Pension Application for Peter Woodcock

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District of New York

Otsego County SS

On; this 12th day of October 1820 personally appeared in open Court being a court of Record for the County aforesaid Peter Woodcock aged sixty years resident in Maryland in the County of Otsego in said District who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary War in Capt McKain's company Colonel VanSchaicks regiment belonging to the New York Line and the date of his original declaration was on the 22d day of April 1818 on which he has received a pension certificate No. 3346 and I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift or sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part hereof with intent thereby so to diminish it was to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities contracts or debts due tome nor have I any income other than what is contained in the Schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

I have no real estate—my personal property consists of 1 small pot, 1 bake kettle, 1 Pan, 3 knives, and forks, tea kettle, 6 spoons, 6 cups & saucers, 4 Bowls, 2 platters, 1 pt pitcher, 1 pt tin cup, 2 old axes, 1 hoe, 1 table, 1 pitchfork, 3 swing all worth about $15.

By occupation a farmer—I have a wife and six children residing with me. William aged 15 years not able to support himself, Sarah aged ten years—Julane aged 7 years, Maria aged 5 years, Nancy aged 3 years, Rachel aged 6 months all unable to support themselves. I am infirm in health and depend on my pension for support. (Signed with his mark) Peter Woodcock

Sworn this 12th Oct'r 1820 before the court. Geo. Morell, Clk.