

Pension Application for Peleg Tripp

S.23031

State of New York

County of Warren SS.

On this Eighteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty two personally appeared in open Court before the Court of Common Pleas now sitting in & for the county of Warren Peleg Tripp a resident of Warrensburgh in the County of Warren & State of New York aged seventy seven years the first day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty one, 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 7, 1832.

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

That in the year one thousand seven hundred & seventy nine he was draughted & entered the service as a Continental Soldier under one Captain Levi Stockwell, that his Colonell's [Colonel's] name was VanRenselaer [VanRensselaer] that for a period of nine months at least, and according to the best of his remembrance & belief he served for near twelve months, that afterwards, for a period of six years he was occasionally in the service of the United States as a teamster & minute man. That at the time he entered the service he lived in the Town of Stilwater in the County of Saratoga in the State of New York. That he marched from Stillwater to Fort Edward, thence to Fort Ann, thence to Whitehall (formerly called Skeensborough) at which place he rendezvoused until the expiration of the nine months for which he served and this Deponent further says that he knows of but one person at present who was in the said service with him and his name is Stephen Freeman whose residence is in the Town & County of Saratoga State of New York and further that he hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state.

He was in South Kingston in Rhode Island in the year 1755, has a record of his age at home in his Bible —was drafted—received no written discharge. (Signed) Peleg Tripp

Sworn & subscribed the day & year aforesaid. Thomas Archivald Clerk