

Pension Application for Allen Hunsdon or Hansdon

W.24381 (Widow: Elizabeth) Married February 3, 1784 at Salem NY State. Allen died 24 November 1833.

Declaration. In order to obtain the benefit of an act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. State of Vermont

County of Addison SS.

On the 3d day of July AD 1832 personally appeared in open court before the Judges of Addison County Court now sitting Allen Hunsdon a resident of the Town of Shoreham in the County of Addison and State of Vermont aged seventy four years who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832.

That he entered the Service of the United States under the following named officers (Viz) Capt Joseph McCracken of the New York Militia as a volunteer in the month of June AD 1775 and went with him to St. Johns on Lower Canada and was present at St. Johns at the taking of the garrison and entered in the service of the United States until the month of January AD 1777. During the terms of service as aforesaid and while the army was at Ticonderoga General Schuyler was our Commanding officer.

That he the said Allan Hunsdon was at the Battle of Bennington at which time Genl John Starks was over commanding officer—was also present at the battle of Stillwater when Genl Burgoyne surrendered, the said Allen Hunsdon further served in the Militia during the Revolutionary war, at one time the term of nine months at White Hall then called Skeensborough under Capt. Stockwell and at one other time the term of three months and was an orderly sergeant and the last terms of service and did the duty of a Quartermaster and in the service of the New York Militia the said Allen Hunsdon's residence during the Revolutionary War was at Salem in the State of New York and has since resided at Shoreham aforesaid.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state. (Signed) Allen Hunsdon

Sworn and subscribed the day and year aforesaid. E. D. Barber Clerk.