fort Constitution, small Fort opposite to West Point near the North River, in the State aforesaid—Served there seven days he has forgotten who commanded at the Fort—dismissed and returned home to Wallkill aforesaid.

The same year the first of October he was called in to the service at the Town of Wallkill aforesaid, in Capt'n Wm Falkender's Company in Col. McLaughery Regiment by an alarm – and marched to Fort Montgomery and served there fifteen days; then was dismissed and returned home to the Town of Wallkill aforesaid—

In the month of May in the year 1777 at the Town of Wallkill aforesaid he was called into the service by an alarm in Capt'n Falkender's Company in Col. McLaughery's Regiment and marched to Fort Montgomery in the State aforesaid, and served there fifteen days, then was dismissed and returned Home to Wallkill aforesaid the same year (1777) in the month of June at the Town of Wallkill aforesaid he was again called into the service by an alarm under the command of the same officers and served fifteen days at Fort Montgomery then was dismissed and returned to the Town of Wallkill aforesaid—

The same year (1777) in the month of October, he was classed, and drafted at the Town of Wallkill aforesaid, under the command of Capt'n Falkender, had orders to march to Fort Montgomery, before he reached that place had information that Fort Montgomery was taken by the enemy – he then had orders to march to New Windsor in the County of Orange and state aforesaid, where he was under the command of

Genl Clinton, and continued there and served there three months—then was dismissed and returned home to the Town of Wallkill aforesaid.

In the year 1778 in the first of September at the Town of Wallkill aforesaid, he volunteered in captain Crofford's Company in the Regiment commanded by Col. Cantine, and marched to a place called Hunk, in the State aforesaid, where a Black-house was kept, and served there two months, then was dismissed and returned home to Wall-Kill aforesaid.

In the year 1779 the first of October, at the Town of Wall-Kill aforesaid, he volunteered, in Captain Felter's Company and marched to West Point, in the State aforesaid, Col. Wisner Commanded at West Point at that time. That he served there two months—then he was dismissed and returned home to WallKill aforesaid.

The Town of Wallkill aforesaid, he volunteered in Captain Falkerder's Comp.

That he has no documentary evidence, and that he knows of no person whose testimony he can procure, and who can testify to his services except whoses [sic] affidavits are hereunto annexed.

Her herby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and he declares that his name is not on the pension roll of any agency in any state. (Signed with his mark) John Hulslander

Sworn and subscribed the day and year aforewsaid before me.A. D. W. Bruyn, First Judge of Tompkisn Common Pleas.