

**Pension Application for Oliver Drew**

S.45337

State of New York

Dutchess County Ss.

On this seventh day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred & eighteen personally came before me James Emott first judge of the court of Common Pleas for said county the same being a court of record Olive Drew who on oath declared that he is a citizen of the United States and now resides in the town of Poughkeepsie in the County of Dutchess that in or about the month of April in the year one thousand seven hundred & eighty two he enlisted for nine months in a company commanded by Capt Schvoen in the second New York Regiment commanded by Philip VanCortlandt in the American Revolution army and that he faithfully served out his said term and continued with his said company until he was discharged from the same near Newburgh, and that he lost his discharge many years since and cannot even produce the same.

And the deponent also says that by reason of his reduced circumstances on life he is in need of assistance from his country for support and he therefore claims the benefit of the aid of congress for providing for certain persons engaged in the land & naval services of the United States in the revolutionary war. (Signed with his mark) Oliver Drew.

Sworn this 11<sup>th</sup> of May 1818 before me. James Emott