

Pension Application for Simeon Gibbs

S.36541

State of Connecticut

County of Litchfield this 1st day of April AD 1818.

I James Gould a Judge of the Superior Court for said State, do hereby certify that on the day above mentioned, personally came before me Simeon Gibbs now residing in said town & made declaration before me under oath that he belonged to & served as a soldier in the American Army during the War of the Revolution, that he enlisted into said Army in the fore part of the month of December AD 1775 at Litchfield in Connecticut under Lieut. James Clark in a Company commanded by Capt. Elizer Curtis for the term of twelve months.

That he soon after joined the Regiment at Fort George which was then commanded by Lt. Colonel Peter Gansevoort, that he faithfully served in said Army at Fort George, Crown Point, Ticonderoga of St. Johns till some time in the month of October AD 1776 when he was taken sick & discharged from the service.

That in consequence thereof he has been very feeble ever since.

That by reason of his reduced circumstances in life he is very poor & in need of assistance from his Country for support.

I also certify that from the foregoing declaration & from the other testimony exhibited to me I am satisfied that said Simon Gibbs served in the Revolutionary War as aforesaid against the common enemy. (Signed) Simeon Gibbs

Sworn, April 1st 1818 before me, James Gould, a Judge of the Sup. Court.