

Pension Application for Philip Dehaish, Deharsh, DeHosh or Daharsh

S. 22730 Philip died April 1st 1832.

State of New York

County of Madison SS.

Be it known, that on the second day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, personally appeared in open court before the Judges of the court of Common Pleas—in and for said County, Philip DeHarsh or Dehost and Isaac DeHarsh or DeHost of the town of Sullivan in said County, and they being respectively duly sworn, do depose and say, or make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the provisions made by the act of Congress passed 7th June 1832, granting pensions to soldiers and officers who performed service in the war of the revolution & in certain cases to the children of such officers or soldiers in their behalf pursuant to the provisions of the law in such cases made.

These Declarants, do further declare depose and say, that he the said Philip will be sixty eight years of age on the 4th day of June next, having been born as he was informed by his parents & believes to be true, on the 4th day of June in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine (1779) and he the aforesaid Isaac deposeth and saith, that he was fifty-three years of age on the eighth day of August last (1845) That they the said Philip and Isaac are children of Philip DeHosh, who was a soldier in the war of the revolution and served as herein after stated. That the other children left by said Philip last named are as follows, Eveline Christman now aged sixty five years & upwards, who resides in said town of Sullivan and Jacob DeHosh who is now about sixty-two years of age & resides in the town of Lewiston in the County of Niagara N.Y. That said DeHosh the father of these declarants departed this life on the first day of April one thousand eight hundred & thirty-two (1st April 1832) leaving no widow him surviving, but the children herein before named who are all over twenty-one years of age, to wit of the ages aforesaid & who are still alive—viz. These Declarants, Philip & Isaac, & & Jacob DeHost & Eveline Christman. That their father the said Philip DeHosh died at the time aforesaid in the seventy-sixth year of his age, having been born on the 21st day of March one thousand seven hundred & fifty-six and [>] in the village of Chittenango in said town of Sullivan N.Y.

The said Philip DeHost, on account of whose revolutionary services, and in whose behalf a pension is hereby asserted and claimed resided at the period of the said war in the town of Ephratah in the now County of Montgomery in said State sometime in the year 1801, he moved to said town of Sullivan where he lived till the day of his death, continuously except for one year when he resided in the town of Brutus in the County of Cayuga

These Declarants have repeatedly & in detail heard their father, the said Philip DeHost recount his service in the war of the revolution to themselves & other members of his family as well as to others—and they remember his mentioned the names of many soldiers who served with him, of whom they can now call to mind, the following among others Samuel Boyce, John Eigenbroadt, Andrew Fine, George Hawk, Daniel Hart, John Holtzer, William Kern, Baltzer Smith—said Holtzer was an uncle of

Declarants, Baltzer Bridenberger, Fred'k R. Hoofnagle, Fre'd Odman, Nich's Christian, Mich'l & Wm Karns-Hein, David Hess, Fred'k Ittig, David Dum, George & Wm Cocks, Cornelius Van Camp, John Kress, George Shell, Christian Plapper & many others.

And these Declarants further say that they well and distinctly remember to have heard their father say, that in the first year of the revolutionary war (in 1775) he served for nine months pursuant to enlistment in the Company of Captain Christopher P. Yates, and that he served in this engagement at Ticonderoga & Montreal & St. Johns & Quebec.

He afterwards enlisted & served for three years in the Company of Captain Fink—after this he enlisted in the company of Garret Putman—from which company, as their father expressed it, he was chose out to serve under Captain Samuel Woodworth.

He was in the Battle of Oriskana 1777, in the Battle of Monmouth, in the battle of Turlock in Schoharie under or with Captain McKean, who was killed in that battle—He was also in the Battle at Stillwater, and was on duty at Fort Stanwix, Fort Plain, Fort Herkimer, Stone Arabia, at Unadilla & many other places we cannot now call to mind—and some of the other officers under & with him he served those named, they recollect Col. Willett & Col Maclom & Weisenfelt & Goosen VanSchaick. (Signed with his mark) Philip Daharsk and Isaac Daharsh.

Sworn before m in open court as aforesaid this 2d February 1867. R. Scott Sloan, Clerk