

Pension Application for Lewis Picard or Pecard

S.14175

Declaration.

Revolutionary Claims.

Under an Act of Congress passed June 7th A.D. 1832.

State of Vermont

District of Georgia SS

Franklin County

Probate Court

April 1st A.D. 1844.

Personally appeared in open Court, being the Probate Court for said district in said County of Franklin and a Court of Record for ;said County and State of Vermont as will appear by the first Section of a Statute Law, of said State, entitled An Act constituting Probate Courts, Courts of Records, passed November 15th A.D. 1821. (See first Section of said Act), Lewis Pecard, of St. Albans, County and State aforesaid, aged eighty nine 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 Act of Congress, passed June 7th 1832.

He was formerly a resident of St. Lazare Lower Canada (now Quebec), and made an application for a pension soon after the passage of the Act of 7th June 1832, at Champlain, in the County of Clinton, State of New York before a Mr. Wait or White, (his name he does not distinctly recollect) and has heard nothing from the application made at that time before him since.

He was born in St. Ann (below Quebec) in the Province of Lower Canada, but in what year he is unable to state precisely, as he has no record of his age.

He declares that he entered the service of the United States in the year 1775, sometime in the month of July and served under Captain Augustus Lonszo John Baptiste Vient & Peter Vient & who he thinks was Sergeant in the Company to which he belonged, but whether said Vient was a Sergeant or a commissioned Officer he is not positive.

The regiment to which he was attached was commanded by Colonel James Livingston. He recollects the names of the following Officers and Soldiers, belonging to Col. Livingston's Regiment some of ;whom he thinks were in the same Company with him, viz: Major Abraham Livingston, Captain, Noel Livingston, Captain Augustus Lonszo, alias Baird. Sergeant, Anthony Vient, Sergeant, P. LeBlanc, Corporal, R. Lado Banche, & Corporal Yella.

Privates. P. Lade Banche, Dennis Parant, John Baptiste Savarei, P. Savarei, John Baptiste Lamontagne, F. Pagnine, Corbellis, Dandlain, John Baptiste, Lade Banche, John Baptiste Joyal, alias Jean Battist Joyieni, & Peter Vereno, alias Barshay.

The applicant joined the Regiment at Point Leva, in the Province of Canada, from which place they marched to Quebec, and there remained until the army evacuated that place, and from thence the applicant went with his company and

Regiment to Isle ExNoix [sic], at which place he was taken sick and the Army left him at the last mentioned place, he at that time having served ten months and eight days as an enlisted soldier being first embodied at Sorell, Lower Canada, and served as a volunteer until arriving at Quebec, at which place he enlisted for six months.

He further states that he never received a written a discharge from the service & has no documentary evidence of his service whatever.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is onto on the Pension Roll of the Agency of any State. (Signed with his mark) Lewis Pecard

Sworn to, and subscribed before me on this 1st day of April AD 1844. Wm. Bridges Judge of Probate.