

### **Pension Application for Conrad or Cownrad Friday**

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Declaration. I Cownrad Friday of the town of Bethlehem in the county of Albany in the state of New York, DO, according to the of Congress of the United States of America, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and "Naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war," make the following declaration under oath, that is to say; I do solemnly declare that I am a resident citizen of the United States, to wit, in the town, county and state aforesaid , and that by reason of may reduced circumstances in life, I am in need of assistance from my country for support. I do further declare, that I was a private soldier in the War of the Revolution, and that I served as such in the said war of the revolution, against the Common enemy, until the end of the said war, for the term of six years and upwards on the Continental Establishment.

That I belonged to the company commanded by Captain Johnson in Col. VanSchaick's regiment, and in the line of New York.

And I do further declare, that I entered the said service on the eight day of June one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven and left the said service on the eighth day of June one thousand seven hundred and eighty three having left the same by reason of the expiration of my said term of enlistment; at which time I received a regular discharge which discharge I have since casually lost.

And I do further declare, that I hereby relinquish all claim to every and any Pension heretofore allowed me by the laws of the United States. Witness my hand, this fifth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and nineteen. (Signed with his Mark) Cownrad Friday. Witness W. Barclay.

For the purpose of obtaining the benefit of "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers & soldiers of the army of the revolution" approved on the 15<sup>th</sup> of May 1828.

I Conrad Friday of the town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany in the State of New York, do hereby declare, That I enlisted in the Continental line of the army of the Revolution for and during the war and continued in it service until its termination, at which period I was a private in Capt'n Cornelius Johnson's Company in the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment of the New York line. And I also declare that I afterwards received a certificate for the reward of Eighty dollars to which I was entitled under a resolve of Congress passed the 15<sup>th</sup> of May 1778.

And I further declare that I was not, on the fifteenth day of March 1828 on the pension list of the United States. (Signed with his mark) Conrad Friday.

In presence of Gerrit L. Dox, John G. Wasson.