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District of New Jersey. Bergen County. On the 14th June 1820 before the judge of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Bergen personally appeared in open court, being a Court of record, possessing a Seal, having a Jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount and proceeding according to the course of common law, JOHN LIGHPITE aged sixty eight years, who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served something better than nine months as a soldier in the Revolutionary War in CAPT. SEELY's Company, GENL, HAZENS Regiment. That the date of his original application was on the 7th April 1818. That he has received a certificate from the War Department as a Pensioner inscribed on the pension roll list of the New Jersev agency dated being number solemnly swear that I have not since that time by gifts, sale, or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision 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 the 18th 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; that my occupation has been that of a weaver. That my family consists of myself and my wife POLLY that my wife for some time has not been able to labour, and at this time is confined to her sickbed with the dropsey. That for myself I am sickly and unable to do any labour for some years suffering under a pulmonary complaint, and that the small property I possess is not sufficient for my support and my family without the kind assistance of my Country.

Sworn to & declared in open court the 14th) Jo—n Lei---I-t Day of June 1820. Gab. (H.) Ford

Schedule referred to in the foregoing deposition

()	2 cows valued at \$15		\$30.00
	l yearly heifer		6.00
	1 Iron Pot	12/	1.50
	5 sheet	1/4/	8.50
	3 small pots	4/	1.50
	1 tea kettle	8/	1.00
	1 Griddle	8/	1.00
	3 old pails	2/	.75
	3 do.tin pans	2/	.75
	1 do.shovel & tongs 3/		.37 1/2
	1 do. Axe	2/	.25
			\$51.87 1/2

Sworn to and declared in open court this 14th day of June 1820. Gab. (H.) Ford.

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I Abraham Westervelt, Clerk of the said Court of Common Pleas for the County of Bergen afsd do hereby certify that the foregoing oath & the schedule thereto annexed are truly copied from the record of the said Court. And I do further certify that it is in the opinion of the said court that the total amount in value of the property exhibited on the aforesaid schedule is Fifty one dollars & eighty seven ½ cents.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court on This 14th day of June A.D. 1820.