

### **Pension Application for Jonathan Purdy**

S.5956

This file is pretty mixed up and some depositions don't have a starting page. So . . . here is a letter in the folder dated May 7, 1924, written in response to an inquiry.

I have to advise you that from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim S.5956 it appears that Jonathan Purdy was born in August 1759 in Connecticut, the place not stated.

While a resident of Westchester County, New York enlisted in the spring of 1776 and served one year as a private in Captain Jonathan Horton Paulding's Company, Colonel Thomas Thomas' New York Regiment, and was at the battle of White Plains. In 1777 he enlisted and served four months as a private in captain Jonathan Horton Paulding's Company.

He enlisted in the spring of 1778 and served one year as a private in Captain Richard Sackett's Company, Colonel Morris Graham's New York Regiment.

He enlisted in February 1779 and served six months as a private in Captain Barnes' Company, Colonel Aaron Burr's Regiment, and again in July 1779 he enlisted and served two months in Captain Lawrance's Company.

He enlisted in the spring of 1780 and served no nine months as Sergeant in Captain Richard Sackett's Company, and in the spring of 1781 he enlisted and served as Sergeant in Captain Richard Sackett's Company, Colonel Thomas Thomas' New York Regiment.

He was allowed pension on his application executed November 8, 1828 while a resident of Ohio County, Virginia.

There is no data on file as to his family.