

Pension Application for Samuel Beach or Bache

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B.L.Wt.79-200-Lieut. Issued June 18. 1791. No papers.

Continental

Green Mt. Boys

State of Vermont

Addison County SS

On this 15 day of May AD 1818 before the Subscriber first Judge of the County of Addison in said State personally appears [appears] Saml Beach aged sixty six years resident in the Town of Whiting and County of Addison and State of Vermont aforesaid who being by me first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath mak [make] the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the late 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", that the said Sam'l entered the Service of his Country as a volunteer at Rutland on the 6th day of Mary AD 1775 and continued in Service either as a private or non commissioned officer and in the Q'r Masters Department until the 14th Day of April AD 1777 when he received an Ensigns Commission in Capt Jeremiah Burroughs Company and Colo Seth Warners regiment on the Continental Establishment in which capacity h served untill the 4th Day of November AD 1779 when he was transferred into Capt John Chipmans Company in said Regiment and a Lieutenants Commission given him as per the accompanying Certificate from the War office which shows the manner and time of his leaving the service.

And he further declares that he was at the taking the garrisons of Ticonderoga, Crown Point and S.t Johns and the vessels on Lake Champlain in May AD 1775 and in the fall of the same year was with General Montgomery at the taking of St. Johns, Montreal, Chambly and the vessels in the River St. Lawrence and was in the retreat from Quebeck and Canada and also with the army from the garrison at Ticonderoga & engaged with the enemy 3 successive days and was in the Battle near Bennington and at Lake George Landing and at the taking of General Burgoyne at Saratoga and that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support.

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year aforesaid Henry Oilin Judge of the County of Addison and State of Vermont do certify that it appears to my satisfaction that from the said Sam'l Beach did serve in the Revolutionary War as stated in the preceding Declaration against the common enemy and I now transmit the proceeding & testimony taken and had before to the Secretary for the Department of war pursuant to the directions of the afore mentioned act of Congress. Henry Olin Judge