

Pension Application for Peter Barton

R.596

State of New York

County of Schenectady SS

On the 20th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty three; personally appeared in Open Court being a Court of record [?] called Court of Common Pleas, County of Schenectady, Peter Barton residing in said County aged upwards of sixty seven years—who, being sworn according to law—doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by the Acts of Congress of the 18 day of March 1818—and the 1st of May 1820, and the first of March 1820—that he the said Peter Barton enlisted for the term of three years 1780—Lieut Col Williams Company, Col. Weston Regt—Gen Learned Brigade, Massachusetts line, that he continued to serve about eleven months – until he received a wound at West Point and was discharged for Inabilty, as will appear by the returns of said stated—and I do solemnly swear that I was resident citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818, and that I have not since that time by gift, sale, or any other manner disposed of any property, or any part thereof, with intent to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled an Act of provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary Was—passed on the 18th day of March 1818—and that I have not nor has any person in Trust for me—any property or Security's, Contracts due to me – nor have I any Income—nor what is contained in the Schedule hereto annexed & by me subscribed. (Signed) Peter Barton

Sworn in open Court May 20th 1822. Jesses A. Fonda Clerk