

**Pension Application for Daniel Thompson**

S.42481 Died March 3, 1835.

State of New York

Supreme court

City & County of Albany

On this seventeenth day of August 1820 personally appeared in open court, (being a court of record in and for said state according to the solemn adjudications of the Supreme Court of this state, and being a court which proceeds according to the course of common law, with a jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount, keeping a record of its proceedings, and possessing the power of fine and imprisonment) Daniel Thompson late a private and sixty five years, resident in town of Rensselaerville in said County whom, being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath declare, that he served in the revolutionary war as follows: in the company commanded by Captain Graham; in Col. VanCortland's Regiment on the Continental Establishment, in New York Line for the term & in the manner specified in his original declaration on file in the Pension office, at Washington, dated the Third day of April 1818, that his certificate is Numbered 9758, and was issued on the twenty third day of April 1819—and that he has received his Pension at the rate of eight dollars per month, up to the fourth of March last –

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1818; and that I have not, since that time, by gift, sale, or in any manner, disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it, as to bring myself within the provisions 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 on the 18<sup>th</sup> of 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 thereto annexed, and by me subscribed.

That he has a wife aged fifty six years, and daughter aged fifteen years who is obliged to do the necessary house work—that I have an occupation & that by reason of a rupture, I am unable to provide for myself & family and stand in need of assistance, from my country for support, that the following is a Schedule of my Real & personal Estate viz, Real Estate None. Personal Estate viz—Two Hogs, Three dollars; one wheal & Real [reel] & Shovel & tongs two dollars; Three chairs, two Chests & one Table two dollars, a sett of turning tools, and necessary iron ware three dollars—three pails—one ax & [?] old knives & forks & Scuttle & [?] three dollars—one basket – one Tub & two barrels, two dollars & seventy cents,—cookery ware & tin ware two dollars & fifty cents—Mow of Hay five dollars—Books Poultry & one rake—Three dollars thirteen cents. (Signed) Daniel Thompson

Sworn to and declared in open court this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 1820. Fr. Bloodgood  
Clk office of the supreme court.