

Pension Application for John Cunningham

W.21092 (Former Widow: Sarah Jones)

State of New York

County of Saratoga SS.

Personally appeared before the subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County Phinnas Jones of Greenfield in said county aged fifty six years after being duly sworn according to law deposeth and saith that widow Sarah Jones who is applying for a pension as the Widow of William Jones & an amount of Revolutionary service of her first husband John Cunningham is this deponent's step mother.

That she is the identical person who was the wife of John Cunningham who had the reputation of having been a soldier through the War of the Revolution—of having belonged to the Regular Standing Army—of which part this deponent has no doubt, and that she is the identical person & late widow of the said John Cunningham. The late soldier in the War of the Revolution—That her first husband the said John Cunningham died in seventeen hundred and ninety four leaving the said applicant for a pension the present Widow Sarah Jones as his widow & that she had at the date of the death of her said husband a daughter by the name of Jane who is now Jane Padden, who was at that time nine or ten years of age.

That the said then Widow Sarah Cunningham was married in seventeen hundred and ninety five to this deponent's father William Jones, who died in eighteen hundred and fourteen leaving as his widow the present applicant for a pension Sarah Jones, who still remains his widow. (Signed) P. Jones.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 19th day of July 1844. John Morehouse
Justice of Peace.