

**Pension Application for Oliver Fletcher**

S.44826

State of New York

Ontario County SS.

On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1818 before me Stephen Phelps one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the said County and State personally appears Oliver Fletcher aged 62 years resident in the town of Farmington in said County and State who being by me first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the pension made by the late 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".

That he the said Oliver Fletcher enlisted the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1776 in Cambridge In the State of Massachusetts in the Company commanded by Capt. John McKinstry in the Regiment commanded by Col. John Patterson in the Massachusetts line that he continued to serve in said Corps until the 14<sup>th</sup> of February 1777 when he was discharged from service at Morristown in the State of New Jersey.

That he is in reduced circumstances and that he stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services. (Signed) Oliver Fletcher

Sworn to declared and Subscribed the day and year aforesaid before me.  
Stephen Philps