

## **Pension Application for James Dorey**

S.45323

Rockland County, Court of Common Pleas

State of New York SS.

At a Court of Common Pleas held at the Court House in Clarkstown in and for the said county of Rockland before the Judges of the same Court, on the first Tuesday of February in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and Twenty One.

Present the Honorable Edward Suffern Esqr first Judge , Cornelius J. Blauvelt, Peter Stephens, Esqrs Judges of said Court.

Rockland County SS:

Be it remembered that on the sixth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and Twenty One, personally appeared in said Court being a Court of Record, made a court of record by Statute with unlimited jurisdiction, as to the amount and proceeding according to the course of the common law, in open court, James Dorey, aged about sixty years, resident in Orange Town County of Rockland, who being duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows.

That he served in the company of Captain John Hunter; Col. Malcomb's additional regiment in the years 1777, 78, 79, in the later year Malcomb's and Spencer's additional regiments, joined and made one Regiment under Spencer in which he also served.

In 1780, Spencer's Regiment was reduced; and he thereupon served in the Corps of Sappers and Miners and was honorably discharged at the close of the war in 1783.

And that his original declaration is dated the thirty first day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen as is believed having no copy. That his pension certificate is No. 7645.

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818.

And that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision of an 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" passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818, and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities, contracts or debts, due to me, nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule, hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

Real Estate—none, personal Do, none, Income, None. (Signed) James Dorey.

Family I have none, am infirm—my hearing and speech are very defective, my occupation has been at common laboring until about five years ago; since which time and until the receipt of pension money have had support as a pauper of the Town of Orange aforesaid. (Signed) James Dorey

Sworn in open court the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year 1821. Howard Clk