Pension Application for Jeremiah Devoe

S.43477

Letter in folder dated November 15, 1928, written in response to an inquiry.

I advise you from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S.43477, it appears that Jeremiah Devoe enlisted in 1777 or in January 1778, in Newburgh, New York, and served three months as wagoner in the wagon department, and when they reached Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, he enlisted and served as a private in Captain Armstrong's Company, Colonel Lee's Legion, was at the battles of Guilford, Quinby's Bluff (where his horse was shot under him), Eutaw Springs and one on Goose Creek, and served to the close of the Revolution.

He was allowed pension on his application executed May 27, 1818 while a resident of New Paltz, Ulster County, New York, aged sixty-one years.

In 1820 he referred to his wife aged about fifty-seven years or fifty-nine, daughter aged about fourteen years, and grandson, aged about four years, their names not given. In 1826 he was living in Hyde Park, Dutchess County, New York.