

## **Pension Application for Abraham Harding**

R.4601

State of New York  
Monroe County SS.

I, Abraham Harding 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 whatsoever disposed of my property, or any part thereof with talent thereby to diminish it or to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary AWr passed on the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen 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. Signed, Abraham Warding.

I do hereby certify that the above named Abraham Harding did on the fourth day of October 1826, personally appeared in open court & make oath to the above affidavit by him subscribed. J. Cutler Dep. Clerk

Schedule of all the property estate and income possessed by Abraham Harding of Clarkson in the County of Monroe.

Dated 4 Oct. 18, viz.

One bed & bedding, on chest one looking glass one tea kettle one [?] Two pails a few articles of Crockery some knives one crane and hooks as subscribed by me. A. Harding

Letter in folder dated March 11, 1924, written in response to an inquiry.

I have to advise you that from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, R.4601, it appears that Abraham Harding was born May 15, 1746, place not stated.

He served nearly all of 1777-1778 and 1779, and more than half the time prior and subsequent thereto during the whole War, as Captain in Colonel William Allison's New York Regiment of Militia, and was in the battle of Fort Montgomery, Delaware River against the Indians and other battles not specified.

He applied for pension October 4, 1826, while a resident of Clarkson, Monroe County, New York, but the claim was not allowed as he did not serve in the Continental Line of the Army, as required by the provisions of the Act of March 18, 1818, under which he applied.

Children are referred to but no names are stated and there is no further family data on file.